

Instructions for Staff

Request & Justification for Compensation Adjustment Form

# About the Document

name	CP-HR-3590-M. Request & Justification for Compensation Adjustment Form
owner	HR
access & use	Restricted to HR
what it is	<ul> <li>A form that proposes and quantifiably justifies a compensation adjustment.</li> <li>Used for:</li> <li>Supporting or opposing a request for compensation change, or red- circling, outside of the normal compensation review period</li> <li>Recommending a temporary or on-going salary increase/decrease, acting pay, an ad hoc bonus, or red-circling</li> </ul>
who uses it	<ul> <li>HR modifies the form to create a new form for each staff member whose compensation is under review</li> <li>HR and senior management review the form details and make the final decision</li> </ul>
used with	<ul> <li>CP-HR-3590-E. EXAMPLE. Request &amp; Justification for Compensation Adjustment Form</li> <li>CP-HR-3580-R. Salary or Title Change Confirmation Letter</li> <li>CP-HR-3610-R. Bonus Incentive Plan Payment Confirmation Letter</li> <li>CP-HR-3600-R. Salary Increase Decline Letter</li> </ul>

# Why This Process is Important

Completing this form ensures that appropriate research has been conducted before a compensation adjustment is requested. The form also ensures that the compensation adjustment request is presented in an organized and succinct manner, and provides a paper trail for the employee's records.

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- 3. Forward a copy of the letter to Payroll, for payment and benefit change processing (as applicable).
- 4. File a copy of the letter in the employee's file.

## If the request is denied:

- 1. If the request came from the employee and is denied, create the following letter:
  - CP-HR-3600-R. Salary Increase Decline Letter
- 2. Meet with the employee in person to communicate the reasons why the request has been denied, and to present the letter. (This meeting may be conducted by the employee's manager.)
- 3. File a copy of the letter in the employee's file.

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