

Notice Concerning Fiduciary Relationship

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(Internal Revenue Code sections 6036 and 6903)

Part I Identification

Name of person for whom you are acting (as shown on the tax return)	Identifying number	Decedent's social security no.
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Address of person for whom you are acting (number, street, and room or suite no.)

City or town, state, and ZIP code (If a foreign address, see instructions.)

Fiduciary's name

Address of fiduciary (number, street, and room or suite no.)

City or town, state, and ZIP code	Telephone number (optional)
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Section A. Authority

- 1 Authority for fiduciary relationship. Check applicable box:
- a Court appointment of testate estate (valid will exists)
 - b Court appointment of intestate estate (no valid will exists)
 - c Court appointment as guardian or conservator
 - d Valid trust instrument and amendments
 - e Bankruptcy or assignment for the benefit of creditors
 - f Other. Describe ► _____
- 2a If box 1a or 1b is checked, enter the date of death ► _____
- b If box 1c-1f is checked, enter the date of appointment, taking office, or assignment or transfer of assets ► _____

Section B. Nature of Liability and Tax Notices

- 3 Type of taxes (check all that apply): Income Gift Estate Generation-skipping transfer Employment
 Excise Other (describe) ► _____
- 4 Federal tax form number (check all that apply): a 706 series b 709 c 940 d 941, 943, 944
e 1040, 1040-A, or 1040-EZ f 1041 g 1120 h Other (list) ► _____
- 5 If your authority as a fiduciary does not cover all years or tax periods, check here ►
and list the specific years or periods ► _____

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