

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE
District Director

Department of the Treasury

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Attn:EOG-7

Date: March 31, 1997

Douglas Grant Lincoln & Okanogan
Counties Public Hospital Dist. 6
411 Fortuyn Road
Grand Coulee, WA 99133-8718

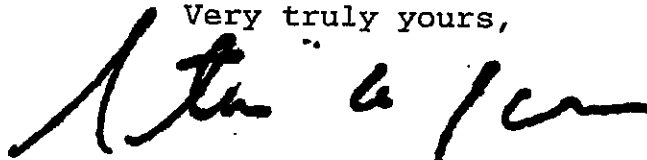
Case Number:
957062007
Person to Contact:
Su Yim Lee
Telephone Number:
(916) 974-5361

Dear Sir or Madam:

In response to your request, we have determined that you are not required to file Form 990, Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax, since you are exempt from tax under section 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code and you are treated as an affiliate of a governmental unit pursuant to procedure 95-48, 1995-47 I.R.B. 13.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Very truly yours,



Steven Jensen
District Director

Internal Revenue Service

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Dear Sir
Director

P.O. Box 2350 Los Angeles, Calif. 90053

> Douglas, Grant, Lincoln &
Okanogan Counties Public Hospital
District 6
411 Fortuyn Road
Grand Coulee, WA 99133-0840

Person to Contact:
Stephen M. Klopp
Telephone Number:
213-894-2289
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Gentlemen:

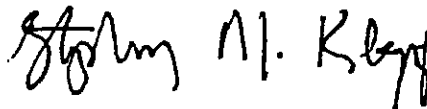
This letter is in response to your request for a copy of the determination letter for the above named organization.

Our records indicate that this organization was recognized to be exempt from Federal Income Tax in May 1973 as described in Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3). It is further classified as an organization that is not a private foundation as defined in Section 509(a) of the code, because it is an organization described in Section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).

The exempt status for the determination letter issued in May 1973 continues to be in effect.

If you need further assistance, please contact our office at the above address or telephone number.

Sincerely,



Disclosure Assistant

District Director

Internal Revenue Service

Date: MAY 31 1973

In reply refer to:
L-178, Code #1428: RJL

SEA:EO: 73-631



Grand Coulee Dam Area Health
Care Association, Inc.
512 Birch
Coulee Dam, WA 99116

Gentlemen:

Based on information supplied, and assuming your operations will be as stated in your application for recognition of exemption, we have determined you are exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

We have further determined you are not a private foundation within the meaning of section 509(a) of the Code, because you are an organization described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).

You are not liable for social security (FICA) taxes unless you file a waiver exemption certificate as provided in the Federal Insurance Contributions Act. You are not liable for the taxes imposed under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act (UTA).

Since you are not a private foundation, you are not subject to the excise taxes under Chapter 42 of the Code. However, you are not automatically exempt from other Federal excise taxes.

Donors may deduct contributions to you as provided in section 170 of the Code. Bequests, legacies, devises, transfers, or gifts to you or for your use are deductible for Federal estate and gift tax purposes under sections 2055, 2106, and 2522 of the Code.

If your purposes, character, or method of operation is changed, you must let us know so we can consider the effect of the change on your exempt status. Also, you must inform us of all changes in your name or address.

If your gross receipts each year are normally more than \$5,000, you are required to file Form 990, Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax, by the 15th day of the fifth month after the end of your annual accounting period. The law imposes a penalty of \$10 a day, up to a maximum of \$5,000, for failure to file a return on time.

You are not required to file Federal income tax returns unless you are subject to the tax on unrelated business income under section 511 of the Code. If you are subject to this tax, you must file an income tax return on Form 990-T. In this letter we are not determining whether any of your present or proposed activities are unrelated trade or business as defined in section 513 of the Code.

You need an employer identification number even if you have no employees. If an employer identification number has not appeared on your application, a number will be assigned to you and you will be advised of it. Please use that number on all returns you file and in all correspondence with the Internal Revenue Service.

Please keep this determination letter in your permanent records.

Sincerely yours,

Michael Sacchi
District Director

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Internal Revenue Service

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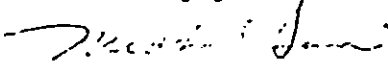
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Michael Sassi
District Director