

Emergency Relief Request Form

In Force Majeure circumstances, the IAPP certification body—with approval by the Certification Advisory Board (CAB)—will provide financial relief, temporary term extensions, or temporary stays of revocation.

A Force Majeure situation is defined as a significant, unforeseeable governmental, societal, or natural event that makes it impossible (temporarily) for the certificant to fulfill the certification body's financial or continuing education (CE) requirements. Examples include war, natural disaster, ongoing infrastructure failures, etc.

If an event arises that the IAPP certification body believes constitutes a Force Majeure event, the IAPP will activate the emergency relief measures detailed in the Emergency Relief Policy. An impacted certificant may submit this form identifying which type of assistance they need and a brief statement of their reasons.

The Certification body will review the submitted form and inform the applicant if the request has been approved within 5 business days. An applicant can submit an appeal of the decision within 30 days of receiving the decision notification using the Certification Appeals Policy.

Name: _____ **Email:** _____

Exam/Certification: _____ **Date:** _____

Requested Action:

- Financial Relief of Certification Maintenance Fees
- Temporary Term/Exam Extension
- Temporary Stay of Revocation

Statement:
