

Online Registration Process:

New Users – Register (No Change)



Welcome to e-Appeal, the e-filing and case management system for U.S. Merit Systems Protection Board (MSPB). e-Appeal enables individuals to file new appeals and for parties to an appeal to file pleadings and view the electronic case record, including issuances from MSPB.

New Users

Setup your account here. You must complete this one-time process if this is your first time accessing MSPB's new e-Appeal.

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Returning Users

Log in here if you have previously registered for an account in MSPB's new e-Appeal or are completing your account setup.

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Security Policy – Warning (No Change)

The screenshot displays the MSPB e-Appeal system interface. A central dialog box titled "Security Policy - Warning" is overlaid on the main content area. The dialog box contains the following text:

You are accessing a U.S. Government information system that is owned and operated by the U.S. Merit Systems Protection Board (MSPB). This information system is part of a system of records covered by the Privacy Act of 1974, 5 U.S.C. § 552a, and is accessible only to authorized users. This information system is provided for the processing of official U.S. Government-authorized use only. Unauthorized or improper use of this system may result in disciplinary action, as well as civil and criminal penalties as stated in 18 U.S.C. § 1030.

By using this information system, you understand and consent to the following:

- You have no reasonable expectation of privacy regarding any communications or data transiting or stored on this information system. At any time, the government may for any lawful government purpose monitor, intercept, search and seize any communication or data transiting or stored on this information system.
- Any communications or data transiting or stored on this information system may be disclosed or used for any lawful government purpose.
- Any unauthorized activities including altering information in e-Appeal, accessing the system by impersonating a registered e-Filer, and/or attempting to view information contained in any appeal by any person

At the bottom of the dialog box is a blue button labeled "Acknowledge".

The background interface shows a navigation bar with links: "About MSPB", "Appeal Process", "Technical Support", and "Regulations". The footer includes the U.S. Merit Systems Protection Board logo and name, and the Agency Contact Center information: "(202) 653-7200 mspb@mspb.gov".

Step 1 of 9: Instructions (No Change)



Instructions	Instructions	OMB No. 3124-0017, Exp. 09/30/2026
Paperwork Reduction Act Notice	Step 1 of 9 Next Step: Paperwork Reduction Act Notice	
Privacy Act Statement	Welcome to the new account setup for MSPB's e-Appeal. Account setup is expected to take less than 20 minutes and involves the following steps: • Selecting your e-Appeal role • Registering as an e-Filer • Providing your name and email address • Creating a username and password • Verifying your email address • Completing the account setup process with your address and phone number	
User Role		
e-Filer Consent		
Name and Email Address		
Username and Password		
Review Information		
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Step 2 of 9: Paperwork Reduction Act Notice (No Change)



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Privacy Act Statement	AUTHORITY: MSPB may hear appeals of Federal agency actions only when it has been authorized to do so by law, rule, or regulation. 5 U.S.C. § 7701 (a); 5 U.S.C. § 1204. PRINCIPAL PURPOSE(S): This information is being collected for the primary purposes of adjudicating the appeals and matters described above, rendering MSPB decisions in these matters, and enabling case parties to have access to MSPB's electronic filing system. Additionally, some information about the appeal or case is used in depersonalized form for statistical purposes. ROUTINE USE(S): The information on this form may be shared outside of MSPB as generally permitted under 5 U.S.C. § 552a(b) of the Privacy Act of 1974, as amended. This includes sharing the information as necessary and authorized by routine uses published in MSPB/GOVT - 1 Appeals and Case Records, 77 Fed. Reg. 65206 (Oct. 25, 2012), and upon written request, by agreement, or as required by law. MSPB decisions are available to the public under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. § 552, and are posted to MSPB's public website. Other documents from individual appeal and case files may also be made available as required by FOIA. DISCLOSURE: The disclosure of information on this form is voluntary; however, failure to provide the information requested may delay or prevent the proper docketing of a matter and/or, the adjudication of a matter, which could result in the dismissal or delay of your appeal or matter, and/or prevent access to MSPB's e-Appeal system.
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User Role

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Next Step: e-Filer Consent

☐ Appellant

Select this option if you plan to file a new appeal with MSPB, or if you have a pending appeal and want to register as an e-Filer with MSPB.

☐ Appellant Representative

Select this option if you plan to file a new appeal with MSPB on behalf of an individual, if you currently represent an appellant who has a pending appeal with MSPB, or if you provide legal support to an attorney appellant representative. You only need one "appellant representative" e-Appeal account to access appeals for which you are the designated representative.

☐ Agency Representative

Select this option if you are an agency representative or provide legal support to an agency representative. Your agency email address must be preregistered with e-Appeal before you can create your account. Please contact your agency work unit to confirm your preregistration.

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Step 5 of 9: e-Filer Consent (No Change)



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Username and Password

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Next Step: Name and Email Address

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To create a new e-Appeal account, you must consent to register as an e-Filer with MSPB.

Please review MSPB's e-filing regulations at [5 C.F.R. § 1201.14](#) and *MSPB e-Appeal: FAQ* on the MSPB website for additional information.

My obligations and responsibilities as a registered e-Filer:

- ☐ * I consent to accept electronic service of all pleadings filed by other registered e-Filers and all documents issued by the Board at the email address I register with MSPB. I understand that I will NOT receive MSPB issuances by U.S. mail or other nonelectronic means.
- ☐ * I consent to be a registered e-Filer in all appeals at MSPB.
- ☐ * I am responsible for ensuring that email from @mspb.gov is not blocked by filters.
- ☐ * I am responsible for monitoring e-Appeal for appeal activity to ensure I have received all case-related documents.
- ☐ * I am responsible for notifying MSPB and the other parties of any change in my email address by updating my email address in my e-Appeal account profile and filing a pleading in any pending appeals.
- ☐ * If I wish to withdraw my registration as an e-Filer, I must file a notice in writing in accordance with MSPB's e-Filing regulations. I will not have electronic access to my appeal(s) after my e-Filer registration is withdrawn.

Do you wish to register as an e-filer with MSPB? *

- ☐ I consent to register with MSPB as an e-Filer.

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	Appellants: Please list your first name as it appears on your official personnel records. For example, if your first name is "William" on your official personnel records, please list "William" to create your e-Appeal account (not "Bill" or "Willy").	
	First Name *	Middle Name
	Last Name *	Suffix
	Email Address *	Confirm Email Address *
	Primary Phone Type	Primary Phone Number
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Step 9 of 9: Verify Your Email (Updated)

Your request to create an account has been received and placed in the queue for processing.

Please note that the processing of your account may take up to 30-60 minutes. Once processed, you will receive an activation email that will **require you to select the prompt "Click Here to Activate Your e-Appeal Account."**

Once activated, you will be able to log in and complete your profile.



	
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