

# Instructions for Completing Form SSA-1696-SUP1

**Keep a copy of this form for your records**

*In this document, “you” means the claimant, beneficiary, auxiliary or spouse. “Us” and “SSA” means the Social Security Administration.*

## **General Information About This Form**

This form is optional. Complete it only when applicable, either in-person at your local field office, mail it, or fax it to us. You should also tell your representative.

## **Revocation of a Representative’s Appointment**

You may use this form to end (revoke) an appointed representative’s authority at any time during the processing of your claim. You must sign and date your revocation and file it with us either in-person at your local field office, mail it, or fax it to us. You should also tell your representative. Once you revoke the appointment, we will no longer deal with the named representative. If you have no other representatives, you may continue with your claim unrepresented or appoint a new representative. If the individual you revoke is your principal representative, you must give the name of your new principal representative. The revocation will take effect on the date we receive the signed document.

## **Privacy Act Statement - Collection and Use of Personal Information**

Sections 206 and 1631(d) of the Social Security Act, as amended, allow us to collect this information. Furnishing us this information is voluntary. However, failing to provide all or part of the information may prevent us from ending the appointment of a representative authorized to act on your behalf.

We will use the information to revoke the appointment of your representative. We may also share your information for the following purposes, called routine uses:

- To a congressional office in response to an inquiry from that office made on behalf of, and at the request of, the subject of the record or a third party acting on the subject’s behalf;
- To a Federal, State, and local law enforcement agencies and private security contractors, as appropriate, information necessary:
  - (a) to enable them to protect the safety of Social Security Administration (SSA) employees and customers, the security of the SSA workplace, and the operation of SSA facilities; or
  - (b) to assist investigations or prosecutions with respect to activities that affect such safety and security or activities that disrupt the operation of SSA facilities; and
- To contractors and other Federal agencies, as necessary, for the purpose of assisting SSA in the efficient administration of its programs.

In addition, we may share this information in accordance with the Privacy Act and other Federal laws. For example, where authorized, we may use and disclose this information in computer matching programs, in which our records are compared with other records to establish or verify a person’s eligibility for Federal benefit programs and for repayment of incorrect or delinquent debts under these programs.

A list of additional routine uses is available in our Privacy Act System of Records Notices (SORN) 60-0089, entitled Claims Folders System, as published in the Federal Register (FR) on April 1, 2003, at 68 FR 15784; 60-0320, entitled Electronic Disability Claim File, as published in the FR on December 22, 2003, at 68 FR 71210; and 60-0325, entitled Appointed Representative File, as published in the FR on October 8, 2009, at 74 FR 51940. Additional information and a full listing of all our SORNs are available on our website at [www.ssa.gov/privacy](http://www.ssa.gov/privacy).

## **Paperwork Reduction Act Statement**

This information collection meets the clearance 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 control number. We estimate that it will take about 30 minutes to read the instructions, gather the facts, and answer the questions. You may send us your comments on our estimated completion time to **SSA, 6401 Security Blvd., Baltimore, MD 21235-6401**. Send only comments relating to our time estimate to this address, not the completed form.

## **References**

- 20 CFR §§ 404.1700 et. seq. and 416.1500 et. seq.

Claimant's Revocation of the Appointment of a Representative

You, the claimant, can stop your representative from working on your behalf. Complete, sign, and date the section below and submit it to one of our offices. Use a separate form for each appointment you want to revoke. Do not forget to enter your Social Security Number, and if you know it, your representative's identification number (Rep ID).

Claimant's Information

Claimant's Social Security Number

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Claimant's First Name	Initial	Last Name

Claimant's Address

City	State	ZIP/Postal Code

Representative's Information

Representative's Rep ID

I revoke the appointment of a representative that I previously appointed. I understand that this representative may be entitled to a fee. The representative is:

Name

This was my principal representative. I have appointed multiple representatives and I now name as my new principal representative:

Name

Representative's Address

City	State	ZIP/Postal Code

Claimant's Signature	Date