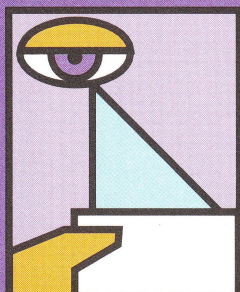


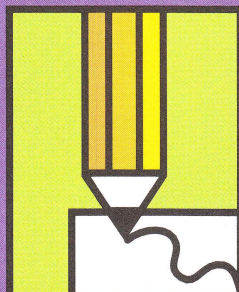
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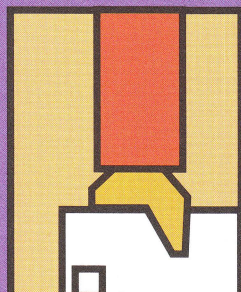
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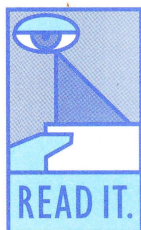
It's quick. It's easy. It's the law.



Selective Service System

MEN AGE 18 THROUGH 25

must register with the Selective Service System



Know the Facts

What is Selective Service Registration?

Registration is the process by which the U.S. government collects names and addresses of men age 18 through 25 to

use in case a national emergency requires rapid expansion of the Armed Forces. Men should register within 30 days of their 18th birthday. Men who are 26 years old and older are too old to register.

Will I Be Drafted?

Registering with Selective Service does not mean you are joining the military. (See the chart for "Who Must Register")

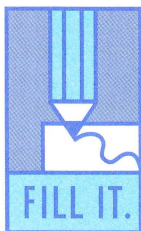
The fact that a man is required to register does not mean that he will be drafted. No one has been drafted since 1973. No one can be drafted into the military unless ordered by Congress and the President. A draft would most likely occur only in the event of war or national emergency.

What Happens If I Don't Register?

Not registering is a felony. Young men convicted of failure to register may be fined up to \$250,000, imprisoned for up to five years, or both. In addition to being subject to prosecution, failure to register may cause you to permanently forfeit eligibility for certain benefits.

What Are The Benefits?

Federal and many state laws require registration-age men to be registered with Selective Service to remain eligible for applying for the following benefits: student financial aid, government employment, employment with the U.S. Postal Service, job training, and U.S. citizenship for male immigrants.



How You Register

Save a Stamp, Save Time, Register On-Line

A quicker way to register is on-line through the Internet at our web site (www.sss.gov). If you cannot register on-line, then

follow the instructions listed below and fill out and mail the attached card.

Complete the Registration Card to the right, printing your information in

BLACK INK and **CAPITAL LETTERS ONLY**.

Block 1: Print your date of birth. Use a two-number designation for the month and day and use a four number designation for the year.

Block 2: Place an "X" in the correct box.

Block 3: If you have a Social Security Account Number, it is mandatory that you include this information. If you don't have one, leave this block blank.

Block 4: Print your full legal name as outlined on the card. Include any suffix (such as Jr., or II), in the designated box, if applicable.

Block 5: Print your current mailing address as outlined on the card. Use the two-letter State abbreviation and enter your ZIP Code.

Block 6: Enter today's date. Use a two number designation for the month and day and use a four-number designation for the year.

Block 7: Sign your name in this box.

Then, tear off card, add postage, and mail.

If you're concerned about privacy of personal data, you may mail this card to Selective Service in an envelope. Please apply proper first class postage.

Who Must Register

With few exceptions, all male U.S. citizens and male immigrant aliens residing in the U.S. and its territories must register if they are 18 through 25.

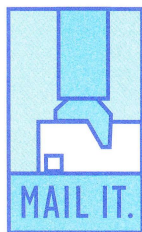
Refer to the chart below for specifics:

Category	yes	no
All male U.S. citizens born after December 31, 1959, who are 18 but not yet 26 years old, except as noted below:	•	
Military-related		
Members of the Armed Forces on active duty (active duty for training does not constitute "active duty" for registration purposes)		•*
Cadets and Midshipmen at Service Academies or Coast Guard Academy		•*
Cadets at the Merchant Marine Academy	•	
Students in Officer Procurement Programs at The Citadel, North Georgia College and State University, Norwich University, Virginia Military Institute, Texas A&M University, and Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University.		•*
National Guardsmen and Reservists not on active duty	•	
Delayed Entry Program enlistees	•	
ROTC students	•	
Separatees from Active Military Service, separated for any reason before age 26		•*
Men rejected for enlistment for any reason before age 26	•	
Civil Air Patrol members	•	
Aliens**		
Lawful non-immigrants on visas (e.g. diplomatic and consular personnel and families, foreign students, tourists with unexpired Forms I-94, I-95A or Border Crossing Card, DSP-150)		•
Permanent resident aliens	•	
Special (seasonal) agricultural workers (I-688)	•	
Special agricultural workers (I-688A)		•
Refugee, parolee, and asylee aliens	•	
Undocumented (illegal) aliens	•	
Dual national U.S. citizens	•	
Confined		
Incarcerated, or hospitalized or institutionalized for medical reasons		•*
Handicapped physically or mentally		
Able to function in public with or without assistance	•	
Continually confined to a residence, hospital, or institution		•

* Must register within 30 days of release unless already age 26, or already registered when released, or unless exempt during entire period age 18 through 25.

** Residents of Puerto Rico, Guam, Virgin Islands, and Northern Mariana Islands are U.S. citizens. Citizens of American Samoa are nationals and must register when they are habitual residents in the United States. Habitual residence is presumed whenever a national or a citizen of the Republic of the Marshall Islands or the Federated States of Micronesia resides in the United States for more than one year in any status, except as a student or employee of the government of his homeland.

NOTE: Immigrants who did not enter the United States or maintained their lawful non-immigrant status by continually remaining on a valid visa until after they were 26 years old were never required to register. Also, immigrants born before 1960 who did not enter the United States or maintained their lawful non-immigrant status by continually remaining on a valid visa until after March 29, 1975 were never required to register.



Place the proper postage on the Registration Card and mail back to the Selective Service System.

After You Register...

Watch Your Mail!

Within 90 days after registering, you should receive in the mail a Registration Acknowledgment Card from Selective Service which will provide you with a copy of your registration record. Safeguard that document since it will serve as official proof of your registration. If you do not receive a Registration Acknowledgment Card within 90 days after registering, it is very important that you verify that your registration has been received. Verify or check your registration on-line (<http://www.sss.gov>), call 1-888-655-1825, or write to: Selective Service System, Registration Information Office, P.O. Box 94638, Palatine, IL 60094-4638.

Keep Us Informed of Changes

Once you register, the law also requires you to keep Selective Service informed of your address changes within 10 days so you can be reached without delay. You can inform Selective Service of an address change by going to www.sss.gov, writing to the address above, or you may go to any post office for a Change-of-Information Form (SSS Form 2), fill it out and mail to Selective Service.

Need More Information?

Selective Service System has two booklets available for additional information. The "Information for Registrants" booklet explains the induction, claims, and appeals process that would be in effect if inductions were authorized in the future. The "Selective Service and You" booklet provides information about Selective Service and your registration responsibilities. These publications are available on the SSS web site (www.sss.gov).

Privacy Act Statement

The Military Selective Service Act, Selective Service regulations, and the President's Proclamation on Registration require that you provide the indicated information, including your Social Security Account Number. The principal purpose of the required information is to establish or verify your registration with the Selective Service System. This information may be furnished to other government agencies for the stated purposes on a selective basis.

■ Bureau of Census – for the purposes of planning or carrying out a census or survey or related activity pursuant to the provisions of Title 13.

■ Department of Justice – for review and processing of suspected violations of the Military Selective Service Act, for perjury, and for defense of a civil action arising from administrative processing under such Act.

■ Department of State & U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Service – for collection and evaluation of data to determine a person's eligibility for entry/re-entry into the United States and for U.S. Citizenship.

■ Department of Defense & Coast Guard – to exchange data concerning registration, classification, induction, and examination of registrants and for identification of prospects for recruiting.

■ Department of Labor – to assist veterans in need of data concerning re-employment rights, and determining eligibility for benefits under the Workforce Investment Act.

■ Department of Education – to determine eligibility for student financial assistance.

■ Office of Personnel Management & U.S. Postal Service – to determine eligibility for employment.

■ Department of Health and Human Services – for determine a person's proper Social Security Account Number and for locating parents pursuant to the Child Support Enforcement Act.

■ State and Local Governments – to provide data which may constitute evidence and facilitate the enforcement of state or local law.

■ Alternative Service Employers – to exchange information with employers regarding a registrant who is a conscientious objector for the purpose of placement and supervision of performance of alternative service in lieu of induction into military service.

■ General Public – Registrant's name, Selective Service Number, Date of Birth and Classification, (Military Selective Service Act, Section 6, 50 U.S.C. App. 456h).

Failure to provide the required information may violate the Military Selective Service Act. Conviction for such a violation may result in imprisonment for up to five years and/or a fine of not more than \$250,000.



Selective Service System

Register on-line (<http://www.sss.gov>)
or complete this form.

SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM REGISTRATION FORM

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE

PRINT ONLY IN BLACK INK AND IN CAPITAL LETTERS ONLY

1 DATE OF BIRTH: (MM-DD-YYYY)
 - -

2 SEX: (Mark with "X")
 Male Female

3 SOCIAL SECURITY ACCOUNT NUMBER
 - -

4 LAST NAME

SUFFIX: (Mark with "X") OTHER SUFFIX
 JR III

FIRST NAME & MIDDLE NAME

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5 CURRENT MAILING ADDRESS: STREET ADDRESS & APARTMENT NUMBER

CITY STATE ZIP CODE

6 TODAY'S DATE: (MM-DD-YYYY)
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7 I AFFIRM THE FOREGOING STATEMENTS ARE TRUE



SIGNATURE

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