

**DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY****Internal Revenue Service****Request for Applications for the IRS Advisory Committee on Tax Exempt and Government Entities**

**AGENCY:** Internal Revenue Service (IRS); Tax Exempt and Government Entities Division, Treasury.

**ACTION:** Notice and request for applicants or nominations.

**SUMMARY:** The IRS is requesting applications for membership to serve on the Advisory Committee on Tax Exempt and Government Entities (ACT).

Applications will be accepted for the following vacancies, which will occur in June 2011: Two (2) employee plans; two (2) exempt organizations; two (2) Indian tribal governments; one (1) tax exempt bonds; and three (3) federal, state and local governments. To ensure appropriate balance of membership, final selection from qualified candidates will be determined based on experience, qualifications, and other expertise.

Members of the ACT may not be federally registered lobbyists.

**DATES:** Written applications or nominations must be received on or before December 1, 2010.

**ADDRESSES:** Send all applications and nominations to: Steven J. Pyrek; Director TE/GE Communications and Liaison; 1111 Constitution Ave., NW.,—SE:T:CL, Penn Bldg; Washington, DC 20224; FAX: (202) 283-9956 (not a toll-free number); e-mail: [steve.j.pyrek@irs.gov](mailto:steve.j.pyrek@irs.gov).

*Application:* Applicants may use the ACT Application Form on the IRS Web site ([IRS.gov](http://IRS.gov)) or may send an application by letter with the following

information: Name; Other Name(s) Used and Date(s) (required for FBI check); Date of Birth (required for FBI check); City and State of Birth (required for FBI Check); Current Address; Telephone and Fax Numbers; and e-mail address, if any. Applications should also describe and document the proposed member's qualifications for membership on the ACT. Applications should also specify the vacancy for which they wish to be considered.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Steven Pyrek (202) 283-9966 (not a toll-free number) or by e-mail at [steve.j.pyrek@irs.gov](mailto:steve.j.pyrek@irs.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Advisory Committee on Tax Exempt and Government Entities (ACT), governed by the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92-463, is an organized public forum for discussion of relevant employee plans, exempt organizations, tax-exempt bonds, and federal, state, local, and Indian tribal government issues between officials of the IRS and representatives of the above communities. The ACT also enables the IRS to receive regular input with respect to the development and implementation of IRS policy concerning these communities. ACT members present the interested public's observations about current or proposed IRS policies, programs, and procedures, as well as suggest improvements. ACT members shall be appointed by the Department of the Treasury and shall serve for two-year terms. Terms can be extended for an additional year. ACT members will not be paid for their time or services. ACT members will be reimbursed for their travel-related

expenses to attend working sessions and public meetings, in accordance with 5 U.S.C. 5703.

The Department of the Treasury invites those individuals, organizations, and groups affiliated with employee plans, exempt organizations, tax exempt bonds, and federal, state, local and Indian tribal governments, to nominate individuals for membership on the ACT. Nominations should describe and document the proposed member's qualifications for ACT membership, including the nominee's past or current affiliations and dealings with the particular community or segment of the community that he or she wishes to represent (such as, employee plans). Nominations should also specify the vacancy for which they wish to be considered. The Department of the Treasury seeks a diverse group of members representing a broad spectrum of persons experienced in employee plans, exempt organizations, tax-exempt bonds, and federal, state, local and Indian tribal governments.

Nominees must go through a clearance process before selection by the Department of the Treasury. In accordance with the Department of the Treasury Directive 21-03, the clearance process includes, among other things, pre-appointment and annual tax checks, and an FBI criminal and subversive name check, fingerprint check, and security clearance.

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**Steven J. Pyrek,**

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