



**SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM**  
**APPLICATION BY ALIEN FOR RELIEF FROM TRAINING AND SERVICE**  
**IN THE ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES**  
**(RIPS/RIMS)**

Date Issued \_\_\_\_\_

Complete and Return Not Later than \_\_\_\_\_

Registrant's Selective Service No. Full Name, Complete Address

Local Board No. Area Office Address

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO REGISTRANT:** This form is furnished to help you provide the evidence to support your request for relief from training and service in the Armed Forces of the United States. Please read the following carefully and only sign this form if you fully understand and agree. The oath may be administered by a Selective Service employee, or by any other civil officer authorized to administer oaths. After completion, both copies of the form should be returned to this Area Office by the date shown above.

**Willful submission of false information is a violation of the law and, upon conviction, is punishable by imprisonment for up to five years or a fine of not more than \$250,000, or both.**

**ALL ENTRIES EXCEPT SIGNATURE MUST BE TYPED OR PRINTED IN INK.**

I have read and understand Section 315 of the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1426) which provides:

"(a) Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 405(b) of this Act, any alien who applies or has applied for exemption or discharge from training or service in the Armed Forces or in the National Security Training Corps of the United States on the ground that he is an alien, and is or was relieved or discharged from such training or service on such ground, shall be permanently ineligible to become a citizen of the United States."

"(b) The records of the Selective Service System or of the National Military Establishment shall be conclusive as to whether an alien was relieved or discharged from such liability for training or service because he was an alien."

I have been informed of the April 1, 1968 opinion of the Attorney General of the United States wherein it is stated, "A treaty alien who applies for and is granted...relief (under such treaties) will be subject to the bar against eligibility for citizenship imposed by Section 315 of the Immigration and Nationality Act....A related consequence is that, as an alien ineligible for citizenship he will thereafter be excludable should he leave the United States and attempt to return as an immigrant." (42 Op. A.G. #28). I am aware that such an individual may return to the United States as a nonimmigrant provided he so qualifies.

I have also been informed of the provisions of Section 212 (a)(22) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1182) which relate to the excludability from entry as immigrants of persons who have requested and have been relieved of military service:

"(a) Except as otherwise provided in this section, the following classes of aliens shall be ineligible to receive visas and shall be excluded from admission into the United States":

"(22) Aliens who are ineligible to citizenship, except aliens seeking to enter as nonimmigrants..."

With knowledge that I shall be ineligible for naturalization as a citizen of the United States and that I shall be inadmissible to return to the United States for permanent residence after a departure, I hereby request exemption from training and service in the Armed Forces of the United States pursuant to the exemption provisions of the treaty or international agreement in force between the United States and \_\_\_\_\_ (name of country).

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
 (SIGNATURE OF PERSON ADMINISTERING OATH)

\_\_\_\_\_  
 (SIGNATURE OF REGISTRANT)

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 (TITLE OF PERSON ADMINISTERING OATH)

\_\_\_\_\_  
 (ALIEN REGISTRATION NUMBER)

**PROCEDURAL DIRECTIVE  
APPLICATION BY ALIEN FOR RELIEF FROM TRAINING AND  
SERVICE IN THE ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES  
SSS FORM 130  
(RIPS/RIMS)**

**1. PURPOSE**

This form provides the means for a treaty alien to request relief from training and service, pursuant to an Order to Report for Induction, based on his status as a national of a country with which an applicable treaty is in effect.

**2. PREPARATION**

Prepared in an original only. A photocopy is made of the complete form. The upper portion of the form is completed by the Area Office upon receipt of notification from the registrant that he is requesting consideration of a claim for exemption based on treaty alien status. The registrant completes and returns both the original and the copy to the Area Office by the return date specified on the form, along with the completed Claim Documentation Form - Alien or Dual National (SSS Form 26) and any other documentation necessary to support his entitlement to such exemption.

**3. DISTRIBUTION**

Immediately upon receipt, the Area Office will mail the original to: Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Washington, DC 20536. The Selective Service copy of the completed form is filed in the Registrant File Folder (SSS Form 101) following review by the Area Office.

**4. DISPOSAL**

The Selective Service copy is retained in and destroyed with the Registrant File Folder.