## **Certificate of Exemption**

## Purchaser: Complete this certificate and give it to the seller. Seller: If this certificate is not fully completed, you must charge sales tax. Keep this certificate for your records.

This is a multi-state form. Not all states allow all exemptions listed on this form. **Purchasers are responsible for knowing if they qualify to claim exemption from tax in the state that would otherwise be due tax on this sale.** The seller may be required to provide this exemption certificate (or the data elements required on the form) to a state that would otherwise be due tax on this sale.

The purchaser will be held liable for any tax and interest, and possibly civil and criminal penalties imposed by the member state, if the purchaser is not eligible to claim this exemption. A seller may not accept a certificate of exemption for an entity-based exemption on a sale made at a location operated by the seller within the designated state if the state does not allow such an entity-based exemption.

1.		Check if you are attaching the Multi-state Supplemental form.
		If not, enter the two-letter postal abbreviation for the state under whose laws you are claiming exemption.
2.		Check if this certificate is for a single purchase and enter the related invoice/purchase order #
3.	Please print	

Business address			City	State	Zip code	
Purchaser's tax ID number		State of	of issue	Country of i	Country of issue	
If no tax ID number FEIN		Driver's license n	umber/state issue ID	number	Foreign diplomat number	
Enter one of the following:		State of issue:	Number			
Name of seller from whom y	ou are purchasin	g, leasing or renting				
Seller's address			City	State	Zip code	

## **4.** Type of business. Check the box that describes your business.

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Accommodation and food services	Transportation and warehousing
Agricultural, forestry, fishing, hunting	Utilities
Construction	Wholesale trade
Finance and insurance	Business services
Information, publishing and communications	Professional services
Manufacturing	Education and health-care services
Mining	Nonprofit organization
Real estate	Government
Rental and leasing	Not a business
Retail trade	Other (explain)

5. Reason for exemption. Check the box that identifies the reason for the exemption.

Federal government (department)	Agricultural production #
State or local government (name)	Industrial production/manufacturing #
Tribal government (name)	Direct pay permit #
Foreign diplomat #	Direct mail #
Charitable organization #	Other (explain)
Religious or educational organization #	-
Resale #	

6. Sign here. I declare that the information on this certificate is correct and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. Signature of Authorized Purchaser Print Name Here Title Date