

# PBS TAX & BOOKKEEPING SERVICE

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## INCOME TAX ORGANIZER INSTRUCTIONS

### Income Tax Specialists for Truckers

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Our Tax Organizer is designed to help you gather the proper tax information required to prepare your tax return. Please fill out completely all areas that pertain to you. If you have part of the year as Company Driver and part Owner-Operator you will need to fill out all 3 pages.

In addition, please also send the following:

- A copy of your most recent Federal, State and Local tax returns if not prepared by PBS **(This information is mandatory as it gives us an idea of your tax history and tax requirements).**
- Detailed depreciation schedule on any equipment purchased, including depreciation, cost, accumulated depreciation, method and useful life **(new clients only).**
- All wage/earning statements W-2's, 1099's, K-1's, etc.
- Form(s) 1098 (mortgage interest) and property tax statements.
- Year-end stock brokerage tax summary (1099) (including purchase price and dates acquired for items sold) from stock, bond or other investment transactions.
- Closing statements pertaining to real estate transactions.
- Any tax notices received from the IRS or other taxing authorities.
- Information on any equipment **sold** or **traded**.
- A copy of the lease or purchase agreement including financing terms for any new or used equipment acquired.
- A \$250 deposit toward the preparation of your tax return. When your return is completed you will be notified of the results and **balance due** to PBS.
- If you anticipate a refund and want direct deposit, please include a voided check for the account you want the deposit made to.

Please be sure to provide all the information listed. It is imperative we receive all information if we are to maximize your tax savings. Please send your **completed** Tax Organizer along with the tax materials mentioned above to our office as soon as possible.

If you need help filling out the Tax Organizer or have any questions at all please don't hesitate to give us a call at: 800-697-5153

*Income Tax Specialists for the Trucking Industry Since 1974*

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SECTION 1: GENERAL INFORMATION

TAXPAYER

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_
Social Security #: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_
Home Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_
Cell Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_
E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_
Filing Status: [ ] Single [ ] Head of Household
[ ] Married [ ] Married Filing Separately (Need Spouse Name & SS#)
Did Your Marital Status Change? \_\_\_\_\_
If Divorced, Date Final in 2011 \_\_\_\_\_

SPOUSE

Name: \_\_\_\_\_
Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security #: \_\_\_\_\_
Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_
[ ] BLIND [ ] OVER 65 Business Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_
Did You Live at The Same Address all Year Y / N \_\_\_\_\_
Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME

Residence Address: \_\_\_\_\_
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_
County \_\_\_\_\_
School District: Name \_\_\_\_\_ Number \_\_\_\_\_
If You Moved to Another State, Provide State & Date You Moved. \_\_\_\_\_

DEPENDENTS

Table with 6 columns: Names of Dependents Claimed As Exemptions, Date Of Birth, Dependents Social Security Number, Relationship, Number of Months Lived AT Home, College, Y/N Full Time Student.

SECTION 2: MISC.

CURRENT YEAR CONTRIBUTIONS

Table for Current Year Contributions with columns: IRA, KEOGH, SEP, ROTH IRA, SIMPLE, UNI-K. Includes text: Do either you or your spouse participate in a pension, profit sharing or 401K plan? YES [ ] NO [ ]

ESTIMATED TAXES PAID AND CREDITS

Check Box If No Estimates Paid [ ]
Don't include 2010 Overpayment in 1st Quarter
Table with columns: DUE DATE, DATE PAID, FEDERAL, STATE. Includes text: Amount paid with extension by 4-17-12 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

SECTION 3: INCOME

INTEREST INCOME: PAYOR

Attach Copies Of 1099s (1099-INT)
\$ \_\_\_\_\_
\$ \_\_\_\_\_
\$ \_\_\_\_\_
\$ \_\_\_\_\_
\$ \_\_\_\_\_
\$ \_\_\_\_\_

DIVIDEND INCOME: PAYOR

Attach Copies Of 1099s And Year-End Broker Statements (1099-DIV)
\$ \_\_\_\_\_
\$ \_\_\_\_\_
\$ \_\_\_\_\_

INCOME FROM K-1's

Attach K-1 Form
\$ \_\_\_\_\_

SALE OF STOCKS & BONDS

ATTACH YEAR END BROKER STATEMENTS AND 1099 B'S.
INCLUDE DATE ACQUIRED & AMOUNT YOU PAID FOR EACH STOCK SOLD.
Gambling Income - W2G \$ \_\_\_\_\_
Gambling Losses \$ \_\_\_\_\_

RENTAL PROPERTY

Attach The Following:
(1) Escrow Closing Statements For Purchases, Sales, Or Refinances
(2) Schedule Of Income And Expenses For Each Property
(3) Year-End Mortgage Interest Statement (Form 1098)
(4) Property Tax Bill - If Property Purchased in 2011

OTHER INCOME

Wages: (Attach Original W-2's) Number of W-2's \_\_\_\_\_ Alimony Received: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Pension or Annuity (Attach W-2 P's or 1099 R's) \$ \_\_\_\_\_
ATTACH (1099-MISC) Other Income \_\_\_\_\_ ATTACH (1099-G) Unemployment Compensation \_\_\_\_\_ ATTACH (1099-SSA) Social Security Income \_\_\_\_\_ ATTACH (1099-G) State Tax Refund \_\_\_\_\_

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SECTION 4: DEDUCTIONS CLAIMED

MEDICAL EXPENSES

Insurance Premiums \$ (Don't Duplicate in Section 8 under Health Insurance)
Long Term Care Insurance Premiums - Taxpayer \$ / Spouse \$
Drugs and Medicines \$ Doctors, Hospitals, Etc \$
Medical Miles Driven

CHILD & DEPENDENT CARE CREDIT

Names of Dependents Cared For 1) 2) 3)
Amount Paid for Each Dependent \$ 1) 2) 3)
Name of Dependent Care Provider
Provider ID Number (ssn or EIN)
Street Address, City, State, Zip Code
Telephone#

HOME MORTGAGE INTEREST

Mtge. Loans Paid to Fin. Institution (Attach Copies of Form 1098) (List Lenders Names)
Mortgage Interest Paid to Individual (List Name, Address, and SS#)
Student Loan Interest (1098-E)

IF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING ITEMS PERTAIN TO YOU THIS PAST YEAR, PLEASE CHECK THE BOX AND ATTACH ALL PERTINENT DETAILS AND STATEMENTS.

- Do you wish to give \$3.00 of your taxes to the Presidential Campaign Fund?
Did you refinance your residence? How long is new loan for?
Did you purchase or sell your personal residence?
Did you add any energy efficient improvements (insulation systems, exterior windows, and doors, metal roofs) to your home?
Did you purchase a new car or hybrid vehicle?
Did you have any debts cancelled or forgiven? ATTACH FORM 1099C & 1099-A
Has there been an IRS audit? (If yes, send audit report within the last three years)
Did you have any worthless securities or non-business uncollectible debts?
Did you make withdrawals from a Retirement Plan Amount withdrawn \$ Amount rolled over \$ (Attach form #1099-R)

COLLEGE TUITION - Taxpayer Spouse Child
Year of College (circle one): 1 2 3 4 or Beyond Amount Paid \$ (Attach form #1098-T)

SECTION 5: CHECK LIST ITEMS

TAXES

Real Estate Taxes \$
Personal property taxes (including automobile fees) \$
Sales Taxes (Boat, CAR, RV) (attach contract) \$
Paid with 2010 state extension \$
Paid with 2010 state return \$

CONTRIBUTIONS

(You Must Have Cancelled Checks or Proof From Charity)

Total Cash Contributions \$
Non-Cash Contributions (Attach Receipts if over \$250.)
Name \$
Name \$

COMPANY DRIVER BUSINESS EXPENSES

Not Reimbursed

If Self-Employed: Do Not Use This Section. Use Section 8.

No. of Overnights Motels \$
Trucking Publications \$ Union & Professional Dues \$
Telephone/Cell Phone \$ CB \$ Scales/Tolls \$
Gloves \$ Weather Gear \$ Flashlight \$
Laundry/Uniforms \$ Tools \$ Work Boots \$
Maps \$ Fire Extinguisher \$ First Aid Kit \$
Other \$ Other \$ Other \$

OTHER

Total Casualty Loss \$ Attach Documentation
Moving Expenses (Work Related) \$ Attach Documentation
Miles From Old Home To New Home Date Moved
Safety Deposit Box \$
Adoption Expense (per child or effort) \$
Income Tax Preparation \$

HSA Health Saving Accounts: ATTACH FORMS 1099-SA & 5498-SA
Coverage: Self Family Contributions made: Taxpayer \$ Spouse \$

TAX LAW AND IRS REGULATIONS ALLOW A DEDUCTION FOR EXPENDITURES WITH RESPECT TO TRAVEL AWAY FROM HOME, MEALS AND LODGING, ENTERTAINMENT, AND CERTAIN BUSINESS GIFTS ONLY IF SUBSTANTIATION OF THE ITEM CAN BE PROVIDED BY ADEQUATE RECORDS.

INFORMATION THAT MUST BE AVAILABLE INCLUDES:

- Amount
Time and Place of Travel or Entertainment
Date and Description of a Gift
Business Purpose and Business Relationship to the Person being Entertained or Receiving a Gift

SECTION 6: HOME OFFICE

Date Acquired
Total Square Feet: Home Business Use Room
Cost of Residence \$ (Please send copy of Property Tax Bill)
Insurance \$
Repairs & Maintenance \$
Utilities \$

