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**Request for Leave or Approved Absence**

OPM Form 71

1. Name (Last, first, middle)		2. Employee or Social Security Number (Enter only the last 4 digits of the Social Security Number (SSN))				
3. Organization						
4. Type of Leave/Absence (Check appropriate boxes below)	Date From	To	Time From	To	Total Hours	5. Family and Medical Leave
<input type="checkbox"/> Accrued Annual Leave						If annual leave, sick leave, or leave without pay will be used under the Family and Medical Leave Act of 1993, please provide the following information:  <input type="checkbox"/> I hereby invoke my entitlement to Family and Medical Leave for:  <input type="checkbox"/> Birth/Adoption/Foster Care <input type="checkbox"/> Serious health condition of spouse, son, daughter, or parent <input type="checkbox"/> Serious health condition of self  <i>Contact your supervisor and/or your personnel office to obtain additional information about your entitlements and responsibilities under the Family and Medical Leave Act. Medical certification of a serious health condition may be required by your agency.</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Restored Annual Leave						
<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced Annual Leave						
<input type="checkbox"/> Accrued Sick Leave						
<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced Sick Leave						
Purpose: <input type="checkbox"/> Illness/injury/incapacitation of requesting employee <input type="checkbox"/> Medical/dental/optical examination of requesting employee <input type="checkbox"/> Care of family member, including medical/dental/optical examination of family member, or bereavement <input type="checkbox"/> Care of family member with a serious health condition <input type="checkbox"/> Other						
<input type="checkbox"/> Compensatory Time Off						
<input type="checkbox"/> Other Paid Absence <i>(specify in remarks)</i>						
<input type="checkbox"/> Leave Without Pay						
6. Remarks:						
7. Certification: I hereby request leave/approved absence from duty as indicated above and certify that such leave/absence is requested for the purpose(s) indicated. I understand that I must comply with my employing agency's procedures for requesting leave/ approved absence (and provide additional documentation, including medical certification, if required) and that falsification on this form may be grounds for disciplinary action, including removal.						
7a. Employee Signature			7b. Date			
8.a Official Action on Request: <input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Disapproved						
8b. Reason for Disapproval:						
8c. Supervisor Signature				Bd. Date		
PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT Section 6311 of Title 5, United States Code, authorizes collection of this information. The primary use of this information is by management and your payroll office to approve and record your use of leave. Additional disclosures of the information may be: to the Department of Labor when processing a claim for compensation regarding a job connected injury or illness; to a State unemployment compensation office regarding a claim; to Federal Life Insurance or Health Benefits carriers regarding a claim; to a Federal, State, or local law enforcement agency when your agency becomes aware of a violation or possible violation of civil or criminal law; to a Federal agency when conducting an investigation for employment or security reasons; to the Office of Personnel Management or the General Accounting Office when the information is required for evaluation of leave administration; or the General Services Administration in connection with its responsibilities for records management. Public Law 104-134 (April 26, 1996) requires that any person doing business with the Federal Government furnish a social security number or tax identification number. This is an amendment to Title 31, Section 7701. Furnishing the social security number, as well as other data, is voluntary, but failure to do so may delay or prevent action on the application. If your agency uses the information furnished on this form for purposes other than those indicated above, it may provide you with an additional statement reflecting those purposes.						