

# U.S. Department of Justice Office of Attorney Recruitment and Management Supplemental Tax Information For New Attorney and Law Clerk Candidates

1.	In the last seven tax years, have you failed to file a federal or state tax return?					
	$\square$ Yes $\square$ No If yes, please explain why in the space provided below. (Attach additional pages, if necessary.)					
2.	In the last seven tax years, did you file a federal or state tax return more than 45 days after the due date for filing? Include any tax returns due <i>more</i> than seven years ago that were not filed until sometime during the last seven years (e.g., a tax return due eight years ago that was not filed until five years ago).					
	$\square$ Yes $\square$ No If yes, please explain why in the space provided below. (Attach additional pages, if necessary.)					
3.	In the last seven tax years, did you make a federal or state tax payment more than 45 days after notice and demand? Include any tax payments due <i>more</i> than seven years ago that were not paid in full until sometime during the last seven years, as well as tax payments made pursuant to installment agreements with the IRS or state tax authority.					
	$\square$ Yes $\square$ No $\square$ If yes, please explain why in the space provided below. (Attach additional pages, if necessary.)					
4.	In the last seven tax years, did you have insufficient income to meet filing requirements, or were you required to file with a foreign tax agency (e.g., Puerto Rico or the Virgin Islands)					
	$\square$ Yes $\square$ No If yes, please describe the circumstances in the space provided below. (Attach additional pages, if necessary.)					
Explanation(s) and further information:						
Na	nme: Date:					

Form **14767** 

Department of the Treasury - Internal Revenue Service

(May 2019)

# **Consent to Disclose Tax Compliance Check**

1. Taxpayer Information						
First name	Middle initial	Last name	Suffix	Social Security Number (SSN)		
Street address						
City	State	ZIP code	Online code			
2. Appointee						
Federal agency name	Assigned agency code					
US Department of Justice Eleanor Carpenter, Actir	nt (or designee)	FD154				
Street address						
450 5th Street NW						
City	State	ZIP code	Contact telephone number			
Washington	DC	10200	202-514-8900			
Authorization						
<ol> <li>Individual income tax filing obligations (<i>Tax Form Number 1040</i>), for the four (4) most recent tax periods, to include the tax year, whether the return was filed timely (<i>with regard to valid extensions</i>), or the number of days filed late; and, if no return is on file, whether the filing of a return was required for the tax year.</li> <li>Business taxes for which I am personally liable. As a sole-proprietor I may be liable for filing employment and/or excise tax returns for my business (<i>See instructions</i>). If applicable, the report will identify the type of unfiled business tax return(s) and tax period(s), if a return is required based on my business' reporting requirements.</li> <li>Unpaid assessed tax liabilities (<i>i.e. tax debts</i>) for any tax period for which the collection statute of limitations has not expired. (<i>This is generally (10) years from the date of assessment unless extended</i>). If all taxes are paid the report will state that no taxes are due. For unpaid taxes as of the date of the report, the tax period; the amount owed (<i>total balance due including tax, penalties and interest</i>); primary reason for the assessment; the existence of a tax lien, if applicable, and the current status of the account (<i>e.g. installment agreement, appeal or claim pending, etc.</i>) will be listed.</li> </ol>						
4. Whether a fraudulent failure to file or civil tax fraud penalty was assessed in the last five (5) years. If applicable, the report will identify the tax period, date and amount of the penalty(ies) assessed, even if fully paid by the date of the report.						
The IRS will not release copies of my tax return, a transcript of my account nor information concerning my income, dependents or filing status, to the appointee pursuant to this authorization.						
I certify that I have the authority to execute this conformation provided is to the best of my knowledge.			e authority to ex	ecute this consent and the		
Signature of Taxpayer (The IRS must receive	e this consent	within 120-days of the dated signature.)	ı			
Signature	Date					
Privacy Act Notice						

We ask for the information on this form to carry out the Internal Revenue laws of the United States. Form 14767 authorizes the IRS to disclose your confidential tax information to the Federal agency you appoint. This form is provided for your convenience and its use is voluntary. The information is used by the IRS to determine what confidential tax information your appointee can receive. Internal Revenue Code section 6103(c) and its regulations require you to provide this information if you want to designate an appointee to inspect and/or receive your confidential tax information. Under section 6109, you must disclose your identification number. If you do not provide all the information requested on this form, we may not be able to honor the authorization. Providing false or fraudulent information may subject you to penalties.

Routine uses of this information include disclosure to the Department of Justice for civil or criminal litigation and to other federal agencies, as provided by law. We may disclose this information to cities, states, the District of Columbia, and U.S. Commonwealths and possessions to administer their laws. We may also disclose this information to other countries under a tax treaty, to federal and state agencies to enforce federal nontax criminal laws, or to federal law enforcement and intelligence agencies to combat terrorism. We may disclose this information to persons for purposes of collecting debts through salary and administrative offsets and to the news media as described in IRS Policy Statement P-1-183. We may also disclose this information to appropriate persons to assist in responding to compromises of information.

The time needed to complete the form will vary depending on individual circumstances. The estimated average time for completing this form is 6 minutes. If you have comments concerning the accuracy of this time estimate or suggestions for making this form simpler, we would be happy to hear from you. You can send your comments from <a href="IRS.gov/FormComments">IRS.gov/FormComments</a>. Or you can send your comments to the Internal Revenue Service, Tax Forms and Publications, 1111 Constitution Ave. NW, IR-6526, Washington, DC 20224.

## Instructions for Form 14767, Consent to Disclose Tax Compliance Check

#### **Purpose of Form**

The purpose of the report is to provide the appointee federal tax information necessary for use in conducting a background investigation or determining one or more of the following:

- · Suitability for government employment or appointment,
- Eligibility for access to federally controlled facilities and information systems,
- Authorization to be issued a federal credential or receive sensitive government information,
- · Access to classified information.
- · Contractor or federal employee fitness,
- · Monitoring tax compliance, if required as a condition of employment, or
- · Other purposes authorized by Federal law

The purpose of this form is to authorize the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) to prepare a Tax Compliance Report that discloses confidential tax information to a third-party appointee. The appointee is the Federal agency identified on the form which may be your current or prospective employing or contracting agency or a Federal Investigative Service Provider agency for example, the National Background Investigations Bureau or Defense Counterintelligence and Security Agency (DCSA) which conduct background investigations for Federal agencies. This form may also be used to request a Tax Compliance Report for other authorized uses. Without a valid consent, the IRS is prohibited by law from disclosing any of this information to third parties. Pursuant to this consent, only your Tax Compliance Report and limited details from your tax account explaining the report will be disclosed.

#### **Authorized Disclosures**

If you timely filed and paid your taxes, the report will state that you are compliant with your tax obligations. The report will only address facts of filing and your compliance status on all authorized tax periods. If you have a delinquent Federal tax liability (i.e. unpaid tax debt), we will only disclose limited information sufficient to explain the specific delinquency.

If there are overdue filing(s) or payments the report will state that you are non-compliant or in a compliant status if there are extenuating circumstances (e.g. litigation, combat zone, installment agreement) and provide an explanation along with the current status of your account. For example, if you owe taxes for 2018 and are repaying through an approved installment agreement, we will report the amount owed and the fact that you have a current installment agreement.

We will report an assessment of a civil tax fraud penalty or fraudulent failure to file penalties whether paid or unpaid. These penalties relate to the non-filing or non-payment of income, excise and employment tax returns (for example the trust fund recovery penalty; frivolous filing penalty; willful failure to pay, evade or defeat the stamp tax; sanctions awarded by the Tax Court). Generally, these penalties are assessed in addition to any income tax liability under your Social Security Number (SSN).

#### **Business Information**

Do you own a business? If you own a business as a sole proprietor, we will research and report any delinquent excise or employment tax liabilities associated with your business. You would report the income and expenses of your business on Schedules C or F attached to your individual income tax return. This only applies if you have employees or are subject to excise taxes for which you are personally responsible for paying even though these taxes are assessed using the business's Employer Identification Number (EIN). The employment or excise tax returns are not reported on your individual income tax return but are filed separately with the IRS (for example, Form 940, 941,720). If you do not have employees or are not required to pay these taxes, you would not file any of these business returns.

#### Taxpayer Information

Enter your name, Social Security Number (SSN) and address in the spaces provided. If you were directed to use the IRS online tax check service, you must enter the Online Code you received when you were unable to verify your identity. Leave the Online Code blank if you did not use the IRS online tax check service.

#### **Authorized Appointee**

The Federal agency that will receive your confidential tax information should have provided the information for this section. They will identify the name of the agency, assigned agency code, the agency's mailing address and contact telephone number. If they did not provide this information, ask them to add it before you sign. Do not sign this consent if this information is blank.

### Signature of Taxpayer

You must sign and date the consent in order for the IRS to disclose your tax information to the Federal agency appointee named on the consent. When signing the document, you are authorizing the release of specific tax information from IRS records.

Do not sign this document if the appointee information is not completed. The IRS must receive this consent within 120-days of you signing and dating the document. IRS will provide a Tax Compliance Report directly to your agency appointee.