

# Request for Verification that Customers are Authorized to Purchase for Resale

### (Please print or type)

Date of Request:			
Name of Your Business:			
Name of Contact at Your Business:	The Department of Revenue	will return your diskette or CD to the contact/address that you specify.	
Return Address:	Street		
	City		
	State		
	ZIP		
Telephone Number of Contact:	()	=	
Are you sending a diskette or a CD to th	e Department of Reven	ue?	
Diskette CD	Total number o	f records in the file:	
Mail the diskette or CD and this complet	ted form to:	Florida Department of Revenue Production Management 5040 W Tharpe St Ste 202 Tallahassee FL 32303-7836 850-488-3516	

For general taxpayer information, please call 850-488-6800.

Note: Please visit our Internet site at: **floridarevenue.com/taxes/certificates** to verify a resale or exemption certificate. Results are available within 24 hours of submission.

## Instructions for Requesting Verification that Customers are Authorized to Purchase for Resale

This document explains the procedures for verifying that customers of a business are authorized to purchase for resale.

Send a file containing the Certificate of Registration numbers of the customers to the Florida Department of Revenue. A written request may be forwarded to the Department or you may submit Form DR-600013, *Request for Verification that Customers are Authorized to Purchase for Resale*. If a written request is submitted, please provide the following information: date of request, name of the dealer's business, return address, name and telephone number of a contact person.

Once the Department has received your file and request, we will then identify customers who are active registered dealers authorized to purchase for resale. The Department will return a file containing the Certificate of Registration numbers and vendor authorization numbers to a user contact at your place of business. Those customers for whom the vendor authorization number field is left blank are NOT authorized to make purchases for resale. Your user contact will also receive a letter summarizing the verification process. The file of customers that we return to your place of business will reside on the same medium sent to the Department.

## FILE REQUIREMENTS

Data files that are sent to the Florida Department of Revenue must reside on 3 1/2" diskette or CD.

Diskette Requirements:	Must be high density (HD) 1.44M or double density (DD), 720K Must be IBM PC compatible format Data file must be ASCII text format - no embedded signs or decimals The file must be named RESALE.TXT Do not zip (i.e., compress) the file
CD Requirements:	Data file must be ASCII text format – no embedded signs or decimals The file must be named RESALE.TXT Do not zip (i.e., compress) the file

#### **RECORD DESCRIPTION (file that you send to the Department of Revenue)**

<b>Position</b>	Field Contents	Туре	<u>Length</u>
1-13	Customer's Certificate of Registration number (no hyphens or spaces)	alphanumeric	13
14-35	User-defined data, reserved for use of your business	alphanumeric	22
36-48	Leave blank	alphanumeric	13

#### **RECORD DESCRIPTION (file that the Department of Revenue will return to you)**

Position	Field Contents	Туре	<u>Length</u>
1-13	Customer's Certificate of Registration number (no hyphens or spaces)	alphanumeric	13
14-35	User-defined data, reserved for use of your business	alphanumeric	22
36-48	Vendor authorization number (blank if not authorized)	alphanumeric	13

Write your business name, the mailing date, and a sequence number (if you send more than one diskette or CD) on an external label and attach the label to the diskette or CD. In case the diskette or CD is lost or damaged, we recommend that you create a backup copy of your file. **Mail a completed request form and the diskette or CD to:** 

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