Automatic Extension Payment

What is the purpose of Form IL-505-B?

Form IL-505-B, Automatic Extension Payment, provides taxpayers who are unable to file their return by the due date, a means of calculating and remitting their tentative tax liability on or before the original due date of the return (see "When should I file and pay?").

Who must file Form IL-505-B?

You must file Form IL-505-B if all of the following apply to you:

- you are a corporation, small business corporation, partnership, fiduciary, or an exempt organization and you cannot file your Form IL-1120, Form IL-1120-ST, Form IL-1065, Form IL-1023-C, Form IL-1041, or Form IL-990-T by the due date, and
- you complete the Tax Payment Worksheet on the back of this page and determine that you will owe a tentative tax, and
- you submit your payment by paper check or money order (i.e., you
 do not use any electronic means, such as electronic funds
 transfer, to make your payments).

If Line 8 of the worksheet shows you owe tentative tax, you must file this form and pay the full amount due. An extension of time to file does not extend the amount of time you have to make your payment.

Unitary group: If you are a member of a unitary business group that is filing a combined return, your designated agent must complete one Form IL-505-B for the entire group as though it is one taxpayer.

Federal consolidated group: If you are a member of a federal consolidated group, you must file a separate Form IL-505-B for each member that is required to file an Illinois tax return. We will not grant "blanket" or consolidated extensions.

Form IL-1023-C filers: If you are filing Form IL-505-B for an extension to file your Illinois Form IL-1023-C, you must write "666" in the "Sequence no." on this form.

Do not file Form IL-505-B if:

- after completing the Tax Payment Worksheet, you find that you do not owe additional tax, or
- you make your extension payment by Electronic Funds Transfer.

Note Please be aware that if an unpaid liability is disclosed when you file your return, you may owe penalty and interest charges in addition to the tax. See "What are the penalties and interest?"

What are the extensions?

Daytime phone number

Automatic Illinois extension — We grant you an automatic sixmonth (seven-month for corporations) extension to file your annual return whether or not you request the automatic extension. You are IL-505-B front (R-12/05)

not required to file Form IL-505-B to obtain this extension if no tentative tax is due.

Additional federal extension beyond six months — We will grant you an additional extension to file of more than six months (seven months for corporations) if the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) grants you an additional extension.

If you do not owe any tentative tax, you are not required to file Form IL-505-B. However, you **must attach** a copy of the approved federal extension to your annual return when it is filed.

When should I file and pay?

You must file your completed form and pay any tentative tax amount you owe by the original due date of your tax return or as soon as you realize you owe tentative tax. This includes annual and short-year returns. The due date depends on the type of tax return that you file. Refer to the following list of return due dates.

All dates refer to the months following the close of the taxable year.

For Due date

• corporations, small the 15th day of the 3rd month business corporations

• partnerships, fiduciaries, composites, exempt organizations (employee trusts only)

exempt organizations the 15th day of the 5th month (all others)

• cooperatives the 15th day of the 9th month

Note If you file federal Form 1120, U.S. Corporation Income Tax Return, and the original due date is later than the 15th day of the 3rd month, your Form IL-1120 and your payment will be due at the same time as your federal Form 1120.

Make your check or money order payable to "Illinois Department of Revenue." **Be sure to write your FEIN, tax year, and "IL-505-B" on your payment.** Mail your Form IL-505-B, with your payment, to

Illinois Department of Revenue P.O. Box 19045 Springfield, Illinois 62794-9045.

What are the penalties and interest?

Penalties — You will owe

- a late-filing penalty if you do not file a processable return by the extended due date;
- a late-payment penalty if you do not pay the tax you owe by the original due date of the return;
- a bad check penalty if your remittance is not honored by your financial institution.

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If no payment is due or you make your payr Electronic Funds Transfer, do not file this fo			-	Tax year ending	
				Month	Year
Federal employer identification number		Sequence no.			
			Write the amount of your payment here.		
Name of organization				Te	entative tax due
Street address					
City	State	ZIP			

This form is authorized as outlined by the Illinois Income Tax Act. Disclosure of this information is REQUIRED. Failure to provide information could result in a penalty. This form has been approved by the Forms Management Center.

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Make your check or money order payable to and mail this voucher to: ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE PO BOX 19045

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Interest is calculated on tax from the day after the original due date of your return through the date you pay the tax.

We will bill you for penalties and interest. For more information about penalties and interest, see Publication 103, Penalties and Interest for Illinois Taxes.

What if I need additional forms or assistance?

If you need additional forms,

- visit our web site at www.tax.illinois.gov;
- call our 24-hour Forms Order Line at 1 800 356-6302; or
- write to us at P.O. Box 19010, Springfield, Illinois 62794-9010.

If you need additional assistance,

- visit our web site at www.tax.illinois.gov;
- call our Taxpayer Assistance Division, at 1 800 732-8866, or 217 782-3336:
- call our TDD (telecommunications device for the deaf) at 1 800 544-5304; or
- write to us at P.O. Box 19044, Springfield, Illinois 62794-9044.

Our office hours are 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

	Tax Payment Worksheet for Your R	ecords					
1	Write the income and replacement tax you expect to owe (including recapture of investme	nt credit).	1				
2	Write your Illinois estimated income and replacement tax payments and your						
	2004 overpayment credited to 2005.	2					
3	Write the tax payment made with any previous Form IL-505-B.	3					
4	If you are a fiduciary, write the Illinois tax withheld and the credit for						
	income tax paid to other states.	4					
5	If you are a corporation or a fiduciary, write the estimated income tax credits						
	from Schedule 1299-D.	5					
6	Write the estimated replacement tax investment credits from Form IL-477.	6					
7	Add lines 2 through 6. This is the total of your tax payments and credits.		7				
8	Subtract Line 7 from Line 1. This is your tentative tax due. Write the result here and on Fo	orm IL-505-B.					
	Pay this amount with your Form IL-505-B.		8				
	Do not attach your federal Form 7004 to your Form IL-505-B.						

Tax Payment Worksheet Instructions

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Line 1 — Write the total amount of income and replacement taxes you expect to owe for the tax year. You must include any recapture of investment tax credit that you expect to report on Schedule 4255, Recapture of Investment Tax Credits.

Line 2 — Write the total amount of your Illinois estimated payments and your 2004 overpayment credited to 2005 tax.

=Note→ Corporations must include the total amount of estimated income and replacement tax paid with Form IL-1120-ES, Estimated Income and Replacement Tax Payments for Corporations, for the tax year.

Line 3 — Write the amount of Illinois income and replacement tax you paid with any previous Form IL-505-B for this tax year.

Line 4 — If you are a fiduciary, write the total amount of Illinois income tax withheld for the tax year and the estimated Illinois credit for income tax paid to other states. Refer to instructions for Form IL-1041, Schedule CR, Credit for Tax Paid to Other States. IL-505-B back (R-12/05)

Line 5 — If you are a corporation or a fiduciary, write the total of any estimated income tax credits (including any credit carryforward) from Schedule 1299-D, Income Tax Credits.

Line 6 — Write the amount of any estimated replacement tax investment credits from Form IL-477, Replacement Tax Investment Credits.

Line 7 — Add Lines 2 through 6 and write the result. This is the total of your tax payments and credits.

Line 8 — Subtract Line 7 from Line 1, and write the result here and on Form IL-505-B. This is your tentative tax due. If it is \$1 or more, you must file Form IL-505-B and pay the amount due. If the tax due is less than \$1, you do not have to pay or file Form IL-505-B.

If no payment is due or you make your payment by Electronic Funds Transfer, do not file Form IL-505-B. STOP