



MANDATORY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT/CERTIFICATION

GENERAL INFORMATION	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If married, member's spouse must complete Section II, Part A If not married, member must complete Section II, Part B 	NOTE: Only one person should sign this form. Under no circumstances should Member's spouse and Member sign.

SECTION I – MEMBER INFORMATION	
Member Name:	Last 4 of SS#:

SECTION II – MUST BE COMPLETED IN THE PRESENCE OF A NOTARY PUBLIC OR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE	
MUST BE DATED ON OR AFTER THE DATE ON RETIREMENT APPLICATION**	

PART A. SPOUSAL ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I hereby affirm under penalties of perjury that I am the spouse of the member identified above and that I have been informed of and understand the pension payment plan selected by my spouse on his/her application for New Hampshire Retirement System benefits.

Signature of Spouse:	**Date:
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!!! STOP !!! – MEMBER DOES NOT SIGN THIS FORM IF HIS OR HER SPOUSE HAS ALREADY SIGNED IT

PART B. MEMBER CERTIFICATION

I hereby affirm under penalties of perjury that at this time **I am not married.** Therefore I am not required to submit a Mandatory Spousal Acknowledgement with my application for New Hampshire Retirement System benefits.

Signature of Member:	**Date:
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SECTION III –ACKNOWLEDGEMENT – TO BE COMPLETED BY NOTARY/JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

State of:	County of:
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Signed and affirmed before me on this _____ day of _____, _____,
 by _____
Name of Person Who Signed in Section II Above

Signature of Notary Officer:

Title:

Expiration Date:	Seal

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