



PUBLIC EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT ADMINISTRATION COMMISSION  
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# Introduction

## Beneficiary Change Form - Option B (If Member Dies After Retirement) Pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 32, Sections 11(2)(b) and 12(2)(b)

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The *Beneficiary Change Form - Option B* allows a retired member to select a beneficiary or beneficiaries to receive payment of any accumulated deductions remaining in his/her account when the member dies after retirement.

Keep in mind:

- Any person, persons or entity can be named as an Option B beneficiary.
- Option B beneficiary(ies) can be changed at any time.
- Your selection on this form will supersede any earlier beneficiary(ies) selected by you.

# Beneficiary Change Form - Option B (If Member Dies After Retirement)

Pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 32, Sections 11(2)(b) and 12(2)(b)

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**Retirement Board:** Please enter your retirement board information here.

Name of Retirement Board:

Address:

City/Town:

Telephone:

Zip Code:

Fax:

## Member's Information:

Member's Last Name

Member's First Name

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Social Security # (last four)

Street Address:

City/Town:

State:

Zip Code:

Email:

Phone:

## Choice of Beneficiary to Receive a Return of Accumulated Total Deductions Remaining in a Member's Annuity Account at Member's Death

I, (Print Name) \_\_\_\_\_, a member of the \_\_\_\_\_ Retirement System, have chosen to be retired under the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 32, Section 12(2)(b) ("Option B"). I hereby request that the retirement board pay any sum payable under that section of the law to the beneficiary or beneficiaries I have listed on the following page.

The amounts payable under Option B consist of:

- The payment of any accumulated deductions credited to a retired member's account in the annuity reserve fund at the date of death.
- The amount of any pro-rata share of retirement allowance due to the member on the date of his/her death.

I understand that I may change this beneficiary designation at any time by filing a new *Beneficiary Change Form - Option B*.

Member Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ SSN: \*\*\*-\*\*-\_\_\_\_\_

Beneficiary Information:			% of Benefit**
Full Name: (First, MI, Last):	SSN/EIN*:		
Relationship to You:	Phone:	Date of Birth:	
Address:			
Full Name: (First, MI, Last):	SSN/EIN*:		
Relationship to You:	Phone:	Date of Birth:	
Address:			
Full Name: (First, MI, Last):	SSN/EIN*:		
Relationship to You:	Phone:	Date of Birth:	
Address:			
Full Name: (First, MI, Last):	SSN/EIN*:		
Relationship to You:	Phone:	Date of Birth:	
Address:			
Full Name: (First, MI, Last):	SSN/EIN*:		
Relationship to You:	Phone:	Date of Birth:	
Address:			
*Beneficiary's full Social Security Number (SSN) or Employer Identification Number (EIN), if an organization. **Total must equal 100%; if no percentages are indicated, benefit will be allocated equally among lump-sum beneficiaries.			0%

**Member's Signature:**

Name (Print): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**To Be Completed By Witness (should be disinterested party):**

Name (Print): \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/Town: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*PLEASE NOTE: THIS FORM MUST BE NOTARIZED\***