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Employer Identification Number:
01-0916759
DLN:
500195070
Contact Person:
JOYCE DARBY ID# 95011
Contact Telephone Number:
(877) 829-5500
Accounting Period Ending:
June 30
Public Charity Status:
509(a)(2)
Form 990 Required:
Yes
Effective Date of Exemption:
July 17, 2008
Contribution Deductibility:
Yes
Addendum Applies:
Yes

Dear Applicant:

We are pleased to inform you that upon review of your application for tax exempt status we have determined that you are exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Contributions to you are deductible under section 170 of the Code. You are also qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, devises, transfers or gifts under section 2055, 2106 or 2522 of the Code. Because this letter could help resolve any questions regarding your exempt status, you should keep it in your permanent records.

Organizations exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Code are further classified as either public charities or private foundations. We determined that you are a public charity under the Code section(s) listed in the heading of this letter.

Please see enclosed Publication 4221-PC, Compliance Guide for 501(c)(3) Public Charities, for some helpful information about your responsibilities as an exempt organization.

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We have sent a copy of this letter to your representative as indicated in your power of attorney.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Lois G. Lerner".

Lois G. Lerner
Director, Exempt Organizations

Enclosure: Publication 4221-PC

Addendum

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INFORMATION FOR CHARTER SCHOOLS

You are not subject to the specific publishing requirements of Revenue Procedure 75-50, 1975-2 C.B., page 587, as long as you are operating under a contract with the local government. If your method of operation changes to the extent that your charter is terminated, cancelled, or not renewed, you should notify us. You will also be required to comply with Revenue Procedure 75-50.

ADDENDUM

This supersedes our letter dated August 19, 2010, which was issued with an incorrect Employer Identification Number. The number in the heading of this letter is the one your organization should use.

INFORMATION TO CHARTER HOLDING COMPANIES: You are the holder of a charter from an authorized government entity to operate a school. You have contracted with a management company to provide comprehensive services. If you change your operations and do not contract with a comprehensive management company, you should notify us. You may then be eligible for a school foundation status of 170(b)(1)(A)(ii).