

Internal Revenue Service

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Federal Identification Number:

72-6087770

Dear Sir or Madam:

This is in response to your request of October 15, 2007, regarding a letter confirming your organization's Employer Identification Number and takes the place of the Letter 147-C you requested.

Our records indicate that Employer Identification Number 72-6087770 is assigned to your organization. Please keep this number in your permanent records. You should enter the name of your organization and its EIN, exactly as shown above, on all Federal forms that require them and on any correspondence or documents.

Assigning an EIN does not grant tax-exempt status to non-profit organizations. If your organization wants to establish its exemption and receive a determination letter recognizing its exempt status, complete Form 1023/1024 (Application for Recognition of Exemption) and file it with the address shown on the Form 8718, *User Fee for Exempt Organization Determination Letter Request*. Publication 557, *Tax Exempt Status for Your Organization*, available at most IRS offices, contains information concerning the application process.

If you have any questions, please call us at the telephone number shown in the heading of this letter.

Sincerely,



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