

# **BACKGROUND CHECK DISCLOSURE**

### Purpose/Objective

ColCal, Inc. strives to hire and promote the best-qualified individuals, and background and reference checks are an important part of this process. When a background or reference check is needed with respect to hiring or other employment decisions, the company conducts such checks in compliance with applicable federal, state, and local laws.

#### **Background Check Procedures**

The company conducts background checks in compliance with applicable federal and state laws, including the Fair Credit Reporting Act, the California Investigative Consumer Reporting Agencies Act and the California Consumer Credit Reporting Agencies Act. Thus, for example:

- 1. Applicants or employees will be provided with appropriate written notice of the company's intention to obtain information by way of a background check and will give applicants and employees the opportunity to obtain a free copy of any report obtained.
- 2. Applicants and employees will be asked to authorize a background check before such check is performed.

#### **Consumer Credit Reports**

The company obtains credit reports only under very limited circumstances, for example, when applicants or employees being considered for a position in which they will have access to bank or credit card account information. When the company needs to obtain a consumer credit report, it will comply with applicable federal and state laws. All information obtained from background or reference checks will be used only for purposes of making employment decisions (e.g., hiring, termination, or promotion); will be maintained confidentially, in accordance with applicable legal requirements; and may only be reviewed or accessed by authorized individuals with the approval of Area Coaches and Human Resources.

## **Notice of Background Check**

I understand that one or more consumer reports concerning my criminal record, driving record, credit history, character, general reputation, personal characteristics, and mode of living, whichever are applicable, may be requested by ColCal dba Taco Bell from time to time and I will be provided written notice prior to ColCal conducting a background check or Consumer Credit Report.

Signature	Date