



UNITED STATES OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT  
Court Ordered Benefits  
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FREDDIE HOWARD  
Re: VICKIE HOWARD  
123 HIGHWAY AIA #123  
SATELLITE BEACH, FL 32937

Dear FREDDIE HOWARD:

We have processed your former spouse's claim for a court awarded portion of your Federal retirement benefit.

By court order, your former spouse's marital share of your retirement benefit is 50% of 370 months of service during the marriage divided by 30 years 10 months of Federal service or 48.30% of your retirement benefit. The marital share times your self-only annuity benefit of \$3471 combined with your FERS Supplement of \$1621 provides for a \$2546 monthly payment to your former spouse. Your former spouse's benefit starts with your annuity payment of 01/01/2022.

We intend to honor the court's former spouse's survivor annuity award. Your former spouse is to pay for the cost of the survivor benefit from the court ordered payments. We find the cost of providing for a \$1735 former spouse's survivor benefit is \$174 per month. Thus, your former spouse is to receive a court awarded benefit of \$2372 from your monthly retirement payments. Further information will follow this letter for you and for your former spouse about this court awarded survivor benefit.

Your former spouse is due a retroactive apportionment payment of \$4744 from your annuity benefit for the period from 01/01/2022 through 02/28/2022. We intend to withhold the retroactive payment due in 36 monthly installments of \$131.77 with a final installment of \$0.28. These withholdings are to begin with the commencement of your former spouse's recurring monthly benefit.

We are enclosing references to the applicable regulations we must follow in awarding former spouse's benefits. Let us know if you need further assistance about this matter.

Sincerely,  
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Enclosures