

PERA Retiree Exemption from Membership-Public Safety

Instructions: Please print or type in dark ink. This form must be completed in its entirety and submitted to PERA via regular mail, fax, or e-mail to noreply.records@pera.nm.gov for processing.

Section 1 Information About You

Social Security Number or PERA ID		Name (First, Middle, last)	
Date of Birth	Phone Number	Email Address	
Mailing Address		City	State Zip Code
PERA Retirement Date		Pre-retirement Position Title	

Section 2 Information About Your Exclusion

Please review the retiree exclusion categories on the next page and check the box that applies to your application for exclusion (CHECK ONE BOX ONLY).

Adult Correctional Officer	Firefighter	Protective Services Investigator
Adult Detention Officer	Juvenile Correctional Officer	Public Safety Telecommunicator
Courthouse Security Officer	Juvenile Detention Officer	Sheriff's Deputy
Emergency Medical Dispatcher	Peace Officer	State Police Officer
Emergency Medical Technician or Paramedic	Municipal Police Officer	

Section 3 Retiree Certification

I hereby certify that (1) I have not been employed as an employee of an affiliated public employer or retained as an independent contractor by the affiliated public employer from which I retired for at least ninety (90) consecutive days from the date I retired to the commencement of subsequent employment or reemployment with an affiliated public employer, (2) I was retired prior to December 31, 2023, (3) I am required to make non-refundable contributions under the applicable coverage plan during the entire period of subsequent employment, (4) I shall not become a member during the period of subsequent employment, (5) I shall not accrue service credit for any portion of the period of subsequent employment, (5) I shall have no seniority based on pre-retirement employment, and (6) I shall have no limitation on the length of time that I can be subsequently employed or reemployed by an affiliated public employer provided that I only receive up to thirty- six consecutive months of pension payments while reemployed.

Signature of Retiree	Date (mm/dd/ccyy)
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Section 4 Your Current Employment Information (To be completed by Employer)

Name of Employer	PERA Employer Number	PERA Plan
Date of Hire (mm/dd/ccyy)	Termination Date (mm/dd/ccyy)	Salaried/All Other Employees Hourly Rate
		Part-time (more than 20 but less than 30 hours per week) Yes No

Employer Certification: I hereby certify that (1) I will track and document the date of hire and date of separation for each reemployed retired member, (2) the retired member's employment position prior to retirement, (3) the salary of each re-employed retired member, and (4) the monthly vacancy rate for each employment position at the affiliated public employer. I also certify if the affiliated public employer has to lay off employees due to budgetary restrictions, the entity will lay off re-employed retired members before laying off any members, retired members shall not be hired for reemployment into a position with a vacancy rate that is lower than ten percent at the time of the retired member's hiring, and subsequent employment must begin prior to July 1, 2027.

Authorized Employer* Printed Name	Title	Email Address	Phone
Signature of Authorized Employer*			Date (mm/dd/ccyy)

*HR Manager, Payroll Manager or Finance Manager

RETIREE EXCLUSION CATEGORIES

Read and select the category that applies to you. Check the corresponding box on the reverse side of this form.

Adult Correctional Officer is defined as a person who is employed as an adult correctional officer or an adult correctional officer specialist by a state correctional facility of the corrections department or its successor agency.

Adult Detention Officer is defined as a person who is employed by an affiliated public employer other than the state and who has inmate custodial responsibilities at a facility used for the confinement of adults charged with or convicted of a violation of a law or ordinance.

Courthouse Security Officer is defined as a person who is employed by the administrative office of the courts who provides security or protective services for a courthouse.

Emergency Medical Dispatcher is defined as a person who is trained and licensed pursuant to the Emergency Medical Services Act and who receives calls for emergency medical assistance, provides pre-arrival medical instructions, dispatches emergency medical assistance and coordinates its response.

Emergency Medical Technician is defined as a person who is licensed as an emergency medical technician or paramedic and who provides patient care pursuant to the Emergency Medical Services Act.

Firefighter is defined as a person who is employed as a full-time non-volunteer firefighter by an affiliated public employer who has taken the oath for firefighters and who serves in a non-management position serving or supporting the delivery of emergency services in a front line capacity.

Juvenile Correctional Officer is defined as a person who is employed as a juvenile correctional officer by the Children, Youth and Families Department or its successor agency.

Juvenile Detention Officer is defined as a person who is employed as a juvenile detention officer or youth program officer by an affiliated public employer other than the state.

Municipal Police Officer is defined as a person who is employed by an affiliated public employer other than the state or a county and who is a law enforcement officer who serves in a uniformed patrol capacity responding to dispatched calls for service.

Peace Officer is defined as a person who is appointed by the attorney general or district attorney and who is a certified law enforcement officer who investigates and enforces state laws, rules and regulations, including the execution of warrants.

Protective Services Investigator is defined as a person who is an employee of the protective services division of the Children, Youth and Families Department who investigates child abuse referrals, assesses the risk and safety of the child and takes appropriate action or prepares cases for transfer to child protective services permanency planning.

Public Safety Telecommunicator is defined as a person who is an employee of a safety agency who receives calls or dispatches the appropriate personnel or equipment in response to calls for police, fire or medical services and makes decisions affecting the life, health or welfare of the public or safety employees and who has qualified for the certification set forth in the Public Safety Telecommunicator Training Act.

Sheriff's Deputy is defined as a person who is employed by a county and who is a law enforcement officer who serves in a uniformed patrol capacity responding to dispatched calls for service or serves as a courthouse security officer employed by a county

State Police Officer is defined as a person who is an officer of the New Mexico state police division of the department of public safety, who has taken the oath prescribed for such officers and who serves in a uniformed patrol capacity responding to dispatched calls for service.