

(Rule 68(3))

ELECTION TO TRANSFER TO THE RETIRED (INACTIVE) LIST

Inactive members who have been an active member or a Judge or Master in Chambers for a period or periods of at least 25 years may become retired members by completing this form and returning it to the Membership Services Department.

Active members who wish to become a retired member must first make an election to become and inactive member and then submit the *Election to Transfer to the Retired (Inactive) List* form. You may submit the two forms at the same time.

A retired member is not required to remit the annual membership fees and assessments payable other members.

Retired members are not entitled to receive from the Society any notices or publications other than those required to be given to inactive members by the *Legal Profession Act* or the Rules of the Law Society of Alberta and those specified by the Benchers.

Election for Inactive Membership

- 68** (1) An election by an active member to become an inactive member
- (a) shall be in Form 2-20, and
 - (b) subject to subrule (2) is effective when the Form, completed to the satisfaction of the Executive Director, is received in the Society's office in Calgary.
- (2) The Executive Director may refuse to approve an election submitted under subrule (1) until the member furnishes proof, satisfactory to the Executive Director, as to the location of all of the files relating to the affairs of the clients for whom the member has provided legal services and proof that the current files are in the hands of an active member.
- (3) (a) An inactive member, who has been an active member of the Society, or who has been a judge described in section 33 of the Act or a master in chambers, for a period or periods totalling at least 25 years, may elect not to pay the annual membership fees and assessments otherwise payable by inactive members.
- (b) On making an election under clause (3)(a), the member shall become an inactive member (retired).
 - (c) An election under clause (3)(a) shall be filed with the Executive Director in writing signed by the applicant.
 - (d) Notwithstanding any other provision in this Rule, an inactive member, unless the member otherwise directs, shall upon reaching age 70 and without election under clause (3)(a) become an inactive member (retired).
 - (e) An inactive member (retired) is not entitled to receive from the Society any notices or publications other than those required to be given to inactive members by the Act or these Rules and those specified by the Benchers.
- (4) An election to become an inactive member (retired) filed under subrule (3) ceases to have effect when the member notifies the Executive Director in writing of the revocation of the election.



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I, _____ in the Province of _____, hereby elect to transfer to the retired (inactive) list of the Law Society of Alberta.

I hereby certify that I understand that I cannot practise law while on the retired (inactive) list and undertake not to do so.

Member's Signature

Date

The personal information collected in this form will be used by the Law Society for one or more purposes contemplated by the *Legal Profession Act*, the Rules of the Law Society, the Code of Conduct, or a resolution of the Benchers and will be accessible to all departments of the Law Society, including the Alberta Lawyers Insurance Association. The information may be used or disclosed by the Law Society, now or in the future, for regulatory purposes, including Law Society investigations and proceedings. We may contact you to obtain additional information, or to obtain clarification on the information you provided. Should you have any questions about the collection, use or disclosure of this information, please contact the Privacy Officer at (403) 229-4700.