

Privacy Act Statement

Collection and Use of Personal Information

Sections 205, 223, 702, 1614, 1631, and 1869 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 re-evaluating the decision on your claim.

We will use the information to determine your eligibility for benefits. We may also share your information for the following purposes, called routine uses:

1. To representative payees, when the information pertains to individuals for whom they serve as representative payees, for the purpose of assisting the Social Security Administration in administering its representative payment responsibilities under the Act and assisting the representative payees in performing their duties as payees, including receiving and accounting for benefits for individuals for whom they serve as payees; and
2. To applicants, claimants, prospective applicants or claimants, other than the data subject, their authorized representatives or representative payees to the extent necessary to pursue Social Security claims and to representative payees when the information pertains to individuals for whom they serve as representative payees, for the purpose of assisting SSA in administering its representative payment responsibilities under the Act and assisting the representative payees in performing their duties as payees, including receiving and accounting for benefits for individuals for whom they serve as payees.

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 and 60-0103, entitled Supplemental Security Income Record and Special Veterans Benefits. Additional information and a full listing of all our SORNs are available on our website at www.ssa.gov/privacy.

See Revised PRA Statement Attached

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 control number. We estimate that it will take about 15 minutes to read the instructions, gather the facts, and answer the questions. *You may send comments on our time estimate above to: SSA, 6401 Security Blvd., Baltimore, MD 21235-6401. Send only comments relating to our time estimate to this address, not the completed form.*

SSA will insert the following revised PRA Statement into the form as soon as possible:

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