

New Employee Information Form

Client Name: _____
Date Entered: _____
Initials: _____

Personal Data (name as shown on Social Security Card)

First	Middle	Last
Social Security		Date of Birth
Address		
City / State / Zip		Home Phone
Emergency Contact		Relationship
Address		Phone
Employee Signature		Date

Payroll Data-For Office Use Only

To be completed by the employee's Manager or Supervisor only

New Hire Re-Hire ___ / ___ / _____
Start Date

Employee Number: _____ Workers Compensation Class Code: _____

Job Description: _____

Pay Frequency: Weekly Biweekly Semi-Monthly Monthly

Pay Type: Hourly – Rate of Pay \$ _____ (Per Hour)

Annual – Salary \$ _____

Status Full Time Part Time Seasonal Temporary

I understand that the employee is not active until all completed forms are received by Atlas Resources

 Authorized Supervisor or Manager Signature

 TITLE

 DATE

Atlas Resources, Inc. Employment Application



Personal Data

First Name	Middle	Last
Day Time Phone	Evening Phone	Social Security Number
Current Street Address		
City/State/Zip		
Are you at least 18 years of age?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

NOTE: *Proof of employment eligibility and identity of all employees is required under The Immigration Reform and Control Act.*

Have you ever been employed by Atlas Resources company/Client?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
If Yes, indicate name of company, location, dates:		

Physical Application

Can you safely and productively perform all of the requirements of the job? If No, explain:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Have you ever had an on the job injury?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Have you ever filed a Worker's Compensation Claim? If Yes, when: _____ State: _____ Injury: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Was this a loss time accident? If yes, give dates and or amount of time off work: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Did you receive a physical Impairment Rating?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____%	<input type="checkbox"/> No

In Case of Emergency

Name:	Relationship:	Phone:
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Employee Acknowledgement

- By accepting employment with Atlas Resources/Client, the undersigned agrees to submit any and all previously unasserted claims, disputes, lawsuits or controversies arising out of or relating to his or her application or candidacy for employment, his or her employment, or the cessation of his or her employment to binding arbitration before a neutral and unbiased arbitrator. The term "any and all previously unasserted claims, disputes, lawsuits or controversies" includes, but is not limited to, any and all claims, actions, or lawsuits which are asserted under local, state, or federal ordinances, statutes, regulations, or executive orders or under the common law of any jurisdiction. By way of example only, such claims would include claims for wages and/ or benefits under state and federal wage an hour laws or ERISA; state and federal anti-discrimination laws, including, but not limited to, claims of discrimination under the Age Discrimination In Employment Act, Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Civil Rights Act of 1991, the Americans With Disabilities Act and/ or ORS Chapter 659; state and federal Family and Medical Leave Act; claims under any contract, express or implied; and any tort claims, including claims for wrongful discharge, defamation or any other negligent or intentional conduct. The only claims that are not subject to this agreement to arbitrate are claims for work related injuries or occupational diseases under Worker's Compensation Laws or claims to unemployment compensation which may be brought in the federal or state administrative forum with jurisdiction over said claims.
- By agreeing to submit your employment-related claims as set forth above to binding arbitration, you are waiving your right to have your claims presented to a judge or a jury in both federal and state civil court. However, all claims submitted to arbitration under the Agreement will be decided by a neutral and unbiased arbitrator who will have authority to grant any and all remedies permitted under the statute or common law cause of action being pursued and will further have authority to construe and apply any and all statutory or common law defenses to said cause of action. All parties will be given the right to be represented by counsel of their choice but at their own expense. The arbitrator will have the authority to allow discovery pursuant to his or her discretion in order to allow the claims and defenses or either party to be adequately litigated. All parties will be given the right to establish their claims or defenses through testimony, documentary evidence, and cross examination. The arbitrator will issue a written decision on all claims presented, which will, however briefly, reveal the essential findings and conclusions upon which the award is based.
- To initiate arbitration of claims, either party must notify the other party by personal service or by regular or certified mail and must contain a detailed description of the factual and legal contentions being made. Claims made by an employee shall be delivered or mailed to Atlas Resources C/O of the client company at the following address:
Atlas Resources, Inc
2009 Eubank Blvd. N.E.
Albuquerque, NM 87112
- Upon receipt of a notice of intent to initiate arbitration from employee or upon service of its own notice of intent to arbitrate upon an employee, Atlas Resources, Inc. will contact the American Arbitration Association and request a panel of arbitrators. This will be done within a reasonable time after the notice of intent to arbitrate is served. Upon receipt of a list from the American Arbitration Association pursuant to its arbitration rules, an arbitrator will be jointly selected by the employee and Atlas/Client Company using the strike or elimination method. Atlas Resources/Client will pay the fees and expenses of the arbitration, including the fees and costs of the arbitrator, a meeting room for the arbitration, and the cost of a court reporter, if any; provided, however that the employee who files a notice of intent to arbitration will be required to pay AAA the sum of \$150 (on hundred and fifty dollars) as an arbitration filing fee and \$50 (fifty dollars per day) for each day of arbitration as a reimbursement for the administrative expenses of the arbitration. In no event, however will the employee be required to pay more than a total of \$500 (five hundred dollars).

The undersigned applicant agrees that he or she has knowingly and voluntarily waived his or her right to judicial resolution of any and all previously unasserted claims as that term is broadly defined in paragraph 1 above. This Application is executed without reliance upon any representations made by Atlas Resources/Client Company.

APPLICANT SIGNATURE _____	PRINTED NAME _____
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Please read instructions carefully before completing this form. The instructions must be available during completion of this form.

ANTI-DISCRIMINATION NOTICE: It is illegal to discriminate against work eligible individuals. Employers CANNOT specify which document(s) they will accept from an employee. The refusal to hire an individual because the documents have a future expiration date may also constitute illegal discrimination.

Section 1. Employee Information and Verification. To be completed and signed by employee at the time employment begins.

Print Name: Last _____	First _____	Middle Initial _____	Maiden Name _____
Address (Street Name and Number) _____		Apt. # _____	Date of Birth (month/day/year) _____
City _____	State _____	Zip Code _____	Social Security # _____

<p>I am aware that federal law provides for imprisonment and/or fines for false statements or use of false documents in connection with the completion of this form.</p>	<p>I attest, under penalty of perjury, that I am (check one of the following):</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A citizen or national of the United States</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A lawful permanent resident (Alien #) A _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> An alien authorized to work until _____ (Alien # or Admission #) _____</p>
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Employee's Signature _____	Date (month/day/year) _____
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Preparer and/or Translator Certification. (To be completed and signed if Section 1 is prepared by a person other than the employee.) I attest, under penalty of perjury, that I have assisted in the completion of this form and that to the best of my knowledge the information is true and correct.

Preparer's/Translator's Signature _____	Print Name _____
Address (Street Name and Number, City, State, Zip Code) _____	
Date (month/day/year) _____	

Section 2. Employer Review and Verification. To be completed and signed by employer. Examine one document from List A OR examine one document from List B and one from List C, as listed on the reverse of this form, and record the title, number and expiration date, if any, of the document(s).

List A	OR	List B	AND	List C
Document title: _____		_____		_____
Issuing authority: _____		_____		_____
Document #: _____		_____		_____
Expiration Date (if any): _____		_____		_____
Document #: _____		_____		_____
Expiration Date (if any): _____		_____		_____

CERTIFICATION - I attest, under penalty of perjury, that I have examined the document(s) presented by the above-named employee, that the above-listed document(s) appear to be genuine and to relate to the employee named, that the employee began employment on (month/day/year) _____ and that to the best of my knowledge the employee is eligible to work in the United States. (State employment agencies may omit the date the employee began employment.)

Signature of Employer or Authorized Representative _____	Print Name _____	Title _____
Business or Organization Name and Address (Street Name and Number, City, State, Zip Code) _____		Date (month/day/year) _____

Section 3. Updating and Reverification. To be completed and signed by employer.

A. New Name (if applicable) _____	B. Date of Rehire (month/day/year) (if applicable) _____	
C. If employee's previous grant of work authorization has expired, provide the information below for the document that establishes current employment eligibility.		
Document Title: _____	Document #: _____	Expiration Date (if any): _____

I attest, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of my knowledge, this employee is eligible to work in the United States, and if the employee presented document(s), the document(s) I have examined appear to be genuine and to relate to the individual.

Signature of Employer or Authorized Representative _____	Date (month/day/year) _____
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LISTS OF ACCEPTABLE DOCUMENTS

LIST A Documents that Establish Both Identity and Employment Eligibility	LIST B Documents that Establish Identity	LIST C Documents that Establish Employment Eligibility
OR		AND
1. U.S. Passport (unexpired or expired)	1. Driver's license or ID card issued by a state or outlying possession of the United States provided it contains a photograph or information such as name, date of birth, gender, height, eye color and address	1. U.S. Social Security card issued by the Social Security Administration <i>(other than a card stating it is not valid for employment)</i>
2. Permanent Resident Card or Alien Registration Receipt Card (Form I-551)	2. ID card issued by federal, state or local government agencies or entities, provided it contains a photograph or information such as name, date of birth, gender, height, eye color and address	2. Certification of Birth Abroad issued by the Department of State <i>(Form FS-545 or Form DS-1350)</i>
3. An unexpired foreign passport with a temporary I-551 stamp	3. School ID card with a photograph	3. Original or certified copy of a birth certificate issued by a state, county, municipal authority or outlying possession of the United States bearing an official seal
4. An unexpired Employment Authorization Document that contains a photograph (Form I-766, I-688, I-688A, I-688B)	4. Voter's registration card	4. Native American tribal document
5. An unexpired foreign passport with an unexpired Arrival-Departure Record, Form I-94, bearing the same name as the passport and containing an endorsement of the alien's nonimmigrant status, if that status authorizes the alien to work for the employer	5. U.S. Military card or draft record	5. U.S. Citizen ID Card <i>(Form I-197)</i>
	6. Military dependent's ID card	6. ID Card for use of Resident Citizen in the United States <i>(Form I-179)</i>
	7. U.S. Coast Guard Merchant Mariner Card	7. Unexpired employment authorization document issued by DHS <i>(other than those listed under List A)</i>
	8. Native American tribal document	
	9. Driver's license issued by a Canadian government authority	
	For persons under age 18 who are unable to present a document listed above:	
	10. School record or report card	
	11. Clinic, doctor or hospital record	
	12. Day-care or nursery school record	

Illustrations of many of these documents appear in Part 8 of the Handbook for Employers (M-274)

Form W-4 (2008)

Purpose. Complete Form W-4 so that your employer can withhold the correct federal income tax from your pay. Consider completing a new Form W-4 each year and when your personal or financial situation changes.

Exemption from withholding. If you are exempt, complete **only** lines 1, 2, 3, 4, and 7 and sign the form to validate it. Your exemption for 2008 expires February 16, 2009. See Pub. 505, Tax Withholding and Estimated Tax.

Note. You cannot claim exemption from withholding if (a) your income exceeds \$900 and includes more than \$300 of unearned income (for example, interest and dividends) and (b) another person can claim you as a dependent on their tax return.

Basic instructions. If you are not exempt, complete the **Personal Allowances Worksheet** below. The worksheets on page 2 adjust your withholding allowances based on itemized deductions, certain credits,

adjustments to income, or two-earner/multiple job situations. Complete all worksheets that apply. However, you may claim fewer (or zero) allowances.

Head of household. Generally, you may claim head of household filing status on your tax return only if you are unmarried and pay more than 50% of the costs of keeping up a home for yourself and your dependent(s) or other qualifying individuals. See Pub. 501, Exemptions, Standard Deduction, and Filing Information, for information.

Tax credits. You can take projected tax credits into account in figuring your allowable number of withholding allowances. Credits for child or dependent care expenses and the child tax credit may be claimed using the **Personal Allowances Worksheet** below. See Pub. 919, How Do I Adjust My Tax Withholding, for information on converting your other credits into withholding allowances.

Nonwage income. If you have a large amount of nonwage income, such as interest or dividends, consider making estimated tax

payments using Form 1040-ES, Estimated Tax for Individuals. Otherwise, you may owe additional tax. If you have pension or annuity income, see Pub. 919 to find out if you should adjust your withholding on Form W-4 or W-4P.

Two earners or multiple jobs. If you have a working spouse or more than one job, figure the total number of allowances you are entitled to claim on all jobs using worksheets from only one Form W-4. Your withholding usually will be most accurate when all allowances are claimed on the Form W-4 for the highest paying job and zero allowances are claimed on the others. See Pub. 919 for details.

Nonresident alien. If you are a nonresident alien, see the Instructions for Form 8233 before completing this Form W-4.

Check your withholding. After your Form W-4 takes effect, use Pub. 919 to see how the dollar amount you are having withheld compares to your projected total tax for 2008. See Pub. 919, especially if your earnings exceed \$130,000 (Single) or \$180,000 (Married).

Personal Allowances Worksheet (Keep for your records.)

A Enter "1" for **yourself** if no one else can claim you as a dependent **A** _____

B Enter "1" if:
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 • You are single and have only one job; or
 • You are married, have only one job, and your spouse does not work; or
 • Your wages from a second job or your spouse's wages (or the total of both) are \$1,500 or less.
 } **B** _____

C Enter "1" for your **spouse**. But, you may choose to enter "-0-" if you are married and have either a working spouse or more than one job. (Entering "-0-" may help you avoid having too little tax withheld.) **C** _____

D Enter number of **dependents** (other than your spouse or yourself) you will claim on your tax return **D** _____

E Enter "1" if you will file as **head of household** on your tax return (see conditions under **Head of household** above) **E** _____

F Enter "1" if you have at least \$1,500 of **child or dependent care expenses** for which you plan to claim a credit **F** _____

G Child Tax Credit (including additional child tax credit). See Pub. 972, Child Tax Credit, for more information.
 • If your total income will be less than \$58,000 (\$86,000 if married), enter "2" for each eligible child.
 • If your total income will be between \$58,000 and \$84,000 (\$86,000 and \$119,000 if married), enter "1" for each eligible child plus "1" **additional** if you have 4 or more eligible children.
G _____

H Add lines A through G and enter total here. (**Note.** This may be different from the number of exemptions you claim on your tax return.) ► **H** _____

For accuracy, complete all worksheets that apply.
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 • If you plan to **itemize or claim adjustments to income** and want to reduce your withholding, see the **Deductions and Adjustments Worksheet** on page 2.
 • If you have **more than one job** or are **married and you and your spouse both work** and the combined earnings from all jobs exceed \$40,000 (\$25,000 if married), see the **Two-Earners/Multiple Jobs Worksheet** on page 2 to avoid having too little tax withheld.
 • If **neither** of the above situations applies, **stop here** and enter the number from line H on line 5 of Form W-4 below.

----- Cut here and give Form W-4 to your employer. Keep the top part for your records. -----

Form W-4 Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service	<h2 style="margin:0;">Employee's Withholding Allowance Certificate</h2> <p style="font-size: small; margin: 5px 0;">► Whether you are entitled to claim a certain number of allowances or exemption from withholding is subject to review by the IRS. Your employer may be required to send a copy of this form to the IRS.</p>	OMB No. 1545-0074 <h1 style="margin:0;">2008</h1>
1 Type or print your first name and middle initial. Last name		2 Your social security number
Home address (number and street or rural route)		3 <input type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Married <input type="checkbox"/> Married, but withhold at higher Single rate. Note. If married, but legally separated, or spouse is a nonresident alien, check the "Single" box.
City or town, state, and ZIP code		4 If your last name differs from that shown on your social security card, check here. You must call 1-800-772-1213 for a replacement card. ► <input type="checkbox"/>
5 Total number of allowances you are claiming (from line H above or from the applicable worksheet on page 2)		5 _____
6 Additional amount, if any, you want withheld from each paycheck		6 \$ _____
7 I claim exemption from withholding for 2008, and I certify that I meet both of the following conditions for exemption. • Last year I had a right to a refund of all federal income tax withheld because I had no tax liability and • This year I expect a refund of all federal income tax withheld because I expect to have no tax liability. If you meet both conditions, write "Exempt" here ►		
Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this certificate and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete.		
Employee's signature (Form is not valid unless you sign it.) ►		Date ►
8 Employer's name and address (Employer: Complete lines 8 and 10 only if sending to the IRS.)		9 Office code (optional) 10 Employer identification number (EIN)

Deductions and Adjustments Worksheet

Note. Use this worksheet *only* if you plan to itemize deductions, claim certain credits, or claim adjustments to income on your 2008 tax return.

1 Enter an estimate of your 2008 itemized deductions. These include qualifying home mortgage interest, charitable contributions, state and local taxes, medical expenses in excess of 7.5% of your income, and miscellaneous deductions. (For 2008, you may have to reduce your itemized deductions if your income is over \$159,950 (\$79,975 if married filing separately). See *Worksheet 2* in Pub. 919 for details.) . . . **1** \$ _____

2 Enter: $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \$10,900 \text{ if married filing jointly or qualifying widow(er)} \\ \$ 8,000 \text{ if head of household} \\ \$ 5,450 \text{ if single or married filing separately} \end{array} \right\}$ **2** \$ _____

3 **Subtract** line 2 from line 1. If zero or less, enter "-0-" **3** \$ _____

4 Enter an estimate of your 2008 adjustments to income, including alimony, deductible IRA contributions, and student loan interest **4** \$ _____

5 **Add** lines 3 and 4 and enter the total. (Include any amount for credits from *Worksheet 8* in Pub. 919) **5** \$ _____

6 Enter an estimate of your 2008 nonwage income (such as dividends or interest) **6** \$ _____

7 **Subtract** line 6 from line 5. If zero or less, enter "-0-" **7** \$ _____

8 **Divide** the amount on line 7 by \$3,500 and enter the result here. Drop any fraction **8** _____

9 Enter the number from the **Personal Allowances Worksheet**, line H, page 1 **9** _____

10 **Add** lines 8 and 9 and enter the total here. If you plan to use the **Two-Earners/Multiple Jobs Worksheet**, also enter this total on line 1 below. Otherwise, **stop here** and enter this total on Form W-4, line 5, page 1 **10** _____

Two-Earners/Multiple Jobs Worksheet (See *Two earners or multiple jobs* on page 1.)

Note. Use this worksheet *only* if the instructions under line H on page 1 direct you here.

1 Enter the number from line H, page 1 (or from line 10 above if you used the **Deductions and Adjustments Worksheet**) **1** _____

2 Find the number in **Table 1** below that applies to the **LOWEST** paying job and enter it here. **However**, if you are married filing jointly and wages from the highest paying job are \$50,000 or less, do not enter more than "3." **2** _____

3 If line 1 is **more than or equal to** line 2, subtract line 2 from line 1. Enter the result here (if zero, enter "-0-") and on Form W-4, line 5, page 1. **Do not** use the rest of this worksheet **3** _____

Note. If line 1 is *less than* line 2, enter "-0-" on Form W-4, line 5, page 1. Complete lines 4-9 below to calculate the additional withholding amount necessary to avoid a year-end tax bill.

4 Enter the number from line 2 of this worksheet **4** _____

5 Enter the number from line 1 of this worksheet **5** _____

6 **Subtract** line 5 from line 4 **6** _____

7 Find the amount in **Table 2** below that applies to the **HIGHEST** paying job and enter it here **7** \$ _____

8 **Multiply** line 7 by line 6 and enter the result here. This is the additional annual withholding needed **8** \$ _____

9 Divide line 8 by the number of pay periods remaining in 2008. For example, divide by 26 if you are paid every two weeks and you complete this form in December 2007. Enter the result here and on Form W-4, line 6, page 1. This is the additional amount to be withheld from each paycheck **9** \$ _____

Table 1				Table 2			
Married Filing Jointly		All Others		Married Filing Jointly		All Others	
If wages from LOWEST paying job are—	Enter on line 2 above	If wages from LOWEST paying job are—	Enter on line 2 above	If wages from HIGHEST paying job are—	Enter on line 7 above	If wages from HIGHEST paying job are—	Enter on line 7 above
\$0 - \$4,500	0	\$0 - \$6,500	0	\$0 - \$65,000	\$530	\$0 - \$35,000	\$530
4,501 - 10,000	1	6,501 - 12,000	1	65,001 - 120,000	880	35,001 - 80,000	880
10,001 - 18,000	2	12,001 - 20,000	2	120,001 - 180,000	980	80,001 - 150,000	980
18,001 - 22,000	3	20,001 - 27,000	3	180,001 - 310,000	1,160	150,001 - 340,000	1,160
22,001 - 27,000	4	27,001 - 35,000	4	310,001 and over	1,230	340,001 and over	1,230
27,001 - 33,000	5	35,001 - 50,000	5				
33,001 - 40,000	6	50,001 - 65,000	6				
40,001 - 50,000	7	65,001 - 80,000	7				
50,001 - 55,000	8	80,001 - 95,000	8				
55,001 - 60,000	9	95,001 - 120,000	9				
60,001 - 65,000	10	120,001 and over	10				
65,001 - 75,000	11						
75,001 - 100,000	12						
100,001 - 110,000	13						
110,001 - 120,000	14						
120,001 and over	15						

Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice. We ask for the information on this form to carry out the Internal Revenue laws of the United States. The Internal Revenue Code requires this information under sections 3402(f)(2)(A) and 6109 and their regulations. Failure to provide a properly completed form will result in your being treated as a single person who claims no withholding allowances; providing fraudulent information may also subject you to penalties. Routine uses of this information include giving it to the Department of Justice for civil and criminal litigation, to cities, states, and the District of Columbia for use in administering their tax laws, and using it in the National Directory of New Hires. We may also disclose this information to other countries under a tax treaty, to federal and state agencies to enforce federal nontax criminal laws, or to federal law enforcement and intelligence agencies to combat terrorism.

You are not required to provide the information requested on a form that is subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act unless the form displays a valid OMB control number. Books or records relating to a form or its instructions must be retained as long as their contents may become material in the administration of any Internal Revenue law. Generally, tax returns and return information are confidential, as required by Code section 6103.

The average time and expenses required to complete and file this form will vary depending on individual circumstances. For estimated averages, see the instructions for your income tax return.

If you have suggestions for making this form simpler, we would be happy to hear from you. See the instructions for your income tax return.

Direct Deposit Authorization Form



Work-Site Employer: _____ Telephone Number _____

Employee Name _____

I hereby authorize Atlas Resources, Inc. to deposit my pay directly into the bank account(s) listed below. I have attached a voided check for my checking account and/or deposit slip for my savings account so bank transit and account numbers can be verified.

Upon notification, I authorize Atlas Resources to correct any erroneous payment or overpayment to my account(s) by withdrawing funds in the amount of the excess payment.

This authorization remains in effect until Atlas Resources, Inc. has received written authorization from me of its termination or change.

Employee Signature: _____ Date: _____

Note: You can put a set amount or the whole check to a specific account. For every account setup on direct deposit a voided check is a must to process.

Financial Institution/Account Number(s):

Account 1 # _____ Checking Savings Amount to be Deposited _____ Routing # _____

Account 2 # _____ Checking Savings Amount to be Deposited _____ Routing # _____

Account 3 # _____ Checking Savings Amount to be Deposited _____ Routing # _____

Account 4 # _____ Checking Savings Amount to be Deposited _____ Routing # _____

Note: In case of direct deposits to joint accounts that both account holders sign checks or authorize payments, other account holder must indicate his/her agreement with the above term and the employee's direct deposit authorization by signing below.

Name of Joint Account Holder: _____

Signature of Joint Account Holder: _____

Date: _____

ATTACH VOIDED CHECK (s) HERE:

VOIDED CHECK(S)

LIBERTY MUTUAL GROUP MPN
Form B – Employee Notification Confirmation

In order to confirm that you have received appropriate notification regarding the Liberty Mutual Group Medical Provider network (MPN) please complete and sign the attached form. This form must be returned to your employer or your Claims Case Manager at the time you first receive employee notification information about the MPN. This may occur at the time of your employer’s MPN presentation, at the time of hire, at the time of your report of injury or at the time you transfer into the MPN.

(Employee Signature)

(Date)

(Print Full Name)

(Name of Employer)

“Any person who makes or causes to be made any knowingly false or fraudulent material statement or material representation for the purposes of obtaining workers’ compensation benefits or payments is guilty of a felony”

PREDESIGNATION OF PERSONAL PHYSICIAN

In the event you sustain an injury or illness related to your employment, you may be treated for such injury or illness by your personal medical doctor (M.D.), doctor of osteopathic medicine (D.O.) or medical group if:

- your employer offers group health coverage;
- the doctor is your regular physician, who shall be either a physician who has limited his or her practice of medicine to general practice or who is a board-certified *or* board-eligible internist, pediatrician, obstetrician-gynecologist, or family practitioner, and has previously directed your medical treatment, and retains your medical records;
- your "personal physician" may be a medical group if it is a single corporation or partnership composed of licensed doctors of medicine or osteopathy, which operates an integrated multi-specialty medical group providing comprehensive medical services predominantly for non-occupational illnesses and injuries;
- prior to the injury your doctor agrees to treat you for work injuries or illnesses;
- prior to the injury you provided your employer the following in writing:
 - (1) notice that you want your personal doctor to treat you for a work-related injury or illness, and
 - (2) your personal doctor's name and business address.

You may use this form to notify your employer if you wish to have your personal medical doctor or a doctor of osteopathic medicine treat you for a work-related injury or illness and the above requirements are met.

NOTICE OF PREDESIGNATION OF PERSONAL

Employee: Fill in this section.

To: _____ (name of employer) If I have a work-related injury or illness, I
Choose to be treated by:

(name of doctor)(M.D., D.O., or medical group)

_____ (street address, city, state, ZIP)

_____ (telephone number)

Employee Name (Please Print)

Employee's Address:

Employee's Signature

Physician: I agree to this Predesignation:

Signature: _____ Date: _____
(Physician or Designated Employee of the Physician or Medical Group)

The physician is not required to sign this form, however, if the physician or designated employee of the physician or medical group does not sign, other documentation of the physician's agreement to be predesignated will be required pursuant to Title 8, California Code of Regulations, section 9780.1(a)(3).

Title 8, California Code of Regulations, Section 9783.
(Optional DWC Form 9783 March 1, 2007)