

To Do List

Paperless Distribution Approval
A feature on the Plan Service Center

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To Do List Overview

What is the To Do List? The To Do List is an online tool located on the Plan Service Center (PSC) allowing plan sponsors the ability to manage the approval of disbursements and loans. This includes immediate notification of missing information, a reduction in administrative work, and increased security and participant privacy.

How does it work? Disbursement or loan requests submitted by the participant (either via paper form or initiated on the participant website) is routed to the To Do List if the request is incomplete or final approval is required. An e-mail is generated daily to all plan To Do List users to notify them of pending items. *Note – if the participant request contains all necessary information to be processed, it will not be routed to the To Do List.*

Who can authorize these items? Only To Do List users that are authorized plan signors may provide final approval.

Can you have ‘view only’ access to the To Do List? Yes. ‘View only’ or Inquiry access can be established for certain plan users allowing them to view items but not complete or give final approval. At least one plan user should have Full access which allows the user to update or approve To Do List items.

Once a participant requests a disbursement, how long before it appears on the To Do List? If the request is submitted prior to market close, a pending item will appear on the To Do List the same business day. Anything received after market close will appear on the To Do List the next business day.

Note – PDI not required for To Do List

To Do List Disbursement Reasons

The following disbursement reasons are routed to the To Do List if applicable to the plan:

- » Employment Termination (Separation of Service)
- » Retirement
- » Age 59 ½
- » Hardships
- » In Service Withdrawals
- » Minimum Distributions
- » QDRO
- » Death Claim
- » Disability
- » Loans

To Do List 'Steps'

Disbursement Reason	Termination Date	Spousal Consent (if applicable to the plan)	Vesting (if applicable to the plan)	Death Certificate	Death Date	Disability Date	Disability Certification	Mortgage Paperwork Review	Prior Defaulted Loan Override	Final Approval	Special Considerations (see footnotes)
Employment Termination (Separation of Service)	X	X	X							X	1
Retirement	X	X	X							X	1
Age 59 ½		X	X							X	1
Hardships		X	X							X	1
In Service Withdrawals		X	X							X	1
Minimum Distributions	X	X	X							X	1
QDRO										X	2
Death Claim			X	X	X					X	2
Disability		X	X			X	X			X	2
Loans		X	X					X	X	X	1, 3, 4

1 - Spousal Consent step will appear when participant vested account balance >5K.

2 - Final Approval is always required for this disbursement reason.

3 - Mortgage Paperwork step will appear if plan allowed.

4 - Prior Default Override step will appear if plan allowed.

Authorized signors/plan administrators who have access to the To Do List would receive an e-mail notification from Plan Technical Support (PTS) stating they have outstanding items on their To Do List. When user logs in to the PSC, they would also see a warning message on the Start Page stating that they have items on their To Do List.



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Welcome to the Plan Service Center

The Plan Service Center is a set of Internet tools designed to help you manage your 401(k) account. You may access the various tools by clicking on the tabs at the top of this page or one of the links in the table below.

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You have 9 outstanding items for the selected plan on your [To Do List](#)

[Secure Email](#)

Utilities

- Transmit Employee or Payroll Data Files
- Update E-mail Address
- Select Another Plan
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Start Page (this page)
This page is designed to give you upcoming news concerning this web site and access to various utilities you may need.

- Retirement Plan Administration**
This tool allows you to view/change existing employee information, add new employees, submit contributions electronically and view information on both the employer and participant level.
- To Do List**
This page provides a list of any outstanding work items you may have.
- Reports**
This tool allows you to run specific reports on your plan such as employee address listings, contribution reports and several other informational reports on both the participant and plan level.
- Forms and Documents**
This tool allows you view/print PDF forms applicable to your plan.
- Compliance**
This page will allow you to view and enter data related to your plan's year end compliance services.
- Contact Us**
This page gives you phone numbers and e-mail addresses of people that are there to help.

Once in the To Do List, a list of pending items will appear. To access these items, click on the reference number, SSN, or participant name.

To refresh, click on the **Refresh List** box located at the bottom of the screen.

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These items require you to provide information or approval online for participant withdrawal requests.

Reference Number	Plan	SSN	Participant Name	Division	Reason	Method	Status	Approval Request Date
9082215	1009500-01	123-00-4567	Kathy Jefferson	D1 My Company - North Division	Separation of service	Full withdrawal	Pending	03/15/2009
9083217	1009500-01	123-99-9876	Thomas Washington	D1 My Company - North Division	Loan	Partial withdrawal	Pending	03/22/2009
9185498	1009500-02	123-45-6789	Benjamin Jones	D3 My Company - South Division	Retirement	Full withdrawal	Pending	03/27/2009
9999999	1009500-01	999-99-9999	Mary Franklin	D1 My Company - North Division	Separation of service	Full withdrawal	Pending	03/15/2009

Click on the Reference Number to complete or approve a transaction.

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Refresh List

The plan sponsor has the option of viewing the participant request. Please note only hard copy requests will be available to view. For requests initiated online there would not be a copy of a paper request to view.



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Plan: 1009500-01 My Retirement Company 401(k) Plan

SSN: 123-00-4567

Name: Kathy Jefferson

Hire Date: 02/16/1995

Division: D1 North Division

[Click here to view Participant Request.](#)

[Click here to cancel this transaction.](#)

Information necessary for completing this transaction is missing. The transaction cannot be submitted for processing until all steps are complete. Steps that you are responsible for are highlighted in red. Vesting information can be reviewed or updated at any time by clicking on the Vesting link.

Checklist:

Step	Status
Employee Term Date	Incomplete
Employee Birth Date	Incomplete
Vesting	Complete ✓
Spousal Consent	Incomplete

Submit request for processing.

By submitting this request you hereby certify that the information provided is correct to the best of your knowledge and that this request is in compliance with Plan provisions and current laws including those governing federal tax withholding. You understand that this Distribution/Withdrawal request is not intended to fulfill the required written explanation prior to receipt of a qualified distribution. You further certify that the named participant for this request has received the written explanation of tax consequences of distributions/withdrawals from qualified plans as required under Internal Revenue Code 402, 411, and any required notices under IRC Section 417 as amended.

Submit

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Hire Date: 02/16/1995

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In order to view participant request you may need to download a pdf viewer.
If necessary, click on the link below to download Adobe® Acrobat.



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Click on the link below to view the image of the participant's request.
The date on the link represents the date the image was created.

SrNo.	Image Creation Date
1	7/31/03 9:41:07 AM

Click OK to return to the Checklist

OK

View Form



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Distribution/Direct Rollover/Transfer Request 401(k) Plan

Refer to the Participant Distribution Guide while completing this form. Use blue or black ink only.

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Participant Information

Participant: John Q
Last Name First Name MI
8515 E Orchard Rd
Address - Number & Street
Greenwood Village CO 80111
City State Zip Code
(303) 737-3842 (303) 737-3000
Home Phone Work Phone

100-94-9999
Social Security Number
Account Extension (if applicable)
E-Mail Address
☐ Married ☒ Unmarried
Are you a U.S. citizen or
resident alien? ☐ Yes ☐ No
Mo Day Year
1 1 64
Date of Birth

Distribution Reason

- ☒ Severance of Employment / ☐ Retirement - Date: 1-1-64 ☐ Age 59 1/2
☐ Disability - Date: _____
☐ In-Service ☐ Minimum Distribution (Age 70 1/2)

Distribution Method

- ☒ Full Distribution
☐ Partial Distribution Amount \$ _____ ☐ Net Amount Contribution Source: _____
☐ Periodic Payment - also complete the Periodic Payment Options box below
☒ Payment to Self
☐ Periodic Payment Options Payment Start Date _____ Frequency: ☐ Monthly ☐ Quarterly ☐ Semi-Annually ☐ Annually
☐ Payment of an Amount Certain \$ _____ (Gross Amount Only)

The requests are stored in Adobe Acrobat Reader format (.pdf).

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SSN: 123-00-4567

Name: Kathy Jefferson

Hire Date: 02/16/1995

Division: D1 North Division

Transaction Totals:

1009500-01 Employee Before Tax	18,345.21
1009500-01 Employer Match	5,563.33
Total Withdrawal Amount	23,908.54
-	
Total Available to All Receivers (all checks)	23,908.54
-	
Disbursement Share of initial check grouping (100%)	23,908.54
Internal Revenue Service Withholding	0.00
Colorado Withholding	0.00
Amount of Check for Kathy Jefferson	23,908.54

Tax Info.



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SSN: 123-00-4567

Name: Kathy Jefferson



Hire Date: 02/16/1995

Division: D1 North Division

Tax Year	IRS Rule	Tax Reason
2009	401K	EE DIRECT

Tax ID	Tax Assessor	Gross Amount	Taxable Amount	Withholding Amount	Withholding Percent	Additional Withholdings
123004567	IRS	23,908.54	23,908.54	0.00	0.00	0.00
123004567	CO	23,908.54	23,908.54	0.00	0.00	0.00

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SSN: 123-00-4567

Name: Kathy Jefferson

Hire Date: 02/16/1995



Division: D1 North Division

Outstanding Loan Balance: 775.03

Tax Year	IRS Rule	Tax Reason
2009	401K	EE DIRECT

Tax ID	Tax Assessor	Gross Amount	Taxable Amount	Withholding Amount	Withholding Percent	Additional Withholdings
123004567	IRS	775.03	775.03	0.00	0.00	0.00
123004567	CO	775.03	775.03	0.00	0.00	0.00

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SSN:

123-00-4567

Name:

Kathy Jefferson

Hire Date:

02/16/1995

Division:

D1 North Division




Payee	SSN	Relationship	Payment Method	Check %
1 of 1	123004567	OWNER	CHECK	100.00

Mailing Name	Address	Alternate Mailing Address ³
Kathy Jefferson	1234 Investment Blvd. Denver, CO 80202	1234 S.Broadway Englewood, CO 80111

³ Check will be sent to the alternate mailing address if present.

Gross Amount	Special Handling Charges	Total Withholdings	Net Amount
23,908.54	0.00	0.00	23,908.54

The plan sponsor will click the portion of the disbursement that is incomplete to view the details of the transaction.

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SSN: 123-00-4567

Name: Kathy Jefferson

Hire Date: 02/16/1995

Division: D1 North Division

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Checklist:

Step	Status
Employee Term Date	Incomplete
Employee Birth Date	Incomplete
Vesting	Complete ✓
Spousal Consent	Incomplete

Submit request for processing.

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SSN: 123-00-4567

Name: Kathy Jefferson

Hire Date: 02/16/1995

Division: D1 North Division

Employment Term Date is required for this transaction. Please enter term date below.

Click Accept to save changes and return to the checklist.

Otherwise click Cancel to return to the checklist without saving.

Employment Term Date (MM/DD/YYYY):

Accept

Cancel

Once all items are in a complete status, the plan sponsor may select the submit box. This will send the request to be processed.

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Reference Number	Reason	Method	Approval Request Date	Effective Date ¹	Transaction Amount ²
9185498	Retirement	Full withdrawal	03/27/2009	03/29/2009	\$55,267.98

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Plan:

1009500-01 My Retirement Company 401(k) Plan

SSN:

123-45-6789

Name:

Benjamin Jones

Hire Date:

12/16/1976

Division:

D3 South Division

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Vesting	Complete ✓
Spousal Consent	Complete ✓

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Submit

Request successfully submitted



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The following transactions require additional information or approval:

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9185498	1009500-02	123-45-6789	Benjamin Jones	D3 My Company – South Division	Retirement	Full withdrawal	Pending	03/27/2009
9999999	1009500-01	999-99-9999	Mary Franklin	D1 My Company – North Division	Separation of service	Full withdrawal	Pending	03/15/2009

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Benefits of the To Do List

- » The To Do List helps expedite the distribution process
- » Secure delivery of forms to the employer via Plan Service center instead of private participant information being delivered by fax
- » Time savings for plan sponsors
 - » Forms can be set up to remove the plan signature complete and all withdrawals can be approved online, so participants do not have to contact the plan
 - » Rejected forms are returned online instead of by fax. Information for research and approval is all in one place at the plan sponsors fingertips.
- » Participants will receive their checks in a more timely manner
- » Easy tracking of outstanding items

How do Plans Activate This Feature?

- » Conversion plans can set this up at the time of conversion
- » For an existing plan or plans that choose to add this at a later date, the MetLife Account Executive completes the Plan Change (Non-Amendment) Form. The FASCore Account Manager can assist with the completion of this form. This will initiate the set up process
- » The plan will need PSC Access for authorized approvers and an authorized approver listing on file

Thank You!



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