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Social Security Administration
Supplemental Security Income
Notice of Change in Payment

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We plan to increase JUTERRIUS W. GRIMES' monthly Supplemental Security Income (SSI) payment from \$460.46 to \$507.46 beginning January 2022. The amount will change because the cost of living increased during the past year. He will continue to get the new amount each month unless there is a change in the information we use to figure his payment.

The rest of this letter explains more about JUTERRIUS W. GRIMES' SSI payments. It also tells you how to find affordable health care.

We explain how we figured the monthly payment amount on the worksheet(s) at the end of this letter. The explanation shows how his income, other than any SSI payments, affects his SSI payment. His other income may include a portion of his parent's income. We include explanations only for months where payment amounts change.

When You Will Receive His Payments

Your bank or other financial institution will receive his monthly payment of \$423.36 around January 1, 2022, and on the first of each month after that.

Information About JUTERRIUS W. GRIMES' SSI Payments

- As we told him before, we are withholding part of his payment to get back money he was overpaid. Starting January 2022, we will raise the amount withheld from his payment from \$79.40 to \$84.10. Therefore, you will receive a payment for him for \$423.36 instead of \$507.46. After January 2022 there will be \$4,707.06 left on his overpayment.

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- The \$84.10 we will withhold is 10 percent of his SSI money plus any other money we use in figuring his SSI. We will withhold more than we have before because his SSI money plus any other money we now use in figuring his SSI is more. If he wants us to withhold more or less, please call or visit his Social Security office.

If He Works Or Wants To Return To Work

We have a free and voluntary program called Ticket to Work that helps people who get disability benefits go to work. If he participates in this program, we may set aside review of his medical condition. Special rules may allow him to keep his Medicare or Medicaid and some or all of his disability benefits during his transition to work. Over time, he can replace his benefit payments with earnings from work. Please visit <https://choosework.ssa.gov> to find a list of service providers, including benefits and work incentives counselors, who can help him find, prepare for, and keep a job. For more information, contact the Ticket to Work Help Line at **1-866-968-7842** (TTY **1-866-833-2967**).

If he receives disability benefits and works, you must call us right away at **1-800-772-1213** (TTY **1-800-325-0778**) and tell us about any earnings he has. When he gets Supplemental Security Income, you must also tell us each month if there are changes in the amount of his earnings. If you do not report his earnings and he gets paid too much, he may have to repay benefits received. When you report his earnings, we will give you a receipt to verify his report. Keep this receipt with his other important papers from us. To learn more, please read our free publications, *Working While Disabled - How We Can Help* (No. 05-10095) or *The Red Book* (No. 64-030), our guide to employment support programs. You can find them at www.ssa.gov/pubs/EN-05-10095.pdf and www.ssa.gov/redbook online.

Your Reporting Responsibilities

JUTERRIUS W. GRIMES' SSI payments may change if his situation changes. You are required to report any changes that may affect his SSI no later than 10 days after the month the change takes place.

Please call **1-800-772-1213** (TTY **1-800-325-0778**) or contact your local Social Security office to report any of the following changes:

- He starts or stops work, or his wages increase or decrease
- His bank account balance goes over \$2,000.00
- He moves
- Anyone else moves into or out of his household
- Someone in his household dies
- Income or resources change for him or members of his household
- His medical condition improves
- He stops or starts attending school regularly
- He leaves the United States and expects to be gone for a full calendar month or for 30 consecutive days
- He is in a hospital, jail, or other institution for a full calendar month

- He has a felony or arrest warrant for escape from custody, flight to avoid prosecution or confinement, or flight-escape

Easy Ways To Report Wages

You also may be able to report his wages using our automated services:

- Our free "SSI Mobile Wage Reporting" application" lets you report wages on your smartphone.
- Our toll-free "SSI Telephone Wage Reporting System" lets you report wages using a touch-tone phone.
- Our "MyWageReport" tool lets you report wages securely online using a computer, tablet, or smartphone through your **my Social Security account**. To set up your account, go to www.ssa.gov/myaccount online.

To find out if you can use our automated services, please contact your local Social Security office.

Information About Other Benefits

We can sometimes pay more than just SSI payments. He may be able to receive benefits from his parent's Social Security record if he meets the following rules:

- he was disabled before age 22;
- he is unmarried, and
- At least one of his parents worked long enough under the Social Security program and is entitled to retirement or disability benefits or is deceased.

If you think he meets the above rules, please contact any Social Security office to file an application for childhood disability benefits.

You Can Review The Information In JUTERRIUS W. GRIMES' Case

The decisions in this letter are based on the law and information in our records. You have a right to review and get copies of the information in our records that we used to make the decisions explained in this letter. You also have a right to review and copy the laws, regulations, and policy statements used in deciding his case. To do so, please contact us. Our telephone number and address are shown under the heading "If You Have Questions".

Things You Should Know

- We are also sending this information to JUTERRIUS W. GRIMES.



- You may use this letter when you need proof of his SSI payment amount for other assistance programs such as food assistance, rent subsidies, energy assistance, medical assistance, bank loans, or for other purposes. However, if you get another letter saying his SSI payment is changing again, use that letter instead.
- We may match computer records and share information with other Federal, State, or local government agencies. Agencies use this information to see if a person qualifies for benefits. The law allows us to use computer matching even if you do not agree.

If You Disagree

If you disagree with this decision, you have the right to appeal. A person who did not make the first decision will decide the appeal. We call this appeal a reconsideration. When you appeal, we review his entire case, even the parts with which you agree. We consider any new facts we have and then make a new decision. The new decision could be more favorable, less favorable, or the same as the one you already have.



Time To File An Appeal

- You have 60 days to file an appeal in writing.
- The 60 days start the day after you receive this letter. We assume you got this letter 5 days after the date on the letter, unless you show us that you did not get it within the 5-day period.
- You must have a good reason for waiting more than 60 days to file an appeal.

How To Appeal

The fastest and easiest way to file an appeal is to visit <https://secure.ssa.gov/iApp/NMD/start> online. You may call **1-800-772-1213** (TTY **1-800-325-0778**) to request an appeal form or for help. You can file an appeal with any Social Security office. You must request the appeal in writing. You can also use our "Request for Reconsideration" form, SSA-561-U2, which is available on our website at www.ssa.gov on the Internet.

There are 2 types of appeals. In most cases, you can choose the one you want.

- Case Review: You will not meet with the person who decides his case. You have a right to review the facts in his file. You can give us more facts to add to his file. Then we will decide his case again. This is the only kind of appeal you can have for a medical decision.

- **Informal Conference:** You will talk with the person who decides his case either in person or over the phone. You can tell that person why you disagree with our decision. If you meet with us in person, it may help his case. You have a right to review the facts in his file. You can give us more facts to add to his file. You can have other people help explain his case. Then we will decide his case again.

If You Want Help With Your Appeal

You may choose to have a representative help you. We will work with this person just as we would work with you. If you decide to have a representative, you should find one quickly so that person can start preparing your case.

Many representatives charge a fee only if you receive benefits. Others may represent you for free. Usually, your representative may not charge a fee unless we approve it. Your local Social Security office can give you a list of groups that can help you find a representative.

If you get a representative, you or that person must notify us in writing. You may use our Form SSA-1696-U4 Appointment of Representative. Any local Social Security office can give you this form.

Help Prevent Identity Theft

Be aware of scams through the mail, Internet, telephone, or in person. You should be careful when someone asks for personal information, especially your Social Security number. Please visit www.usa.gov/identity-theft to find out more.

Suspect Social Security Fraud?

If you suspect Social Security fraud, please visit <https://oig.ssa.gov/report> or call the Inspector General's Fraud Hotline at **1-800-269-0271** (TTY **1-866-501-2101**).

Health Care Options

Need health insurance or know someone who does? Visit **HealthCare.gov** or call **1-800-318-2596** to get more information. If you are deaf or hard of hearing, you may call (TTY) **1-855-889-4325**.

Other Help For Older Adults and People with Disabilities

The Administration for Community Living offers older adults and people with disabilities a way to connect to a variety of community services and resources.

For Older Adults: Eldercare Locator at **1-800-677-1116** or www.eldercare.acl.gov.



For People with Disabilities: Disability Information and Access Line (DIAL) at 1-888-677-1199 or acl.gov/DIAL

If You Have Questions

If you have any questions, please:

- Visit our website at www.ssa.gov to find general information about SSI;
- Visit our website at www.ssa.gov/SSIrules to find the law and regulations about SSI eligibility and payments;
- Call us toll-free at 1-800-772-1213. We can answer most questions over the phone. If you are deaf or hard of hearing, our toll-free TTY number is 1-800-325-0778; or
- Contact any Social Security office. If you plan to visit an office, you may call ahead to make an appointment. The office that serves your area is located at:

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Enclosure(s):
How We Figured JUTERRIUS W. GRIMES' Payment

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His Payment Amount

The most SSI money the law allows us to pay	\$841.00
Minus (-) "Total income we count" (see below)	<u>-333.54</u>
Total Monthly SSI Payment for January 2022 on	\$507.46

His Income Other Than His SSI

Income he receives in November 2021 on affects his payment for January 2022 on

Child support payment of \$530.31	\$353.54
We only count 2/3 of child support	
By law we don't count \$20.00 of above income	<u>- 20.00</u>
Total income we count	\$333.54

Parent's Income for November 2021 on

CHENELLE L. SAM'S net income from self-employment	\$123.50
(NISE)	<u>- 20.00</u>
We don't count \$20.00 of above income	\$103.50
Subtotal	<u>- 65.00</u>
We don't count \$65.00 of NISE	\$ 38.50
We don't count 1/2 of this amount	<u>- 19.25</u>
1/2 of \$38.50 = \$19.25	\$ 19.25
Subtotal	<u>-794.00</u>
Minus (-) living allowance for parent	
Total parent's income we count	\$ 0.00
