



2009 Extended Absence Questionnaire

For individuals who were absent from Alaska more than 180 days for five or more consecutive years.

First Name	M.I.	Last Name	Social Security Number	Date of Birth
Address			Daytime phone number	Message phone number
City	State	Zip Code	E-mail Address	

Your Permanent Fund Dividend application has been selected for an eligibility determination because you have not lived in Alaska for at least 6 months in over five years. In accordance with 15 AAC 23.163(f) an individual with an absence totaling more than five years is presumed not to have the intent to return to Alaska and remain indefinitely in Alaska. You are not eligible for the 2009 dividend unless you provide documentation that demonstrates, to the department's satisfaction an intent at all times during your absence to return to Alaska and remain indefinitely.

The department will give greater weight to the claim of an individual who makes frequent return trips to Alaska for noncompulsory reasons than that of an individual who did not. An individual who has not been present in Alaska for 30 cumulative days in the past five years has generally not demonstrated the continuous intention to return to Alaska and remain indefinitely.

If you could not return to Alaska due to unavoidable circumstances, attach an explanation and supporting documentation.

1. List the longest period of time you physically lived in Alaska before departing on your absence.

I lived in Alaska From: ___/___/___/ To: ___/___/___

2. List the dates below when you physically returned to Alaska during your absence. Begin with the most recent dates you were here and proceed backward to your departure.

If you completed this form last year and reported absences last year, include only returns in 2008.

Returned to Alaska			Left Alaska			Returned to Alaska			Left Alaska		
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3. Is your ultimate return to Alaska to remain indefinitely conditioned upon future events such as securing employment in Alaska or receiving an assignment to Alaska by your employer? Yes No

4. Have you sought employment in Alaska? Yes No

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If yes, list the specific employer(s) who you contacted in Alaska and when you contacted them.

Name		Date Contacted
Address		___/___/___
Telephone		
Name		Date Contacted
Address		___/___/___
Telephone		

5. Have you sought employment outside of Alaska? Yes No

If yes, explain how your seeking employment outside of Alaska is consistent with your statement that you intend to return to Alaska to remain indefinitely.

6. Have you maintained a home outside of Alaska since your departure? Yes No

If yes, do you own this home?

Yes No

7. Have you maintained a home in Alaska since your departure? Yes No

If yes, do you own this home?

Yes No

If you own this home, do you lease or rent it to someone?

Yes No

If you do not own this home, explain who owns this home and why you consider it your home.

8. If you are employed by the State of Alaska or the U.S. Armed Forces outside of Alaska, have you requested to be returned to Alaska by your employer? Yes No

If yes, attach a copy of your request.

If no, explain why you have not submitted a request even though you have stated that you intend to return to Alaska to remain indefinitely.

9. Is your choice of careers one which does not allow you to reside or return to Alaska until retirement or until you make a personal choice to change careers in order to return to Alaska? Yes No

10. Explain below why your absence should be considered allowable, and how you have demonstrated that your intent, at all times during your absence, has been to return to Alaska to remain indefinitely.

Attach additional pages if necessary.

I certify under penalty of law that to the best of my knowledge and belief, all the information on this questionnaire, including any attachments, are true and complete.

Signature	Date
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