Application for Withdrawal



Judicial Retirement System (JRS)

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE JUDICIAL RETIREMENT SYSTEM (JRS) APPLICATION FOR WITHDRAWAL

Part 1 and Part 2 of the *Judicial Retirement System (JRS) Application for Withdrawal* are to be completed by the member and signed. The application should then be returned to the New Jersey Division of Pensions & Benefits (NJDPB). If you have difficulty completing this form, please call the JRS at (609) 690-4859 for assistance. The NJDPB cannot give tax advice.

PART 1

Item 2 — Address

Withdrawal checks must be mailed and cannot be picked up at the NJDPB. If you move between the time you file the application and the check is mailed, you may change your address by contacting the JRS at (609) 690-4859.

Item 8 — Reason For Termination

You must indicate the reason and date of your termination.

Item 9 — Workers' Compensation Cases

If you are receiving Workers' Compensation benefits, the NJDPB is required to send you an additional retirement benefit waiver form which you must complete and return before we can process your withdrawal.

Item 10 — Waiver Of Retirement Benefits

If you are age 60 or have at least five years of judicial service and at least 10 years in the aggregate of public service credit when you file for withdrawal, you must waive any rights you have to a retirement or death benefit. You must complete this waiver before your application can be processed. No withdrawal application can be processed until all the necessary information has been received from you and the Administrative Office of the Courts.

PART 2 — WITHDRAWAL OPTIONS

If Part 2 is not completed or completed incorrectly, the NJDPB will make your total withdrawal payable to you and withhold 20 percent federal income tax on the taxable portion of your payment.

Please carefully read the payment selection information on the following page, the instructions on the application, and the *Tax Information for Pension Distributions* Fact Sheet available on our website at *www.nj.gov/treasury/pensions* before completing this portion of your application. Your selection in Part 2 of the application cannot be changed once your application has been processed.

- Selection 1 If you choose this selection, the NJDPB will make your benefit check payable to you at the address listed in Part 1. Twenty percent of the taxable portion of your payment will be withheld as federal income tax.
- Selection 2 If you choose this selection, there will be a direct rollover of the entire taxable and non-taxable portion of your payment. This selection is only open to those whose taxable portion is \$200 or more. You must insert the name of the financial institution or employer plan that will accept your rollover. The NJDPB will mail a check to you which will be made payable to the institution or employer plan you selected to accept your rollover.
- Selection 3 If you choose this selection, there will be a direct rollover of a portion of your total payment. This selection is only open to those whose taxable portion is \$200 or more. You must insert the dollar amount you wish to roll over and the name of the financial institution or employer plan that will accept your rollover. The remaining portion of your withdrawal payment will be paid to you in a separate check, less 20 percent for federal tax, on the taxable amount of the remaining balance. If your total payment includes a return of after-tax contributions, both the direct rollover and the payment to you will include a portion of the after-tax contributions.

PART 3 — SIGNATURE

Be sure to sign and date your application. For your own protection, unsigned applications will not be processed. The NJDPB cannot accept photocopies or faxes of completed applications.

Note: If you are a member of the New Jersey State Employees Deferred Compensation Plan (NJSEDCP) or Supplemental Annuity Collective Trust (SACT), you must file separate applications for withdrawal from those plans. You can obtain an application by calling the NJSEDCP at 1-866-NJSEDCP, or SACT at (609) 292-7524.

EMPLOYER CERTIFICATION

The *Employer's Certification for Withdrawal* form must be filled out by your former employer after you have terminated employment. While the employer's certification does not have to accompany your *Judicial Retirement System (JRS) Application for Withdrawal*, we cannot process your application until we receive the employer's certification.

Return this completed application to:	New Jersey Division of Pensions & Benefits
	Judicial Retirement System
	P.O. Box 295
	Trenton, NJ 08625-0295



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DIVISION OF PENSIONS & BENEFITS — JUDICIAL RETIREMENT SYSTEM

P.O. Box 295, Trenton, NJ 08625-0295

JUDICIAL RETIREMENT SYSTEM (JRS) APPLICATION FOR WITHDRAWAL

Please read instructions carefully before completing the application.

PART 1 — MEMBER INFORMATION

1.	Name					
		First	Middle Initial		Last	
2.	Mailing Address _	Street	City		State	Zip Code
3.	Phone Number _					
4.	Date of Birth	/ /	_			
5.	Membership Num	ber		_		
6.	Social Security N	umber		_		
7.	Employer ADMIN	IISTRATIVE OFFICE	OF THE COURTS	_		
8.	Please indicate th	e reason and date yo	u terminated employment:	Resigned	Dismis	ssed
	Date/	/				
9.		0.	enefits under a claim filed fo formed in public employme		ensation base	ed on an
	🛛 I do 🗖 I do n	ot have a Workers' Co	ompensation claim or litigat	ion pending.		
10.	service credit whe This item must be will receive an est	n you file for withdrav completed before yo imate of the retiremer	years of judicial service an val, you must waive any rig our application can be proce nt and group life insurance pleted and returned before	hts you have to essed. If you do benefits for whic	a retirement not complete h you would	or death benefit. e the waiver, you be eligible and a
	Although I am eligible for retirement, I elect to withdraw my pension contributions and hereby waive my right to receive a lifetime monthly allowance and group life insurance at retirement in favor of receiving a refund of					
	my pension co	ontributions now.	Μ	1ember Signature		

Please Complete Part 2

Member's Name

Membership Number _____

PART 2 — WITHDRAWAL OPTIONS

Please carefully read the following section and indicate your choice by checking one of the boxes below. This selection is irrevocable once made. For an explanation of these selections, read the *Instructions for Completing the Judicial Retirement System (JRS) Application for Withdrawal.* If Part 2 is not completed or is completed incorrectly, the NJDPB will automatically withhold 20 percent federal income tax.

	Rollover is only available if the taxable portion of your payment is \$200 or more.				
		Note: Your selection is irrevocable.			
1.		Payment to me and withhold 20 percent federal income tax on the taxable portion of my payment.			
2.		Roll over the entire payment including any after-tax contributions to the following institution or employer plan:			
		This is an: IRA I Eligible Employer Plan I Roth IRA			
3.		A partial rollover of \$ (dollar amount) of my payment to the following financial institution or employer plan with the remaining amount paid to me (after withholding 20 percent federal income tax on the taxable portion):			
		This is an: IRA I Eligible Employer Plan I Roth IRA			
		Note: The rollover payment will include an allocable portion of any after-tax contribution.			

PART 3 — SIGNATURE

By signing this Judicial Retirement System (JRS) Application for Withdrawal, I certify that I have read the instructions included with this form and the Tax Information for Pension Distributions Fact Sheet, and fully understand the tax options available to me including the option to rollover my benefit to an IRA or eligible employer plan. I further certify that, if I have elected a rollover under option 2 or 3 above, the receiving IRA or eligible employer plan is eligible to receive my rollover from this qualified plan (as described in the fact sheet above) and will accept any after-tax contributions included in my rollover. I understand that my selection in Part 2 cannot be changed.

Member Signature

_____/____ Date



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Date

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	MPLOYER'S	CERTIFICATION	FOR WITHDRAWAL
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This form must be completed by the former employer.

Name of Member			
Membership Number		_ Social Security Numbe	er
This certification will be deduction from salary h		nent due to the member	. Do not complete this form until the last
I certify that	Name of Former Employee	D	resigned was dismissed (no appeal pending) was dismissed (appeal pending)
from this organization o	n / / .	The last pension deduc	tion was made / .

The employee \Box is \Box is not receiving periodic benefits under a claim filed for Workers' Compensation based on an injury incurred as a result of service performed in public employment and \Box does \Box does not have a Workers' Compensation claim or litigation pending.

Certification of Salary Deductions Only to Be Completed for Any Unposted Pension Contributions

I certify that the following deductions have been made from the employee's salary during the last two quarterly periods ending with the current quarter. State biweekly reporting agencies must attach a completed *Supplemental Biweekly Certification of Employing Agency* or a screen print of the Centralized Payroll History screen in lieu of completing this item.

QUARTER ENDING	BASE SALARY SUBJECT TO CONTRIBUTIONS THIS QUARTER	FULL RATE (%)	PENSION CONTRIBUTION	LOAN REPAYMENT	BACK DEDUCTIONS	ARREARS AND/OR PURCHASES	TOTAL PENSION CONTRIBUTIONS	SACT YES OR NO
	\$		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
	\$		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	

Print Name of Certifying Officer

Telephone Number

Email Address

Biweekly Pay Period /Year

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE JUDICIAL RETIREMENT SYSTEM (JRS) EMPLOYER'S CERTIFICATION FOR WITHDRAWAL

This certification must be completed by the employer when a member files for the withdrawal of pension contributions. Please mail this completed form to the address below. Failure to provide this information will delay processing of the member's *Judicial Retirement System (JRS) Application for Withdrawal*. If you need assistance in completing this certification, call the JRS at (609) 690-4859.

ITEMS REQUIRING SPECIAL ATTENTION

Reason For Leaving

You must indicate the member's reason for leaving. Place an (X) in the appropriate box indicating whether the member resigned or was dismissed with or without an appeal. This information is required before processing the *Judicial Retirement System (JRS) Application for Withdrawal.*

Termination Date

A member must terminate employment before this certification can be submitted to the NJDPB. Include the date of termination and the date of the last pension deduction. State biweekly reporting agencies must enter the number and year of the last pay period of the last pension deduction.

Workers' Compensation

Please indicate if the member was receiving periodic benefits under a claim filed for Workers' Compensation. Place an (X) in the box to indicate if the member is or is not receiving these benefits. You must also indicate with an (X) if the member does or does not have a Workers' Compensation claim or litigation pending. This information is required before processing the *Judicial Retirement System (JRS) Application for Withdrawal.*

Salary Deductions

Indicate the following: (1) quarter ending, (2) amount of monthly base salary subject to contributions, (3) full rate of contribution, (4) the dollar amount of the deduction, (5) loan repayment amount (if any), (6) back deductions, (7) arrears or purchase deductions, (8) the total pension contributions (include all deductions for the quarter), and (9) answer "Yes" or "No" to whether the member contributed to the Supplemental Annuity Collective Trust (SACT).

Submit this certification to: New Jersey Division of Pensions & Benefits Judicial Retirement System P.O. Box 295 Trenton, NJ 08625-0295