



U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
OFFICE OF JUSTICE PROGRAMS
BUREAU OF JUSTICE ASSISTANCE
PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICERS' BENEFITS PROGRAM
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20531
**REPORT OF PUBLIC SAFETY
OFFICER'S DEATH**

FOR DOJ USE ONLY

CASE # _____

DATE RECEIVED _____

This information is being requested pursuant to the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968, as amended (42 U.S.C. 3796), and the disclosure is voluntary. This form will be used by the Department of Justice to determine eligibility of a claimant for the payment of benefits and the information may be disclosed to Federal, State and local agencies to verify eligibility for benefits. Disclosure of an individual's Social Security number is mandatory. Failure to supply all of the requested information may result in a delay in processing this form and receipt of benefits. **PLEASE PRINT PLAINLY OR TYPE.**

1. NAME AND MAILING ADDRESS OF PUBLIC SAFETY AGENCY, ORGANIZATION OR UNIT IN WHOSE SERVICE DEATH OCCURRED (Include zip code)

PART I: NOTICE OF LINE OF DUTY DEATH OF PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER

2. DECEASED OFFICER'S NAME (Last, First, Middle) 3. DATE OF INJURY 4. DATE OF DEATH 5. SOCIAL SECURITY NO.

6. DECEASED OFFICER'S LAST MAILING ADDRESS (Include zip code) 7. NAME OF DECEDENT'S SUPERIOR OFFICER 8. SUPERVISOR'S AREA CODE AND PHONE NO.

9. AT THE TIME OF INJURY WHICH RESULTED IN DEATH WAS THE OFFICER WORKING A REGULAR SHIFT OR AN ASSIGNED OVERTIME SHIFT? YES NO IF NO, ATTACH AFFIDAVIT EXPLAINING THE OFFICER'S DUTY STATUS.

<p><u>AS A</u></p> <p>POLICE OFFICER <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>CORRECTIONS OFFICER <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>PROBATION OFFICER <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>PAROLE OFFICER <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>FIREFIGHTER <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>JUDICIAL OFFICER <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>AMBULANCE AND RESCUE SQUAD MEMBER <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>OTHER (Specify) <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p><u>IN THE SERVICE OF</u></p> <p>STATE GOVERNMENT <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>LOCAL UNIT OF GOVERNMENT <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>FEDERAL GOVERNMENT <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>LEGALLY ORGANIZED VOLUNTEER FIRE, AMBULANCE OR RESCUE SQUAD DEPARTMENT, ORGANIZED, CHARTERED OR FORMED BY A PUBLIC AGENCY TO ACT ON ITS BEHALF IN PROVIDING FIRE OR RESCUE SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>OTHER (Specify) <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p><u>OFFICER'S EMPLOYMENT STATUS WHEN INJURY OCCURRED</u></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> FULL-TIME</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> PART-TIME</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> VOLUNTEER</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify)</p>
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11. WAS INJURY CONTRIBUTED TO BY:

	YES	NO	UNKNOWN
OFFICER'S GROSS NEGLIGENCE?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
OFFICER'S INTENTIONAL MISCONDUCT?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
OFFICER'S INTENT TO BRING ABOUT HIS OWN DEATH?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
OFFICER'S VOLUNTARY INTOXICATION?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
ANY PERSON WHO MAY BE ENTITLED TO BENEFIT?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

(Attach explanations for any "yes" answers.)

PART II: PLEASE CHECK AND ATTACH ALL APPLICABLE REPORTS RELATING TO THE DIRECT CAUSE OF OR APPROXIMATE CAUSE OF DEATH.

12. CERTIFIED COPY OF ORIGINAL REPORTS

DETAILED STATEMENT OF CIRCUMSTANCES <input type="checkbox"/>	DEATH CERTIFICATE <input type="checkbox"/>
INVESTIGATION <input type="checkbox"/>	HOSPITAL RECORDS (If required) <input type="checkbox"/>
AUTOPSY <input type="checkbox"/>	OTHER (Specify) <input type="checkbox"/>
TOXICOLOGY ANALYSIS <input type="checkbox"/>	

13. IF KNOWN, GIVE NAME AND ADDRESS OF WITNESS(ES) WITH WHOM OFFICER WAS INVOLVED WHEN INJURED, IF NOT PROVIDED IN THE ABOVE REPORTS.

PART III: INFORMATION CONCERNING POSSIBLE CLAIMANTS Provision of this information does not constitute a finding for or against an Interim Payment of Benefits of Final Award of Benefits. If officer was not married at the time of his death, but was cohabitating with another person in what could be considered as a common-law marriage, please indicate that relationship below.

14. NAMES, RELATIONSHIP, AND ADDRESS OF PERSONS IN PRECEDENCE ORDER AND APPLICABILITY CATEGORY AS FOLLOWS:

	NAME (Last, First, Middle)	DATE OF BIRTH	ADDRESS (City, State, & Zip Code)
SURVIVING SPOUSE OR COHABITANT			
CHILDREN: NATURAL, ADOPTED, STEPCHILDREN, POSTHUMOUS, OUT OF WEDLOCK, REGARDLESS OF AGE OR DEPENDENCY STATUS			
SURVIVING PARENT(S) WHEN NEITHER SPOUSE NOR CHILDREN SURVIVE DECEDENT			

15. HAS A LEGAL GUARDIAN BEEN APPOINTED FOR ANY OF THE ABOVE MENTIONED CHILDREN? YES NO
(If "yes," give name and mailing address of guardian)

GUARDIAN(S) NAME	ADDRESS (Include Zip)	GUARDIAN FOR: (List children's names)

SAMPLE

PART IV: INFORMATION CONCERNING OTHER CLAIMS

16. TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE HAS OR WILL A CLAIM BE FILED FOR BENEFITS UNDER:

	YES	NO
A. EMPLOYER'S COMPENSATION ACT, SECTION 8191, TITLE 5, U.S. CODE	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B. DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA RETIREMENT AND DISABILITY ACT OF SEPTEMBER 1, 1916, AS AMENDED, D.C. CODE, SECTION 4-622	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

PART V: CERTIFICATIONS A false answer to any question in this Statement may be grounds for non-payment of benefits and may be punishable by fine or imprisonment (U.S. Code, Title 18, Sec. 1001). All the information you give will be considered in reviewing the claim and is subject to investigation.

17. EMPLOYING ORGANIZATION — To the best of my knowledge and belief, the above stated information is true and complete.

TYPED NAME & TITLE OF EMPLOYING AGENCY HEAD	SIGNATURE OF EMPLOYING AGENCY HEAD	DATE
ORGANIZATION	ADDRESS (Include zip code)	PHONE NO.

18. IS THERE A RETIREMENT/DISABILITY BOARD, WORKERS COMPENSATION BOARD, COURT, OR OTHER ENTITY WHICH WILL CONSIDER THE FACTS OF THIS CASE IN ORDER TO DETERMINE ELIGIBILITY FOR OTHER BENEFITS?

YES NO

If "yes," please give address and telephone number for each entity.

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