Corporation/S-Corps/ Partnership(LLC) Data Organizer

Name

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CLIENT INFORMATION

Corporation Name	
Corporation DBA	
Federal Identification number	
Street address	
State	
City	
Zip Code	
Telephome number	
Fax number	
E-mail address	
Fiscal year and (MM)	
Date incorporated (MMDDYY)	
Business code	
Business activity	
Product or service	
Accounting method	
Location of accounting records	
Number of shareholders	
1= 1120-filter	
Firm number	
State return	
Notes:	

OFFICER INFORMATION

OFFICER NO .1	OFFICER NO.2
Officer Name	Officer Name
Street address	Street address
State	State
City	City
Zip Code	Zip Code
Social Security number	Social Security number
Title	Title
Time Devoted to business	Time Devoted to business
%of common stock owned (xx.xx)	%of common stock owned (xx.xx)
%of preferred stock owned (xx.xx)	%of preferred stock owned (xx.xx)
OFFICER NO.3	OFFICER NO.4
Officer Name	Officer Name
Street address	Street address
State	State
City	City
Zip Code	Zip Code
Social Security number	Social Security number
Title	Title
Time Devoted to business	Time Devoted to business
%of common stock owned (xx.xx)	%of common stock owned (xx.xx)
%of preferred stock owned (xx.xx)	%of preferred stock owned (xx.xx)
OFFICER NO.5	OFFICER NO.6
Officer Name	Officer Name
Street address	Street address
State	State
City	City
Zip Code	Zip Code
Social Security number	Social Security number
Title	Title
Time Devoted to business	Time Devoted to business
%of common stock owned (xx.xx)	%of common stock owned (xx.xx)
%of preferred stock owned (xx.xx)	%of preferred stock owned (xx.xx)

50% or More of This Corporation

NO .1	NO.2
Name	Name
Street address	Street address
State	State
City	City
Zip Code	Zip Code
Social Security number	Social Security number
%of common stock owned (xx.xx)	%of common stock owned (xx.xx)
%of constructively owned (xx.xx)	%of constructively owned (xx.xx)
%of preferred stock owned (xx.xx)	%of preferred stock owned (xx.xx)
NO.3	
Name	Name
Street address	Street address
State	State
City	City
Zip Code	Zip Code
Social Security number	Social Security number
%of common stock owned (xx.xx)	%of common stock owned (xx.xx)
%of constructively owned (xx.xx)	%of constructively owned (xx.xx)
%of preferred stock owned (xx.xx)	%of preferred stock owned (xx.xx)
NO.5	NO.6
Name	Name
Street address	Street address
State	State
City	City
Zip Code	Zip Code
Social Security number	Social Security number
%of common stock owned (xx.xx)	%of common stock owned (xx.xx)
%of constructively owned (xx.xx)	%of constructively owned (xx.xx)
%of preferred stock owned (xx.xx)	%of preferred stock owned (xx.xx)

Foreign Owned Corporation Info^o

NO.1
Name
Street address
State
City
Zip Code
Social Security number
%of common stock owned (xx.xx
%of constructively owned (xx.xx)
%of preferred stock owned (xx.x
NO.2
Name
Street address
State
City
Zip Code
Social Security number
%of common stock owned (xx.xx
%of constructively owned (xx.xx)
%of preferred stock owned (xx.x

(If you sold your home or any other real estate please **SALES & EXCHANGES**enclose settlement statement from purchase and sale).

DESCRIPTIONS ()Real Estate, Stock, etc.	Date bought	Date sold					riginal Bus ost use?		c.	Selling price	
IMPROVEMENTS											

INSTALLMENT PROCEEDS

DESCRIPTIONS	Date bought	Date sold	Original cost	inal cost % proof		Interest payment	

PARTNERSHIP, ESTATES OR TRUSTS, SMALL CORPORATIONS

Include copies of K-1 's or other statements- State & Federal

NAME	Date bought or begun	E.I.No.	Net Loss	۸	let income	

RENT & ROYALTY INCOME

PROPERTY TYPE & LOCATION	Date placed in service	Date bought	Cost of other		Ме	thod	Prior deprecia Life	ition	Amount	
A										
В										
С										
D										1
Е										1
F										
INCOME	Α	В		С		D	E		F]
Rents recived										1
Royalties received										1
EXPENSES										1
Advertising										1
Auto and travel										1
Cleaning and maintenance										1
Commissions										1
Insurance										1
Interest										1
Legal & professional										1
Repairs										1
Supplies										1
Taxes										1
Utilities										1
Other expenses										1
Attach details of improvements										1
Management fees										1
Association dues										

BUSINESS SUMMARIES

TOTAL RECEIPTS (Business Income)

Year end total	Source	No.
	Retail Sales	1
	Wholesale Sales	2
	1099-MISC s	3
		4
		5
	Other Income	6
		7
		8
	Total Income	

PRODUCT PURCHASES

Year end total	Source	No.
		1
		2
		3
		4
		5
		6
	End of year inventory]

COMMISSIONS / SALES & BONUS RECORD

				Enter for Form 1099							
	Soc.	Sec.	# Name	Bonuses		Commissions					
1											
2											
3											
4											
5											
6											
7											
8											
9											
10											

PAYMENTS & COSTS

Year end total Source		
	Bonuses to others	1
	Amount removed for personal use	2
	Refunds & Rebates	3
	Materials	4
	Labor	5
		-

BUSINESS SUMMARIES

OPERATING EXPENSES

NOTES

		Year End Total	٦
1	Advertising		
2	Bad debts*		
3	Bank charges		
4	Business gifts		
5	Car and Truck*		П
6	Client entertainment		П
7	Continuing education		П
8	Conventions, seminars		٦
9	Commissions		П
10	Demonstrations, training		П
11	Dues, publications		П
12	Educational supplies		П
13	Field accommodations		
14	Freight		П
15	Incentives, awards		П
16	Insurance (non-home / vehicle)		П
17	Interest (non-home / vehicle)		П
18	Laundry, cleaning		
19	Legal, professional		٦
20	Office supplies		П
21	Parking		П
22	Postage		П
23	Printing		\exists
24	Rent (non-home)		\exists
25	Repairs (non-home / vehicle)		

BUSINESS SUMMARIES (CONTINUED)

OPERATING EXPENSES

NOTES

	Year End Total
Sales promotion	
Samples, displays	
Security	
Storage	
Supplies	
Taxes (non- vehicle)	
Travel (only)	
Telephone	
Utilities (non-home)	
Miscellaneous	
Other	
Accounting	
Answering service	
Client contact	
Licences, fees	
Market development	
Props / media	
Wages	
Contract labor	
Rent / Machinery / Equipment	
Contributions	

VEHICLE USED IN BUSINESS

Vehicle #	Name of Business	*Date First used in Business	*Cost	Description	*Total MI For Year	*Business MI For Year
1						
2						
3						
4						
5						

^{*}Mandatory Information

VEHICLE EXPENSES

VEINVEL										
Vehicle #	Gas Oil+	Repairs Maintenance	Insurance	· Licence+	Interest+	Parking+	Lease Cost+	Other	=	Total
1										
2										
3										
4										
5										

^{*}Mandatory if more than one vehicle used in one business at the same time

VEHICLE SOLD (Complete only if vehicle used in business)

Vehicle #	Date Sold	Amount	If traded in on which vehicle#	
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				

LIST ALL EQUIPMENT, FURNITURE, ETC. USED IN YOUR BUSINESS

That was bought or sold this year.

Description	BusinessName	Date Purchased	Date First used in Bus.	Cost	Selling price	% Business

Other than assets listed above, are there any changes regarding assets used in your business last year (% business use, retired, corrections to cost or dates, etc.)?

Description	BusinessName	Date Purchased	Date First used in Bus.	Cost	Selling price	% Business

ESTIMATED TAXES PAID

PAYMENTS	Date due	Date	Amount	Date	Amount	Date	Amount
First quarter this year							
Second quarter this year							
Third quarter this year							
Fourth quarter this year							
Amount paid w/ extension							
Overpayment credit							

CONT	RIBUTIONS	

CASH					Check if	no receipt	Amount	
Church								
United Way								
Miscellaneous organized	charities							
Volunteer activities mileag	 je							
NON-CASH	Date*	Date* given	What was given*	Orig.* Cost	How did you acquire* this property	Fair mkt.* value		
Goodwill Industries								
Salvation Army								
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DIVIDEND INCOME	This =	This +	This +Thi	S
SOURCE Attach copies of 1099's	Total received	Non qualifying	Capital gains	Nontaxable

INTEREST INCOME

LIST SOURCE Attach forms 1099	Amount			
		Taxpayer	Spouse	_
Non-taxable interest income				

CERTIFICATION

evidence now in existence and in my possession) for all the deductions claimed in my that the "adequate records" requirement of the law may be satisfied by a concurrently maintained account book, diary, log book, statement of expense, or similar record. I understand that I must keep a log for local travel or be able to reconstruct one, and Tax Return prepared by the information presented in this workbook. I understand expenses, as well as entertainment, gifts, sales promotion and education, and that such as receipts, paid bills, or similar evidence sufficient to support hotel or meal reconstructed or estimated. I understand that I must have documentary evidence these receipts must be identified in a timely manner. If I lack receipts for these I hereby certify that I have adequate records (or other sufficient corroborative that I must have a log for out-of-town travel expenses which may not be expenditures then I may not claim the deductions.

corroborative evidence sufficient to establish the amount, date, place, and purpose of records". I realize that I am responsible to substantiate the item by a written or oral statement to the taxing agency containing specific information in detail; and other I represent that wherever my records do not meet the definitions of "adequate any amount for which I do not meet the "adequate records" requirements.

expenditure on the basis of approximations or unsupported testimony of the taxpayer, and accordingly, the information provided can be verified by something more than I understand that the law contemplates that no deductions shall be allowed for an my unsupported testimony. I have adequate documentation to substantiate my deductions in the event of an audit. I have also read and agree to the preparers declaration of service.

also certify that
ssisted me in putting my figures in the proper places in the tax organizer for the tax
vear of and that he/she is in no way responsible for the origin or amount
of any of the figures in this workbook.
also understand that if a completed data organizer is not received by April 1,
the company or individual that is payed to process and complete the
ax return cannot guarantee that the tax return will be completed by April 15.

une company or individual that is payed to process and complete the return cannot guarantee that the tax return will be completed by April 15, 200	
DATE COMPLETED	
RECEIVED	
THERE WILL BE A RERUN FEE OF \$75.00 FOR ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION SUBMITTED AFTER DATA ORGANIZER HAS BEEN	NAL SEEN
	1

FINAL CHECK LIST

YES	NO	
		1) Your complete organizer (including signature on last page).
		2) All W-2 and 1099 forms.
		3) Provide a copy of last years return.
		4) If you paid taxes quarterly, please provide estimate (ES) forms showing amounts paid. Also include extension forms and show amounts paid with extension.
		5) Buy and sell statements to cover stock sales, real estate transactions and installment sales.
		6) Copies of partnership returns (K-1 forms), S-Corporations, Estates or Trusts.
		7) Is this to be an amended return? If so, include the original return and show the amount of tax paid with the original return.
		8) Any births, deaths, marriages, divorces in your immediate family?
		9) Have you ever been audited? If so, for what year?
		10) Complete and sign preparers declaration of service and return with workbook.

Note: Keep a copy of all data you send the preparer for your records, we are not responsible for U.S. Mail delays, etc...

Lexicon of Business Expenses

The list of expenses is nowhere near a complete list of deductibles available to a business. Such a list is impossible to provide. There are more than 350 categories of deductions and literally hundreds & deductibles within each category.

The list that follows consists of the most common. Many of these deductions are associated with operating a business out of the home; others are ordinary expenses found in most any business. This is only a suggested list. It should be used primarily to assist the reader in understanding the vastness of business deductions available. Do not be alarmed if a particular deduction you are personally aware of is not listed. Remember this is only a guide and not intended as all inclusive detailed authority.

- 1. ADVERTISING. Literature price lists, catalogues, display and classified ads in newspapers, magazines, radio, T.V., etc.
- 2. BAD DEBTS. Any due and uncollectible, based on actual expenses incurred. Generally, for accrual method of accounting only).
- 3. BANK CHARGES. Service fees and checking costs, including check imprinting, over-draft protection, and any costs and penalties from late charges and insufficient funds.
- 4. BUSINESS GIFTS. Items given to any prospect, customer or associate, up to \$25 (special exception for corporation) annually per recipient.
- 5. CAR and TRUCK EXPENSE. If only one car, use expense or mileage method. If two or more, or if leasing, use expense only. (Mileage method replaces all actual operating and fixed expenses, including depreciation). However, Mileage Logs are required to determine the percentage of business use: very few exceptions.
- 6. MEALS/ENTERTAINMENT (Limited/Non Limited). Extra activities such as catering, special refreshments for birthday and anniversary parties, ball games, spoiling events, plays, movies, etc, used in conjunction with quite business conversation before during or after.
- 7. CONTINUING EDUCATION. All business related schooling and educational costs. Producing testing, research and development
- 7a. CONTINUING EDUCATION: Non-related to Business (\$5,250.00) are available to employees only: subject to restrictions and limitations.
- 8. CONTRIBUTIONS. If provided for in Minutes or Indentures: 100% deductible if to activate business income.
- 8a. CONTRIBUTIONS: Subject to limitations, depending of type of entity (10% for c-corps, 50% of AGI for individuals, etc.) and the type of donation (50%, 30%, 20%).
- 9. CONVENTIONS and SEMINARS. Costs of attending or participating in meetings, trade shows and rallies.
- 10. COMMISSIONS, Fees paid, to others for transacting business, a percentage paid to another responsible for a business transaction: \$600.00 requirement to issue a 1099 to individuals and attorneys even if operation out of a corporation.
- ii. DEMONSTRATIONS and TRAINING. Portion of groceries used for business. Products used for demonstration purposes or self use of products of promotional purposes (the facts and circumstances must warrant the self-use.)
- 12. DUES and PUBLICATIONS. Newspaper and magazine subscriptions and purchases relative to business from newsstands and subscriptions professional association fees.
- 13. EDUCATIONAL SUPPLIES. Books, records, tapes and any materials used for improvement pertaining to business.

- 14. FREIGHT. Handling charges, costs of shipments sent and received, including gifts and special carrier delivery such as UPS, Parcel Post, Federal Express, DHL, etc.
- 15. INCENTIVES and AWARDS. A pin, plaques, applicable production discounts, rewards, costs of contests and prizes anything expended to generate sales, including raffles, drawings and door prizes (subject of limitation).
- 16. INSURANCE. Business portion of homeowner's insurance for casualty, fire, theft, property damage, and liability (subject to home office limitations). Business can deduct life insurance, health insurance, private pension plans and annuities (subject to qualifications).
- 11. INTEREST. Business portion of home mortgage interest and interest on business loans, (subject to home office limitations). Interest on business related expenses from Credit Cards.
- 18. LEGAL and PROFESSIONAL SERVICES: Payment for services of all kinds such as attorneys, accountants and business consultants. However costs to establish business must be capitalized.
- 19. OFFICE SUPPLIES. Stationary, pencils, pens, paper clips, envelopes, file folders, erasers, order forms, bookkeeping and art supplies. Computer and printer paper, small equipment items such as pocket calculators, staplers, and paper punches, etc: Also diaries, ledgers, tablets, message pads, etc.
- 20. PARKING and TOLLS. Meters, space fees, bridge fees and lot costs for business purposes.
- 21. POSTAGE. Stamps for all correspondence, newsletters, IRS audits, Christmas cards, bills, and all costs of certified, registered
- 22. PRINTING: Reproduction of newsletters, fliers, brochures, business cards, typesetting, tickets and all copier and fax costs.
- 23. RENT: Applicable office business rent, meeting rooms and trailers, and all lease costs. Resident has special requirements
- 24. REPAIRS: Business portion of painting, flooring, resurfacing, concrete fixing, new glass, hardware supplies tools, grass seed, tree surgery, paint rollers, business VCR and other office equipment, Beware "improvements" be capitalized.
- 25. SAMPLES and DISPLAYS. Service of Product displays or demonstrations, including "Brand X" products and new products used for promotion and samples.
- 26. SECURITY. Home Alarms (smoke detectors and fire alarms), car alarms, padlocks, electronic sensors, monitoring cameras, and private patrols (subject to home office limitations).
- 27. STORAGE. Costs of warehouses, lockers, garages, dock fees and hanger space for business purposes.
- 28. SUPPLIES. Additional items such as linen, coffee makers,' cups, napkins, paper towels, interior decorating items, special lights, blackboards, and easels, whiteboards, visual aids, usual office supplies, foods and beverages for sales meetings open to the public and de minimums fringe benefits for employees.
- 29. TAXES: Business portion of real estate taxes, sales and excise taxes (Do not include sales tax of inventory purchased if Purchases: are gross figures). Payroll and Business License taxes.
- 30. TRAVEL: Traveling costs such as a plane, train, taxi, and bus fare. Rental cars, lodging, tour and guide fees; special arrangements, (to be reimbursed with appropriate documentation submitted to business entity when expenses is paid for personally) Caution should be used: local and "overnight;" domestic and foreign travel are all treated different.
- 31. UTILITIES and TELEPHONE: business portions of natural gas and electricity, heating oil, water sanitation. All telephone costs including service charges, message unit, long distance calls and pay phones. (Utilities are subject to home office limitation).

Other Deductions

- 32. MISCELLANEOUS:
- 33. ACCOUNTING: Payments for bookkeeping and auditing services.
- 34. ANSWERING SERVICE. Cost for telephone message services, in home or outside.
- 35. CLIENT CONTACT. Developing or maintaining communication with clients or prospective client by way of cards; notes, etc.
- 36. CONTRACT LABOR, Monies paid to those with whom you contract for various tasks, projects, services, etc. (see services).
- 37. DEPRECIATION. Business furniture, autos, equipment, software and improvements with a useful life of more that one year; and, is not de minimums. Be care of the rules around "Listed Property."
- 38. LICENSE and FEES. Costs of obtaining permits, licenses for sales, use purposes and any other fees.
- 39. MARKET DEVELOPMENT. Cost of sales and performance development is specific markets, new product research, application, introduction, and orientation.
- 40. PEST CONTROL: Cost of products and services pertain to controlling and eliminating rodents, insects, and other vermin.
- 41. PROPS AND MEDIA supplies needed to assist with business presentations.
- 42. REFUNDS. Repayments of reimbursements made for products or services rendered.
- 43. SERVICES. Payments made to Independent Contractors for work performed (1099) ill the conduct of non-contract labor.
- 44. WAGES. Payments for salaries and hired help for which payroll taxes are paid and for W-2's are issued.