

## NOTICE REGARDING SUBSTITUTION OF PARTY UPON DEATH OF CLAIMANT RECONSIDERATION OF DISABILITY CESSATION

**PRIVACY ACT NOTICE:** The collection of information by use of this form is authorized by regulation 20 CFR 404.907-404.921 and 416.1407-416.14.21. While your responses are voluntary, we cannot act on your request without this information. Information you furnish may be disclosed by the Social Security Administration to another person or government agency only with respect to Social Security programs and to comply with Federal laws requiring disclosure or exchange of information between SSA and other government agencies.

We may also use the information you give us when we match records by computer. Matching programs compare our records with those of other Federal, State, or local government agencies. Many agencies may use matching programs to find or prove that a person qualifies for benefits paid by the Federal government. The law allows us to do this even if you do not agree to it.

Explanations about these and other reasons why information you provide us may be used or given out are available in Social Security Offices. If you want to learn more about this, contact any Social Security Office.

See Revised PA Statement

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See Revised PRA Statement

NAME OF DECEASED CLAIMANT	CLAIM FOR
WAGE EARNER'S NAME (LEAVE BLANK IF SAME AS ABOVE)	SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER

I have been informed that the claimant had requested reconsideration of a disability cessation but died before action on the request was completed. I understand that the deceased claimant's request for reconsideration of disability cessation may not be processed unless an eligible person is substituted. My relationship to the deceased claimant:

- WIDOW/WIDOWER
  SURVIVING DIVORCED SPOUSE

If you have checked either of the above boxes and have in your care the deceased's child (children) who is (are) under age 18 (or an eligible student) or disabled, check here

- CHILD
  DISABLED CHILD
  PARENT
  ADMINISTRATOR/EXECUTOR OF ESTATE
  OTHER (DESCRIBE) \_\_\_\_\_

**COMPLETE EITHER 1 OR 2**

1. I wish to be made a substitute party and to proceed with the reconsideration of a disability cessation requested by the deceased.

**CHECK EITHER a, b, OR c.**

If the Social Security Administration decides that a hearing is necessary:

- a. I want to come to the disability hearing in person as already scheduled  
 b. I want to come to a hearing in person but request a later time or different location (specify number of days, location desired)  
 c. I do not want to come to a hearing in person, and I request a decision on the evidence of record.

2. I do not wish to proceed with the reconsideration of a disability cessation requested by the deceased, and I hereby request withdrawal of the deceased's request for reconsideration of a disability cessation. I have had a full explanation of the effects of a withdrawal.

SIGNATURE (FIRST NAME, MIDDLE INITIAL, LAST NAME)	DATE (MONTH, DAY, YEAR)
Sign Here	TELEPHONE NUMBER (INCLUDE AREA CODE)

PRINT OR TYPE FULL NAME \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS (NUMBER AND STREET ADDRESS, P.O. BOX OR RURAL ROUTE) \_\_\_\_\_

CITY, STATE	ZIP CODE
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Witnesses are required only if this form has been signed by mark (X) above. If signed by mark (X), two witnesses to the signing who know the person requesting reconsideration must sign below, giving their full addresses.

1. SIGNATURE OF WITNESS	2. SIGNATURE OF WITNESS
ADDRESS (NUMBER AND STREET, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE)	ADDRESS (NUMBER AND STREET, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE)

***SSA will insert the following revised Privacy Act Statement into the form at its next scheduled reprinting:***

## **Privacy Act Statement**

### **Collection and Use of Personal Information**

Regulations 20 CFR 404.907-404.921 and 416.1407-416.14.21, authorize us to collect this information. We will use the information you provide on this form to reconsider disability cessation.

Completion of this form is voluntary, however, failure to provide all or part of the information could prevent us from making an accurate and timely decision on your reconsideration claim for disability.

We rarely use this information you supply for any purpose other than for determining continuing eligibility. However, we may use it for the administration and integrity of Social Security programs. We may also disclose information to another person or to another agency in accordance with approved routine uses, which include but are not limited to the following:

1. To enable a third party or an agency to assist Social Security in establishing rights to Social Security benefits and/or coverage;
2. To comply with Federal laws requiring the release of information from Social Security records (e.g., to the Government Accountability Office and Department of Veterans' Affairs);
3. To make determinations for eligibility in similar health and income maintenance programs at the Federal, State, and local level; and,
4. To facilitate statistical research, audit, or investigative activities necessary to assure the integrity and improvement of Social Security programs.

We may also use the information you provide in computer matching programs. Matching programs compare our records with records kept by other Federal, State, or local government agencies. Information from these matching programs can be used to establish or verify a person's eligibility for Federally-funded or administered benefit programs and for repayment of payments or delinquent debts under these programs.

Additional information regarding this form, routine uses of information, and our programs and systems is available on-line at [www.socialsecurity.gov](http://www.socialsecurity.gov) or at your local Social Security office.

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