

If you are a part-year resident, complete the RETIRED FOREST/PARK/WILDLIFE RANGER PENSION EXCLUSION COMPUTATION WORKSHEET (13E) using total taxable pension and total Social Security and railroad retirement benefits as if you were a full-year resident. Prorate the amount on line 8 by the number of months of Maryland residence divided by 12. However, if you began to receive your pension during the tax year you became a Maryland resident, use a proration factor of the number of months you were a resident divided by the number of months the pension was received. Copy the prorated amount from line 8 of the worksheet onto line 10b, Form 502.

For example, Pat Taxpayer moved to Maryland on March 1. If he started to receive his pension on March 1, he would prorate the pension exclusion by 10/10, which would mean he would be entitled to the full pension exclusion. However, if he began to receive his pension on February 1, Pat would prorate his pension by 10/11. In either case, the prorated factor may not exceed 1.

Note: You must complete and attach Form 502R to the Form 502 if you and/or your spouse are claiming a pension exclusion on line 10b of Form 502. See the Form 502R for additional information.

Line 11. FEDERALLY TAXED SOCIAL SECURITY AND RAILROAD RETIREMENT BENEFITS. If you included in your federal adjusted gross income Social Security, Tier I, Tier II and/or supplemental railroad retirement benefits, then you must include the total amount of such benefits on line 11. Social Security and railroad retirement benefits are exempt from state tax.

Note: You must complete and attach Form 502R to the Form 502 if you or your spouse received any income during the tax year (taxable or nontaxable) from Social Security or Railroad Retirement (Tier I or Tier II). See Form 502R for additional information.

Line 12. NONRESIDENT INCOME. If you began or ended your residence in Maryland during the year, you may subtract the portion of your income received when you were not a resident of Maryland. See Instruction 26 for part-year residents and Administrative Release 1 for military personnel.

If your state of residence or your period of Maryland residence was not the same as that of your spouse and you filed a joint return, follow Instruction 26 (c) through (p).

Line 13. SUBTRACTIONS FROM INCOME. Other certain subtractions for which you may qualify will be reported on Form 502SU. Determine which subtractions apply to you and enter the amount for each on Form 502SU. Enter the sum of all applicable subtractions from Form 502SU on line 13 of Form 502, and enter the code letter(s) that represent the four highest dollar amounts in the code letter lines. If multiple subtractions apply, be sure to identify all of them on Form 502SU and attach it to your Form 502.

Note: If only one of these subtractions applies to you, enter the amount and the code letter on line 13 of Form 502; then the use of Form 502SU may be optional.

▼ CODE LETTER

- a. Payments from a pension system to firemen and policemen for job related injuries or disabilities (but not more than the amount of such payments included in your total income).
- b. Net allowable subtractions from income from pass-through entities, not attributable to decoupling.
- c. Net subtractions from income reported by a fiduciary.
- d. Distributions of accumulated income by a fiduciary, if income tax has been paid by the fiduciary to the State (but not more than the amount of such income included in your total income).
- e. Profit (without regard to losses) from the sale or exchange of bonds issued by the State or local governments of Maryland.
- f. Benefits received from a Keogh plan on which State income tax was paid prior to 1967. Attach statement.

- g. Amount of wages and salaries disallowed as a deduction due to the work opportunity credit allowed under the Internal Revenue Code Section 51. The subtraction is reduced by the amount of the credit claimed on Form 500CR, Part O.
- h. Expenses up to \$5,000 incurred by a blind person for a reader, or up to \$1,000 incurred by an employer for a reader for a blind employee.
- i. Expenses incurred for reforestation or timber stand improvement of commercial forest land. Qualifications and instructions are on Form DNR393, available from the Department of Natural Resources, visit www.dnr.Maryland.gov to obtain this form.
- j. Amount added to taxable income for the use of an official vehicle by a member of a state, county or local police or fire department. The amount is stated separately on your W-2 form.
- k. Up to \$6,000 in expenses incurred by parent(s) to adopt a child with special needs through a public or nonprofit adoption agency and up to \$5,000 in expenses incurred by parent(s) to adopt a child without special needs.
- l. Purchase and installation costs of certain enhanced agricultural management equipment as certified by the Maryland Department of Agriculture. Attach a copy of the certification.
- m. Deductible artist's contribution. Attach Form 502AC.
- n. Payment received under a fire, rescue, or ambulance personnel length of service award program that is funded by any county or municipal corporation of the State.
- o. Value of farm products you donated to a gleaning cooperative as certified by the Maryland Department of Agriculture. Attach a copy of the certification.
- p. Up to \$15,000 of military pay included in your federal adjusted gross income that you received while in the active service of any branch of the armed forces and which is attributable to service outside the boundaries of the U.S. or its possessions. To compute the subtraction, follow the directions on the MILITARY OVERSEAS INCOME WORKSHEET (13B). If your total military pay exceeds \$30,000, you do not qualify for the subtraction.

MILITARY OVERSEAS INCOME WORKSHEET (13B)

When both you and your spouse qualify for this military subtraction, complete separate computations for each spouse.

1. ENTER the amount of military pay included in your federal adjusted gross income attributable to service outside the U.S.
If greater than \$15,000, enter \$15,000 \$ _____
2. ENTER total military pay received during the tax year \$ _____
3. Maximum subtraction \$ _____
4. SUBTRACT the amount on line 3 from line 2.
If this amount is less than zero (0), enter zero (0) \$ _____
5. SUBTRACT line 4 from line 1. This is your subtraction from income. If the amount is zero (0) or less, you are not eligible for this subtraction. INCLUDE this amount on line p of Form 502SU \$ _____

- q. Unreimbursed vehicle travel expenses for:
 1. A volunteer fire company;
 2. Service as a volunteer for a charitable organization whose principal purpose is to provide medical, health or nutritional care; AND
 3. Assistance (other than providing transportation to and from the school) for handicapped students at a Maryland community college. Attach Form 502V.
- r. Amount of pickup contribution shown on Form 1099R