



IDA Annual Compliance Report State Sales Tax Recapture

For IDA fiscal year ending 12 31 23
(mmddyy)

Due within 90 days of the end of each fiscal year.

IDA information

Name of IDA Town of Amherst Industrial Development Agency		
Street address 4287 Main Street		Telephone number (716) 6889000
City Amherst	State NY	ZIP code 14226

Terms and conditions for the recapture of state sales tax exemption benefits for projects established, amended, or extended on or after March 28, 2013

1 Did the IDA provide state sales tax exemption benefits to any project established, amended, or extended during the fiscal year entered above? 1 Yes No

If Yes, continue below.
If No, skip to question 3.

2 When an IDA establishes a project, appoints an agent/project operator, or amends or extends a project established in a prior year, the IDA must include terms and conditions for the recapture of state sales tax exemption benefits in its resolutions and project documents. This applies to all projects established, amended, or extended on or after March 28, 2013 (see instructions).

Did the IDA use the same terms and conditions regarding the recapture of state sales tax exemption benefits in the project documents for each of its projects (as described above)?..... 2 Yes No

If Yes, attach a copy of the terms and conditions used.
If No, attach a copy of each version used. Be sure to identify the projects to which each version of the terms and conditions relate.
If the IDA did not include terms and conditions for the recapture of state sales tax exemption benefits in the project documents, attach a list of these projects (see instructions).

Activities and efforts to recapture state sales tax exemption benefits for projects established, amended, or extended on or after March 28, 2013

3 Did the IDA make efforts to recapture any state sales and use tax exemption benefits from an agent, project operator, or other person or entity (see instructions)? 3 Yes No

If Yes, continue below.
If No, skip question 4 and complete the Certification below.

4 Did the IDA file Form ST-65, IDA Report of Recaptured Sales and Use Tax Benefits, for each recapture, and remit the funds to the Tax Department? 4 Yes No

If Yes, you must keep a copy of Form ST-65 and supporting documentation related to the recapture activities.
If No, attach an explanation of the IDA's recapture efforts (see instructions).

Certification

I certify that the above statements are true, complete, and correct, and that no material information has been omitted. I make these statements with the knowledge that willfully providing false or fraudulent information with this document may constitute a felony or other crime under New York State Law, punishable by a substantial fine and possible jail sentence. I also understand that the Tax Department is authorized to investigate the validity of any information entered on this document.			
Print name of person signing on behalf of the IDA Laure A. Manuszewski		Print title of person signing on behalf of the IDA Director of Administrative Services	
Signature 	Date 01-03-2024	Telephone number (716) 6889000	

Mailing instructions

Mail completed form and attachments to:

**NYS TAX DEPARTMENT
IDA UNIT
W A HARRIMAN CAMPUS
ALBANY NY 12227-0866**

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Language for the Recapture of NYS Sales Tax contained in all Authorization/Inducement
Resolutions

Section 6. The Company is authorized, as agent of the Agency, to initiate the construction of building renovations constituting the Project, and the acquisition of machinery, equipment, fixtures and furnishings which will be a part thereof or will be used in connection therewith, and to advance such funds as may be necessary to accomplish such purposes. The designation of the Company as agent hereunder is limited to purchases of sales-taxable tangible personal property and services in connection with the Project which do not exceed a total cost of \$XXXXXX and shall not apply to any other purchase by the Company or any operating expenses of the Company. The Company shall report to the Agency, at such times as the Agency shall require, or as may otherwise be prescribed by the Commissioner of the New York State Department of Taxation and Finance (the "Commissioner"), the value of all sales and use tax exemptions claimed by the Company or agents of the Company or any operators of the Project, including, but not limited to, consultants or subcontractors of such agents or Project operators under the authority granted pursuant to this Resolution. A failure to report may result in the revocation of the designation of the Company as agent and repayment of any sales and use tax exemptions claimed.

Section 10. In the event an Installment Contract is not executed between the Company and the Agency by the expiration date of this Resolution (as such date may be extended as provided herein) or the termination of this Resolution, the Company shall then be required to pay all sales taxes which would have been levied in connection with the acquisition, construction and installation of all improvements of the real property and the machinery and equipment which constitute the Project, as if the Agency did not have an interest in the Project from the date the Company commenced its acquisition, construction and installation. In addition, in the event, because of the involvement of the Agency, the Company claims an exemption from state sales or use tax in connection with the Project, and such exemption is claimed with respect to property or services not authorized hereunder, or which exemption is in excess of the amounts authorized hereunder, or is otherwise not permitted under this Resolution, or if the Company shall fail to comply with a material term or condition regarding the use of property or services acquired by the Company as agent for the Agency as set forth in this Resolution or in any document authorized hereunder, then the Company shall each be required to remit to the Agency an amount equal to the amount of state sales and use taxes for which such exemption was improperly claimed. A failure to remit such amounts may result in an assessment against the Company by the Commissioner of state sales and use taxes, together with any relevant penalties and interest. In addition to the foregoing, in the event the Agency determines that Company is in violation of a Material Factor, or in the event that the Company closes the Project or relocates its operations to a location outside of the Town of Amherst within the Compliance Period or in the event the Agency determines, in its judgment, that the Company knowingly and intentionally submitted false or intentionally misleading information in its application to the Agency or in any report or certification submitted to the Agency for the purpose of obtaining or maintaining any Financial Assistance from the Agency (each referred to herein as a "Recapture Event"), the Agency may, in accordance with its policies and procedures then in effect, (i) revoke the designation of the Company and any agents of the Company (including, but not limited to, consultants, subcontractors or equipment lessors of the Company) as agents for the Agency in connection with the Project and terminate the exemption from New York State and local sales and use taxes conferred

with respect to the Project and/or (ii) require that the Company pay to the Agency an amount equal to all or a portion (as determined by the Agency in its discretion) of the total value of all sales tax exemptions claimed by the Company and any agents of the Company, including, but not limited to, consultants, sub-contractors, or any equipment lessors of the Company under the authority granted under this Resolution and the Project Agreement. If the Agency makes any of the foregoing determinations and requires a repayment of all or a portion of the Financial Assistance received by the Company, the Company shall (i) cooperate with the Agency in its efforts to recover or recapture any or all Financial Assistance obtained by the Company and (ii) promptly pay over any or all such amounts to the Agency that the Agency demands in connection therewith. Upon receipt of such amounts, the Agency shall then redistribute such amounts to the appropriate affected tax jurisdiction(s) unless otherwise agreed to by any affected tax jurisdiction.

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6. Termination, Modification and/or Recapture of Agency Financial Assistance.

In addition to any other covenants, obligations and agreements of the Company contained in this Agreement, the Company agrees to comply throughout the Compliance Period (as defined below) with the following covenants and agreements, each of which shall constitute a "Material Factor":

(a) compliance with the Agency's Local Labor Policy in connection with the construction of the Project;

(b) creation within two (2) years of Project completion of 85 new full time jobs and retention of such jobs throughout the Compliance Period; and

(c) investment of not less than 85% of the total Project cost of \$1,100,000.00 in the renovation and equipping of the Project prior to Project completion.

The "Compliance Period" shall mean the period of time during which the Company is receiving Financial Assistance from the Agency and the three (3) calendar years following the Company initially achieving compliance with the Material Factors.

(b) In the event the Agency determines that Company is in violation of a Material Factor, or in the event that the Company closes the Project or relocates its operations to a location outside of the Town of Amherst during the Compliance Period or in the event the Agency determines, in its judgment, that the Company knowingly and intentionally submitted false or intentionally misleading information in its application to the Agency or in any report or certification submitted to the Agency for the purpose of obtaining or maintaining any Financial Assistance from the Agency (each referred to herein as a "Recapture Event"), the Agency may, in accordance with its policies and procedures then in effect, (i) revoke the designation of the Company and any agents of the Company (including, but not limited to, consultants, sub-contractors or equipment lessors of the Company) as agents for the Agency in connection with the Project and terminate the exemption from New York State and local sales and use taxes conferred with respect to the Project and/or (ii) require that the Company pay to the Agency an amount equal

to all or a portion (as determined by the Agency in its discretion) of the total value of all sales tax exemptions claimed by the Company and any agents of the Company, including, but not limited to, consultants, sub-contractors, or any equipment lessors of the Company under the authority granted under the Resolution and this Agreement. If the Agency makes any of the foregoing determinations and requires a repayment of all or a portion of the Financial Assistance received by the Company, the Company agrees and covenants that it will (i) cooperate with the Agency in its efforts to recover or recapture any or all financial assistance obtained by the Company and (ii) promptly pay over any or all such amounts to the Agency that the Agency demands in connection therewith. Upon receipt of such amounts, the Agency shall then redistribute such amounts to the appropriate affected tax jurisdiction(s) unless otherwise agreed to by any affected tax jurisdiction.

(c) In addition, in the event, because of the involvement of the Agency, the Company claims an exemption from the New York State portion of any Sales Taxes in connection with the Project, and such exemption is claimed with respect to property or services not authorized hereunder or under the Resolution, or which exemption is in excess of the amounts authorized hereunder or under the Resolution, or is otherwise not permitted under this Agreement or the Resolution, or if the Company shall fail to comply with a material term or condition regarding the use of property or services acquired by the Company as agent for the Agency as set forth in this Agreement, the Resolution, or in any other document executed and delivered by the Company in connection therewith (collectively, the "Project Documents") then the Company shall be required to remit to the Agency an amount equal to the amount of New York State portion of any Sales Taxes for which such exemption was improperly claimed. A failure to remit such amounts may result in an assessment against the Company by the Commissioner of the New York State portion of any Sales Taxes, together with any relevant penalties and interest.

(d) The rights of the Agency pursuant to this Section 6 and the obligation of the Company to cooperate with the Agency in its exercise of those rights shall survive the termination of this Agreement.