

CERTIFICATE OF EXEMPTION

The undersigned certifies that its purchases are exempt from any State Sales Tax or Use Tax and none of the purchases of tangible property are for personal use of a member or employee.

Description of Purchase

Supplies for Refuge maintenance, management, and biology.

Authorized Person/s to purchase items for the Service are below:

_____ Valentine National Wildlife Refuge
Date Name of Organization

TAX EXEMPTION NUMBER: 530201504

_____ Signature _____ Refuge Manager
Title of Officer

ANY PERSON UNLAWFULLY ISSUING OR SIGNING THE ABOVE CERTIFICATE WITH INTENT TO EVADE THE TAX SHALL BE SUBJECT TO PENALTIES AS PROVIDED BY LAW.

THE BURDEN OF PROOF IS UPON THE SELLER TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE BUYER IS EXEMPT AS PROVIDED BY LAW FROM PAYMENT OF THE TAX FOR WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUE.

This is a Government Agency and we are exempt from paying state sales tax.

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