

Searching for lost super

WHO SHOULD COMPLETE THIS FORM?

You should complete this form if you want to search our lost members register for any super you may have lost. Your super fund will report you as a lost member if:

- they have not been able to contact you
- they have not received any contributions or rollover amounts for you in the last five years, or
- your account was transferred from another fund as a lost member account and no new address has been found.

WHEN COMPLETING THIS FORM

When completing this form:

- Print clearly in BLOCK LETTERS using a black or blue pen.
- Use BLOCK LETTERS and print one character in each box.

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- Place in ALL applicable boxes.

AFTER COMPLETING THIS FORM

After you complete this form, send it to us at:

**PO Box 3578
ALBURY NSW 2640**

We will use the information you provide to check for any possible matches on the lost members register. We will write to you to let you know whether or not we have found a possible match or if we need more information.

ACCOUNT BALANCES LESS THAN \$200

If we successfully match your details with an entry on our lost members register, and the balance of your lost super account is less than \$200, you may withdraw this amount from your super fund tax-free regardless of your age.

HOW ELSE CAN I SEARCH FOR LOST SUPER?

You can also search for your lost super by:

- phoning **13 28 65** and following the prompts (you will need your TFN to use this service)
- phoning us on **13 10 20**
- using SuperSeeker on our website at www.ato.gov.au, or
- asking your current super fund to conduct a search on your behalf using SuperMatch.



PRIVACY INFORMATION

We are authorised by the *Superannuation (Unclaimed Moneys and Lost Members) Act 1999* to ask for the information in this enquiry form. We need this information to help administer the taxation and superannuation laws. Where authorised by law to do so, we may give this information to other government agencies. These agencies could include assistance agencies such as Centrelink, the Child Support Agency, law enforcement agencies and the Australian Bureau of Statistics.

MORE INFORMATION

For more information about searching for lost super:

- visit our website at **www.ato.gov.au**
- phone **13 10 20** between 8.00am and 6.00pm, Monday to Friday, or
- write to us at
**PO Box 3100
PENRITH NSW 2740.**

If you do not speak English well and want to talk to a tax officer, phone the Translating and Interpreting Service on **13 14 50** for help with your call.

If you have a hearing or speech impairment and have access to appropriate TTY or modem equipment, phone **13 36 77**. If you do not have access to TTY or modem equipment, phone the Speech to Speech Relay Service on **1300 555 727**.

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In the taxpayers' charter we commit to giving you information and advice you can rely on.

If you try to follow the information contained in our written general advice and publications, and in doing so you make an honest mistake, you won't be subject to a penalty. However, as well as the underpaid tax, we may ask you to pay an interest charge.

We make every effort to ensure that this information and advice is accurate. If you follow our advice, which subsequently turns out to be incorrect, or our advice is misleading and you make a mistake as a result, you won't be subject to a penalty or interest charge although you'll be required to pay any underpaid tax.

If you feel this publication does not fully cover your circumstances, please seek help from the Tax Office or a professional adviser. Since we regularly revise our publications to take account of any changes to the law, you should make sure this edition is the latest. The easiest way to do this is by checking for a more recent version on our website at **www.ato.gov.au**

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