

MoDOT & Patrol Employees' Retirement System

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Leave of Absence

This form is required when a member goes on and returns from any type of <u>unpaid</u> leave of absence.

~Instructions on reverse side of form~

Member Information			
Name: (Last, First, MI)	<u>Last 4 Digits</u> of Social Security Number:	District/Division/Troop:	
	XXX-XX-		

Creditable Unpaid Leaves of Absence

Check the appropriate box for the type of creditable unpaid leave of absence.

Check Box	SAM II Code	Description of the Type of Leave
	L17	Family Medical Leave Act of 1993 (FMLA) used for member – Up to 12 weeks of service credit
	L01	Family Medical Leave Act of 1993 (FMLA) used for the member's family – Up to 12 weeks of service credit
	L02	Military Leave
	L03	Workers' Compensation
	L07	Sickness or Injury Leave Without Pay used for the member – Up to one year of service credit
	L14	Extended Leave With Pay
	L15	Extended LOA Without Pay used for the member due to illness – Up to one year of service credit
		Other Leave Without Pay (for up to 10 working days) – this type of leave does not need to be coded in SAM II

Non-Creditable Unpaid Leaves of Absence

Check the appropriate box for the type of non-creditable unpaid leave of absence.

Check Box	SAM II Code	Description of the Type of Leave	
	L05	Educational Leave	
	L08	Special Leave Without Pay	
	L11	Unauthorized Leave	
	L15	Extended LOA Without Pay used for the member for reasons other than illness	
	C60	Non-Exempt Employee Suspension	
	C61	Extension of Suspension	
	C62	Exempt Employee Suspension	

Effective Date of Leave and Pay Rate Complete all information regarding the member's effective date of leave. Effective Date of Leave: (mm/dd/yyyy) Last Day Paid: (mm/dd/yyyy) Pay Rate as of Leave of Absence Date: Full Day Partial Day

Date Returned to Work

Complete all information regarding the member's return f	rom the LOA ana any pay thcreases the member was alle while on leave.

Date Returning From Leave: (mm/dd/yyyy)	If the member was due any pay increases w	while on the leave of absence,
	please indicate the effective date(s) and the	respective pay rate(s) for all
	applicable increases.	
For Military Leave Only: By initialing on the line provided, I certify the	Effective Date of Pay Increase (mm/dd/yyyy)	New Pay Rate
above referenced employee:	/ /	
Was re-hired within the required USERRA eligibility	/ /	
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Signature	
Signature of District/Division/Troop Representative:	Date:

attached).

guidelines in a benefit eligible position, and

Provided the necessary proof documents (must be

Instructions

This form is required to be completed when a member goes on and returns from any type of unpaid leave of absence.

When a member goes on an unpaid leave of absence:

- 1. Complete the member's information name, social security number, and district/division/troop where employed.
- 2. Mark the applicable box to indicate which type of leave the member is on the corresponding SAM II leave codes are listed immediately to the right of the box. (Other unpaid LOAs of 10 days or less do not need to be coded in SAM II and therefore do not have a leave code.)
- 3. Specify the effective date of leave.
- 4. Specify the last day the member actually received pay before going on the unpaid LOA; mark the respective box to indicate whether it was a full day of pay or only a partial day of pay.
- 5. Indicate the pay rate (hourly if wage employee; semi-monthly if salary employee) of the member as of the LOA date
- 6. Sign and date the completed form and forward original to MPERS; keep a copy for your records and to use when the member returns from the unpaid LOA.

When a member returns from an unpaid leave of absence:

- 1. Copy the form submitted when the member went on the unpaid LOA.
- 2. Specify the date the member returned from the LOA.
- 3. If it was a military LOA and met USERRA eligibility guidelines, initial the "For Military Leave Only" box on the front of this form and attach the necessary proof document(s).
- 4. If the member was due pay increase(s) while on LOA, please indicate the effective date(s) and the respective pay rate(s).
- 5. Sign and date the completed form and forward to MPERS.

USERRA Guidelines for Military Leave

Length of Military Service	When Member Must Report/Apply for State Employment
1-30 Days	Member must report for work by the beginning of the first regularly scheduled work
	day that falls 8 hours after returning home. If timely reporting is impossible or
	unreasonable through no fault of the member, the member must report to work as soon as possible.
31-180 Days	Member must submit an application for reemployment no later than 14 days after
·	completion of military service. If submission of a timely application is impossible or
	unreasonable through no fault of the member, the application must be submitted as
	soon as possible.
180+ Days	Member must submit an application for reemployment <u>no later than 90 days</u> after
	completion of military service.
Service Connected	The reporting and application deadlines described above will be extended up to 2
Injury or Illness	years if the member is hospitalized or convalescing because of a service connected
	injury or illness. If timely reporting within the 2-year period is impossible or
	unreasonable due to circumstances beyond the member's control, the period is
	extended by the minimum time required to accommodate those circumstances.