**Medicare Part A & Part B Surcharge Relief**

**Have you ever heard of form SSA-44? Well, this might be your Lucky Day!**

If you can produce this documentation with can almost certainly get a reduction in the Medicare income-related surcharges.  The information on the Medicare site seems to confirm this.  It says that the surcharges can be reduced if I provide documentation of a "life-changing event," and the list of events includes "you or your spouse stopped working or reduced your work hours."  It says acceptable documentation can be a letter from my employer confirming retirement.   I already have an e-mail from my employer confirming that they received my letter of retirement.