

# CERTIFICATION OF QUALIFYING EXIGENCY MILITARY FAMILY LEAVE – FAMILY AND MEDICAL LEAVE ACT

## Section I: For Completion by Employer

Employer name:\_\_\_\_\_

Contact information:\_\_\_\_\_

#### Section II: For Completion by Employee - Instructions to Employee

Please complete Section II fully and completely. The Family and Medical Leave Act ("FMLA") permits an employer to require that you submit a timely, complete, and sufficient certification to support a request for FMLA leave due to a qualifying exigency. Several questions in this section seek a response as to the frequency or duration of the qualifying exigency. Be as specific as you can; terms such as "unknown" or "indeterminate" may not be sufficient to determine FMLA coverage. While you are not required to provide this information, failure to do so may result in a denial or delay of your request for FMLA leave or non-designation of your leave as FMLA leave. Your employer must give you at least 15 calendar days to return this form.

Your Name: \_\_\_\_

[First]

[Middle]

[Last]

Name of covered military member on active duty or call to active duty status in support of a contingency operation:

Relationship of covered military member to you:\_\_\_\_\_

Period of covered military member's active duty:

A complete and sufficient certification to support a request for FMLA leave due to a qualifying exigency includes written documentation confirming a covered military member's active duty or call to active duty status in support of a contingency operation. Please check one of the following.

A copy of the covered military member's active duty orders is attached.

Other documentation from the military certifying that the covered military member is on active duty (or has been notified of an impending call to active duty) in support of a contingency operation is attached.

□ I have previously provided my employer with sufficient written documentation confirming the covered military member's active duty or call to active duty status in support of a contingency operation.

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#### Part A: Qualifying Reason for Leave

1. Describe the reason you are requesting FMLA leave due to a qualifying exigency (including the specific reason you are requesting leave):

2. A complete and sufficient certification to support a request for FMLA leave due to a qualifying exigency includes any available written documentation which supports the need for leave; such documentation may include a copy of a meeting announcement for informational briefings sponsored by the military, a document confirming an appointment with a counselor or school official, or staff at a care facility; a document confirming the military member's Rest and Recuperation leave, or a copy of a bill for services for the handling of legal or financial affairs. Available written documentation supporting this request for leave is attached.

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ None Available

### Part B: Amount of Leave Needed

1. Approximate date exigency commenced: \_\_\_\_\_

Probable duration of exigency:	

2.	Will	you	need	l to be	e absent	from	work	for a	single	continuous	s period	of time	due f	to the
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lf so,	estimate	the beg	ginning	and	ending	dates	for	the	period	of
abse	nce:									

3.	Will y	ou need	to be ab	sent from	work peri	odically to	address	this qual	lifying e	exigenc	y?
	] Yes	🗌 No									

Estimate schedule of leave, including the dates of any scheduled meetings or appointments:

Estimate the frequency and duration of each appointment, meeting, or leave event, including any travel time (i.e., 1 deployment-related meeting every month lasting 4 hours):

Frequency: \_\_\_\_\_ times per \_\_\_\_\_ week(s) \_\_\_\_\_ month(s) Duration: \_\_\_\_\_ hours \_\_\_\_\_ day(s) per event

## Part C: Third-Party Meeting Information

If leave is requested to meet with a third party (such as to arrange for childcare, to attend counseling, to attend meetings with school or childcare providers, to make financial or legal arrangements, to act as the covered military member's representative before a federal, state, or local agency for purposes of obtaining, arranging or appealing military service benefits, or to attend any event sponsored by the military or military service organization), a complete and sufficient certification includes the name, address, and appropriate contact information of the individual or entity with whom you are meeting (i.e., either the telephone or fax number or email address of the individual or entity). This information may be used by your employer to verify that the information contained on this form is accurate.

Name of Individual:	Title:	
Organization:		
Telephone:	Fax:	
Describe nature of meeting:		
Describe nature of meeting:		

## Part D: Certification

I certify that the information I provided above is true and correct.

Signature of Employee

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