As the parent or guardian of the minor teenager identified above, in requesting a Library of Congress Reader Identification Card for my teen, I understand that:

- The Library does not stand in the place of the parent (legally, “in loco parentis”) with regard to my minor teen’s presence in the Library or their use of Library collections or systems. My teen is my responsibility, not the Library’s.

- Just as with adult patrons, my teen will have access to Library reading rooms and collections under Library policies, without any content-based limits. My teen’s access to certain special format materials (rare books, manuscripts, etc.), however, will be limited.

- I am responsible for my teen’s compliance with Library rules and regulations and for any damage, destruction, or loss to Library property caused by my teen.

Name of Parent or Guardian:

Signature: Date:

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