

**CERTIFICATION OF EMPLOYMENT  
UNDER SECTION 212**



TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM  
OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK (TRS)  
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**(NOTE: Please print in black or blue ink, and initial any changes that you make on this form.)**

**PART A:** All information must be provided.

First Name	MI	Last Name	Social Security Number (last 4 digits only)
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Permanent Home Address	Apt. No.	TRS Retirement Number	
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	
City	State	Zip Code	Primary Phone Number (Check one: <input type="checkbox"/> Home <input type="checkbox"/> Work <input type="checkbox"/> Mobile)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
			Alternate Phone Number (Check one: <input type="checkbox"/> Home <input type="checkbox"/> Work <input type="checkbox"/> Mobile)
			<input type="text"/>

Please keep your personal information with TRS up to date. We will update our records based on the information you provide above, so *do not enter a temporary address*; instead, TRS suggests that you consult the U.S. Postal Service about having your mail forwarded on a temporary basis. To register any changes to your permanent address (and/or phone number), please access our website or file a "Member's Change of Address Form" (code DM13) with TRS.

If you are providing new information above, please indicate the effective date:   
(MM/DD/YYYY)

- TRS service retirees may return to public employment with New York State or any of its political subdivisions. However, if you are under age 65, you must complete this form and return it to TRS if you anticipate that the total of your post-retirement earnings plus the pension portion of your allowance will exceed \$1,800 annually. If you do not file this form and you exceed this amount, you will risk having to repay the excess earnings or forfeiting your retirement allowance for a period of time equal to the length of your public employment.
- While working under a Section 212 Waiver, you are entitled to earn up to a designated limit (generally determined annually by the New York State Legislature) without jeopardizing your retirement allowance. However, if you exceed the earnings limit, your retirement allowance would be suspended, generally for the rest of the calendar year.
- Please note that this form is only valid for the calendar year in which it is filed (which you must indicate in Part C). You must file a new form for each calendar year that you work in public service for New York State or any of its political subdivisions until the year in which you reach age 65.
- For more information, including the current Section 212 earnings limit, please refer to the *Earnings After Retirement* brochure.
- For your convenience, TRS forms and publications are available on our website. If you require additional assistance, please contact our Member Services Center at 1 (888) 8-NYC-TRS.



**PART B:** Please provide the requested information.

Current employer: \_\_\_\_\_  
(e.g., New York City Department of Education)

Title of position from which you retired: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART C:** Please complete the following, then enter your name and date below.

*I, \_\_\_\_\_, a TRS service retiree, certify that I have accepted a position in public service with New York State or its political subdivisions and want to continue to receive my retirement allowance.*

*I understand that, if my earnings from public service exceed the earnings limit permitted under Section 212 for the calendar year \_\_\_\_\_, my retirement allowance may be suspended in accordance with applicable provisions of the law.*

MEMBER'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
(MM/DD/YYYY)

