

Parental insurance

Nordic citizens working under the FAS-system

As a Nordic citizen working under the FAS-system, the main requirement for receiving parental benefits is taking out parental insurance.

The insurance terms and a guide to help you through each question can be found towards the end of this application form.

Please write in block letters.

1. Applicant

Name:	P-tal:
Street and no.:	PO box:
Postcode and town:	Telephone:
E-mail:	Mobile no.:

2. Employer details

Name:	V-tal:
Street and no.:	PO box:
Postcode and town:	Telephone:
Guarantor:	
E-mail of guarantor:	

3. Confirmation from employer

I certify that the applicant is only entitled to parental benefits from the Faroe Islands during the time the applicant works for us.

I understand that I am obliged to report any change of circumstance that might affect the parental benefits.

I certify that the information given in this form is accurate.

Date

Signature and stamp
(In the absence of a stamp, please state the signee's first and last name, in capital letters, above the signature)

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4. Other information

5. Confirmation from applicant

I understand that I am obliged to report any change in circumstance that might affect the parental benefits to Barsilsskipanin.

Date

Signature

The main requirements for taking out parental insurance are that you:

- have had an A-income with limited tax liability under the FAS-system and
- either live in another Nordic country and are subject to Faroese legislation according to the Nordic Treaty on social security
- or live in Denmark or Greenland and are not entitled to parental allowance according to Danish or Greenlandic legislation.

The insurance premium is 0.71% of the A-income you earn after the insurance is acquired, as a limited taxpayer under the FAS-system. You could be covered, at the earliest, the day Barsilsskipanin receives your application, but you must have been covered for at least one year before you can receive any payments.

Income from the last 12 months from the Faroe Islands does not have to be documented. Barsilsskipanin can access this information directly from TAKS.

The allowance cannot be more than 25,000 DKK per month.

Legal framework

Parental Leave Act passed by Løgting (Faroese parliament) the 3rd of April 2001. Order on Barsilsskipanin's board of appeals from the 14th of June 2004. Order on insurance for sailors working under the FAS-system.

Guide to each question

1. Applicant

Enter the applicant's name, p-tal (civil registration number), address and the like.

2. Employer details

Enter the employer's name, v-tal (VAT-number), address and possible guarantor.

3. Confirmation from employer

Here the employer certifies that the applicant is not entitled to parental benefits from another country while the applicant works for this employer.

4. Other information

Enter any additional information that may be relevant here.

5. Confirmation from applicant

This field is for the applicant to confirm that the information given in this form is accurate and that s/he is obliged to report any change in circumstance that may affect the parental benefit. Furthermore, the applicant gives Barsilsskipanin permission to obtain relevant information from TAKS.

Please fill out this form carefully. If required information or documents are missing, Barsilsskipanin will notify you. In this case, the missing information must be sent to Barsilsskipanin within 14 days of receiving the notice. If you fail to respond in this time, the application will be cancelled. If you withhold information or provide incorrect information, Barsilsskipanin will demand that you repay the received allowance and you could be fined or receive a mitigated punishment. The information given in the form may be checked under the provisions of § 21 of the Parental Benefits Act of the 3rd of April 2001.

Read more about parental benefits on Barsilsskipanin's website www.barsil.fo/en

This application form can contain sensitive information, so keep safety in mind

Submit the application form to TAKS via Mínboks or by other secure means.

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