



NYC 579-GCT

NEW YORK CITY DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

Signature Authorization for E-Filed General Corporation Tax Return

2011

ELECTRONIC RETURN ORIGINATORS (ERO): DO NOT MAIL THIS FORM TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE. KEEP THIS FOR YOUR RECORDS.

LEGAL NAME OF CORPORATION, EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER, EMAIL ADDRESS, TYPE OF RETURN: NYC-EXT, NYC-EXT.1, NYC-4S, NYC-400, NYC-3L, NYC-4SEZ

Financial Institution Information - must be included if electronic payment is authorized. AMOUNT OF AUTHORIZED DEBIT, FINANCIAL INSTITUTION ROUTING NUMBER, FINANCIAL INSTITUTION ACCOUNT NUMBER

Part A - Declaration and authorization of corporate officer for Forms NYC-3L, NYC-4S, NYC-4SEZ, NYC-EXT, NYC-EXT.1 or NYC-400

Under penalty of perjury, I declare that I am an officer of the corporation authorized to act on behalf of the above-named corporation, and that I have examined the information on its 2011 New York City electronically filed corporation tax return, including any accompanying schedules, attachments, and statements or other report checked above, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, the electronically filed corporation tax return or other report is true, correct, and complete.

Officer's PIN (mark an X in one box only)

I authorize [] to enter my PIN : [] as my signature on the corporation's 2011 electronically filed corporation tax return or other report checked above.

ERO FIRM NAME

As an authorized person of the corporation, I will enter my PIN as my signature on the corporation's 2011 electronically filed corporation tax return or other report checked above.

Signature of authorized person Official title Date

Part B - Declaration of electronic return originator (ERO) and paid preparer

Under penalty of perjury, I declare that the information contained in the above-named corporation's 2011 New York City electronically filed corporation tax return or other report checked above is the information furnished to me by the corporation's authorized officer.

ERO EFIN/PIN: Enter your six-digit EFIN followed by your five digit PIN: []

ERO's Signature Print Name Date

Paid Preparer's Signature Print Name Date

PURPOSE - A completed Form NYC-579-GCT provides documentation that an ERO has been authorized to electronically file the General Corporation Tax return or other report. The officer of the corporation who is authorized to sign the corporation's returns may designate the ERO to electronically sign the return or other report by entering the officer's personal identification number (PIN).

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS - Part A must be completed by an officer of the corporation who is authorized to sign the corporation's return or report before the ERO transmits the electronically filed Form NYC-3L (General Corporation Tax Return); NYC-4S (General Corporation Tax Return - short form); NYC-4SEZ (General Corporation Tax Return - EZ form); NYC-EXT (Application for 6-month Extension to File Business Income Tax Return); NYC-EXT.1 (Application for Additional Extension) or NYC-400 (Declaration of Estimated Tax by General Corporations).

EROs/paid preparers must complete Part B prior to transmitting electronically filed corporation tax returns or reports (Forms NYC-3L, NYC-4S, NYC-4SEZ, NYC-EXT, NYC-EXT.1 or NYC-400). Both the paid preparer and the ERO are required to sign Part B. However, if an individual performs as both the paid preparer and the ERO, he or she is only required to sign as the paid preparer. It is not necessary to include the ERO signature in this case.

Do not mail Form NYC-579-GCT to the Department of Finance. The EROs/paid preparers must keep the completed Form NYC-579-GCT for three years from the due date of the return or report or the date the return or report was filed, whichever is later, and must present it to the Department of Finance upon request.