

**HAZLEHURST CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

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**DONATION OF MAJOR MEDICAL LEAVE**

*As per school board policy GBRI)*

**PART 1 OF 3**

*“Catastrophic injury or illness” means a life-threatening injury or illness of an employee or a member of an employee’s immediate family that totally incapacitates the employee from work, as verified by a licensed physician, and forces the employee to exhaust all leave form earned by that employee, resulting in the loss Of compensation from that employee. Conditions that are short-term in nature, including, but not limited to, common illnesses such as influenza and the measles, and common injuries, are not catastrophic. Chronic illnesses or injuries such as cancer or major surgery, that result in intermittent absences from work and that are long-term in nature and require long recuperation periods may be considered catastrophic.*

*“Immediate family” means spouse, parent, stepparent, sibling, child or stepchild.*

To Be Completed by Recipient Employee:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_

Beginning date of catastrophic injury or illness: \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated date of return to work: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Please note: Part 2 — (Physician’s Certification Form) **must be attached to this form.** Leave may be donated only in the event that the employee has exhausted all applicable leave. The maximum amount of total donated leave days an employee may receive is 60.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Employee’s Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

APPROVAL BY:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Leave Committee

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Superintendent

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Date of Board Approval \_\_\_\_\_

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**DONATION OF LEAVE**

**PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATION FORM**

**PART 2 OF 3**

**PART A: To Be Completed by the Employee Requesting Donation of Leave**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Employee's Printed Name**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**SSN**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Phone #**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Location/Dept.

**PART B: To Be Completed by the Patient's Physician**

Instructions: The employee named in Part A has exhausted all leave and has applied to receive donations of leave. Please complete the information below for your patient.

Definition: "Catastrophic injury or illness" is defined as a life-threatening injury or illness of an employee or a member of an employee's immediate family (spouse, parent, step-parent, sibling, child or stepchild) which totally incapacitates the employee from work, as verified by a licensed physician, and forces the employee to exhaust all leave time earned by that employee, resulting in the loss of compensation of the employee. Conditions that are short-term in nature, including, but not limited to, common illnesses such as influenza and the measles, and common injuries, are not catastrophic. Chronic illnesses or injuries, such as cancer or major surgery, which result in intermittent absences from work and which are long-term in nature and require long recuperation periods, may be considered catastrophic.

1. In your opinion does the employee meet the "catastrophic injury or illness" definition above?  
YES                      NO                      (please circle one)

2. If the patient is an immediate family member of the employee, is the employee needed to care for the family member:    YES                      NO

3. Date injury/illness began:

4. Describe the injury or illness and give Prognosis for Recovery:

5. Date the employee will be able to return to work:

Physician's Name and Address (Print):

Physician's Signature:

Date:

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DONATION OF MAJOR MEDICAL LEAVE

***PART 3 of 3***

To Be Completed By Donor Employee:

(An employee may not donate more than 50% of unused accumulated leave; employee must retain at least 7 days of personal leave.)

Employee that leave is to be donated to: \_\_\_\_\_

School or Department: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of days to be donated: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name of Donating Employee

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Donating Employee

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**To Be Completed By HR PERSONNEL:**

**Donation of Leave Approved: Yes** \_\_\_\_\_ **No** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of HR Department Personnel

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date