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## How to complete this form

### **Backup Withholding**

The Internal Revenue Service (IRS) requires us to withhold taxes for the applicable rate of backup withholding for U.S. persons without a W-9 tax certification who are not otherwise exempt. Parties acting as disbursement agents, such as Computershare, must withhold and pay to the IRS the applicable tax rate of such payments under certain conditions. This is called "backup withholding." Payments that may be subject to backup withholding include interest, dividends, broker and barter exchange transactions, and royalties. Supplying us with your correct Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN), and signing this form will generally allow you to receive your payments without being subject to backup withholding. Failure to supply your TIN, or supplying us with an incorrect TIN, could result in a \$50.00 penalty being assessed by the IRS. Receipt of a completed Form W-9 will discontinue backup withholding unless otherwise required.

#### **Taxpayer Identification**

Social Security Number (SSN) - If you are completing this on behalf of one of these parties, include the appropriate Social Security Number, as indicated below.

- 1. Individual (The Individual)
- Two or more individuals (joint account) (The actual owner, or if combined funds, the first individual on the account)
- Custodian account of a minor (Uniform Gift to Minors Act or Uniform Transfers to Minors Act) (The minor)
- a. The usual revocable savings trust (Grantor is also trustee) (The grantor-trustee)
  - So-called trust account that is not a legal or valid trust under state law (The actual owner)
- 5. Sole proprietorship (The owner)
- 6. Grantor trust filing under Optional Form 1099 Filing Method 1 (The grantor)

Employer Identification Number - If you are completing this on behalf of one of these entities, include the appropriate Employer Identification Number, as indicated below.

- 7. Disregarded entity not owned by an individual (The owner)
- 8. A valid trust, estate, or pension trust (Legal entity)
- Corporation or LLC electing corporate status on Form 8832 or Form 2553 (The corporation)
- Association, club, religious, charitable, educational or other tax exempt organization (The organization)
- 11. Partnership or multi-member LLC (The partnership)
- 12. A broker or registered nominee (The broker or nominee)
- Account with the Department of Agriculture in the name of a public entity (The public entity)
- Grantor trust filing under the Form 1041 Filing Method or the Optional Form 1099 Filing Method 2 (The trust)

## **Limited Liability Company or Other Classification**

If you are a Limited Liability Company or Other entity, complete an IRS Form W-9 found on the IRS website <a href="www.irs.gov">www.irs.gov</a>. Be sure to include the information required in the IRS instructions for a Limited Liability Company (LLC) or for Other entities on page 2. Return the completed form to the address below.

#### **Exempt Payee Code**

Generally, individuals (including sole proprietors) are not exempt from backup withholding. Corporations are exempt from backup withholding for certain payments, such as interest and dividends. Corporations are not exempt from backup withholding for payments made in settlement of payment card or third party network transactions. Note: if you are exempt from backup withholding, you should still complete this form to avoid possible erroneous backup withholding.

- An organization exempt from tax under section 501(a), any IRA, or a custodial account under section 403(b)(7) if the account satisfies the requirements of section 401(f)(2)
- 2. The United States or any of its agencies or instrumentalities
- A state, the District of Columbia, a U.S. commonwealth or possession, or any of their political subdivisions or instrumentalities
- 4. A foreign government or any of its political subdivisions or instrumentalities
- A corporation
- A dealer in securities or commodities required to register in the United States, the District of Columbia, or a possession of the United States
- A futures commission merchant registered with the Commodity Futures Trading Commission
- 8. A real estate investment trust
- An entity registered at all times during the tax year under the Investment Company Act of 1940
- 10. A common trust fund operated by a bank under section 584(a)
- A financial institution
- 12. A middleman known in the investment community as a nominee or custodian
- A trust exempt from tax under section 664 or described in section 4947

#### **Exemption from FATCA Reporting**

The following codes identify payees that are exempt from reporting under FATCA. These codes apply to persons submitting this form for accounts maintained outside of the United States by certain foreign financial institutions. Therefore, if you are only submitting this form for an account you hold in the United States, you may leave this field blank.

- An organization exempt from tax under section 501(a) or any individual retirement plan as defined in section 7701(a)(37)
- B. The United States or any of its agencies or instrumentalities
- C. A state, the District of Columbia, a possession of the United States, or any of their political subdivisions or instrumentalities
- A corporation the stock of which is regularly traded on one or more established securities markets, as described in Reg. section 1.1472-1(c)(1)(i)
- A corporation that is a member of the same expanded affiliated group as a corporation described in Reg. section 1.1472-1(c)(1)(i)
- A dealer in securities, commodities, or derivative financial instruments (including notional principal contracts, futures, forwards, and options) that is registered under the laws of the United States or any state
- G. A real estate investment trust
- H. A regulated investment company as defined in section 851 or an entity registered at all times during the tax year under the Investment Company Act of 1940
- I. A common trust fund as defined in section 584(a)
- J. A bank as defined in section 581
- K. A broker
- L. A trust exempt from tax under section 664 or described in section 4947(a)(1)
- M. A tax exempt trust under a section 403(b) plan or section 457(g) plan

Definition of a U.S. Person. For federal tax purposes, you are considered a U.S. person if you are:

- An individual who is a U.S. citizen or U.S. resident alien,
- A partnership, corporation, company, or association created or organized in the United States or under the laws of the United States,
- An estate (other than a foreign estate), or
- A domestic trust (as defined in Regulations Section 301.7701-7).

# Please return the completed form to:

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