

# Statement of Self-Employment Income

## Privacy Act Statement

See Revised Privacy Act Statement Attached

### Collection and Use of Personal Information

Sections 205(a) and 205(c)(2) of the Social Security Act, as amended, authorize us to collect this information. We will use the information you provide to make a determination of eligibility for Social Security benefits. Furnishing us this information is voluntary. However, failing to provide us with all or part of the information may prevent an accurate and timely decision on any claim filed. We rarely use the information you supply us for any purpose other than to make a determination regarding benefits eligibility. However, we may use the information for the administration of our programs including sharing information: 1. To comply with Federal laws requiring the release of information from our records (e.g., to the Government Accountability Office and Department of Veterans Affairs); and, 2. To facilitate statistical research, audit, or investigative activities necessary to ensure the integrity and improvement of our programs (e.g., to the Bureau of the Census and to private entities under contract with us). A complete list of when we may share your information with others, called routine uses, is available in our Privacy Act System of Records Notices 60-0059, entitled Earnings Recording and Self-Employment Income and 60-0089, entitled Claims Folders Systems. Additional information about these and other system of records notices and our programs are available online at [www.socialsecurity.gov](http://www.socialsecurity.gov) or at your local Social Security office. 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 incorrect payments or delinquent debts under these programs.

**Paperwork Reduction Act Statement** - This information collection meets the requirements of 44 U.S.C. § 3507, as amended by section 2 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. You do not need to answer these questions unless we display a valid Office of Management and Budget (OMB) control number. We estimate that it will take about 5 minutes to read the instructions, gather the facts, and answer the questions. **Send only comments relating to our time estimate above to:** SSA, 6401 Security Blvd, Baltimore, MD 21235-6401.

1. Name of Self-Employed Person	2. Social Security Number
3. Name and address of trade or business	4. Nature of trade or business

5. Net earnings from self-employment for the period From: \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

**In answering items numbered 6, 7, and 8 follow the same general rules used for computing your net earnings from self-employment on your Federal income tax return. (This is only an estimate of self-employment income and does not relieve the self-employed person from filing the proper tax return at the end of the taxable year.)**

6. The gross income of this business during the above period was not less than	\$
7. The total business expenses during the same period were not more than	\$
8. the net earnings were not less than (item 6 less item 7)	\$
9. If your actual net earnings at the end of your taxable year are less than \$400, will you report your self-employment income under the optional method?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

ANSWER 10 IN ALL CASES 10. Give the basis for your knowledge of the amounts shown above:

**I know that anyone who makes or causes to be made a false statement or representation of material fact in an application or for use in determining a right to payment under the Social Security Act commits a crime punishable under Federal law by fine, imprisonment or both. I affirm that all information I have given in this document is true.**

Date:	Signature of self-employed person or where self-employed person is deceased or incompetent, of person having knowledge of the facts.
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