

Books Not Bombs — Don't let military recruiters get your information.

# SECTION 9528 REQUEST

Opt-Out form for high school students

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby exercise my federal right, granted to me by the Congress of the United States under Section 9528 of the *Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965*, as amended by the *No Child Left Behind Act of 2001*, (and any other applicable state, federal or local law or any school policy), and hereby request that the name, address, and telephone listing of \_\_\_\_\_, a current student at \_\_\_\_\_ High School, **not** be released to military recruiters without prior written parental consent. I do, however, consent to the disclosure of such information to institutions of higher education other than military schools.

**Signed by:** (check one) student [ ] parent [ ]

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Print name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/state/zip \_\_\_\_\_

**Note to students/parents:** This certificate can be signed either by a student or a parent. A student does not need parental consent to submit this certificate. Any secondary school student, regardless of age, can sign this certificate and is authorized by law to submit this request. Parents can also sign this certificate for any secondary student. No information about elementary students will be disclosed to military recruiters. When completed, submit this form to the school's administration office.

**Note to school administrators:** You are required by federal law to comply with this request. It is a violation of federal law to disregard this request and release the name, address, or telephone listing of this student to any military recruiter without prior, written, parental consent. Sec. 9528(a)(2) of the *Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965*, as amended by the *No Child Left Behind Act of 2001*.

SEC. 9528. ARMED FORCES RECRUITER ACCESS TO STUDENTS AND STUDENT RECRUITING INFORMATION.

(a) POLICY-

(1) ACCESS TO STUDENT RECRUITING INFORMATION- Notwithstanding section 444(a)(5)(B) of the General Education Provisions Act and except as provided in paragraph (2), each local educational agency receiving assistance under this Act shall provide, on a request made by military recruiters or an institution of higher education, access to secondary school students names, addresses, and telephone listings.

(2) CONSENT- A secondary school student or the parent of the student may request that the student's name, address, and telephone listing described in paragraph (1) not be released without prior written parental consent, and the local educational agency or private school shall notify parents of the option to make a request and shall comply with any request.

**This form may be downloaded at**

[www.vfp92.org/resources/OptOutForm.pdf](http://www.vfp92.org/resources/OptOutForm.pdf)

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**Central Committee for Conscientious Objectors**

<http://www.objector.org> or,

**Seattle Draft and Military Counseling Center**

<http://www.scn.org/ip/sdmcc/> , or

**Teen Peace Conscientious Objector Project**

<http://teenpeace.org> or

**Committee Opposed to Militarism and the Draft**

<http://www.comdsd.org/youth.htm>

