

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

For calendar year 2009, or fiscal year beginning _____, 2009, ending _____, 20 _____

▶ **See instructions. Do not send to the IRS. Keep for your records.**

Name of estate or trust	Employer identification number
Name and title of fiduciary	

Part I Tax Return Information (Whole dollars only)

1 Total income (Form 1041, line 9)	1	
2 Income distribution deduction (Form 1041, line 18)	2	
3 Taxable income (Form 1041, line 22)	3	
4 Total tax (Form 1041, line 23)	4	
5 Tax due or overpayment (Form 1041, line 27 or 28)	5	

Part II Declaration and Signature Authorization of Fiduciary (Be sure to get a copy of the estate's or trust's return)

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I am a fiduciary of the above estate or trust and that I have examined a copy of the estate's or trust's 2009 electronic income tax return and accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. I further declare that the amounts in Part I above are the amounts shown on the copy of the estate's or trust's electronic income tax return. I consent to allow my electronic return originator (ERO), transmitter, or intermediate service provider to send the estate's or trust's return to the IRS and to receive from the IRS **(a)** an acknowledgment of receipt or reason for rejection of the transmission, **(b)** an indication of any refund offset, **(c)** the reason for any delay in processing the return or refund, and **(d)** the date of any refund. If applicable, I authorize the U.S. Treasury and its designated Financial Agent to initiate an electronic funds withdrawal (direct debit) entry to the financial institution account indicated in the tax preparation software for payment of the estate's or trust's federal taxes owed on this return, and the financial institution to debit the entry to this account. To revoke a payment, I must contact the U.S. Treasury Financial Agent at **1-888-353-4537** no later than 2 business days prior to the payment (settlement) date. I also authorize the financial institutions involved in the processing of the electronic payment of taxes to receive confidential information necessary to answer inquiries and resolve issues related to the payment. I have selected a personal identification number (PIN) as my signature for the estate's or trust's electronic income tax return and, if applicable, the estate's or trust's consent to electronic funds withdrawal.

Fiduciary's PIN: check one box only

- I authorize _____ to enter my PIN

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 as my signature
ERO firm name
on the estate's or trust's 2009 electronically filed income tax return. do not enter all zeros
- As a fiduciary or officer representing the fiduciary of the estate or trust, I will enter my PIN as my signature on the estate's or trust's 2009 electronically filed income tax return.

Signature of
fiduciary or officer
representing
the fiduciary ▶ _____

Date ▶ _____



Part III Certification and Authentication

ERO's EFIN/PIN. Enter your six-digit EFIN followed by your five-digit self-selected PIN.

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do not enter all zeros

I certify that the above numeric entry is my PIN, which is my signature on the 2009 electronically filed income tax return for the estate or trust indicated above. I confirm that I am submitting this return in accordance with the requirements of Pub. 3112, IRS e-file Application and Participation, and Pub. 1437, Procedures for the Form 1041 e-file Program, U.S. Income Tax Returns for Estates and Trusts for Tax Year 2009.

ERO's signature ▶ _____ Date ▶ _____

**ERO Must Retain This Form — See Instructions
Do Not Submit This Form to the IRS Unless Requested To Do So**



Form M-8453F Fiduciary Tax Declaration for Electronic Filing

2009
Massachusetts
Department of
Revenue

Please print or type. Privacy Act Notice available upon request. For the year January 1–December 31, 2009.

Fiduciary name	Declaration control number 0 0 - - 0
Mailing address	Federal Identification number
City/Town	State Zip

Part 1. Tax Return Information for Electronic Filing

1 Tax due before credits (from Form 2, line 40)	1	
2 Total credits (from Form 2, line 50)	2	
3 Tax after credits (from Form 2, line 53)	3	
4 Overpayment amount (from Form 2, line 62)	4	
5 Tax due (from Form 2, line 65)	5	

Part 2. Declaration and Signature of Taxpayer

Under pains and penalties of perjury, I declare that I have reviewed the information on my return with the information I have provided to my Electronic Return Originator and that the amounts above agree with the amounts shown on my 2009 Massachusetts return. To the best of my knowledge and belief this information is true, correct and complete. I consent that my return, including this declaration and accompanying schedules, forms and statements be sent to the Massachusetts Department of Revenue by my Electronic Return Originator. I authorize DOR to inform my Electronic Return Originator and/or the transmitter when my electronic return has been accepted. In the event that it is rejected, I authorize DOR to identify the reasons for rejection so that the return can be corrected and re-transmitted. If I have filed a balance due return, I understand that if DOR does not receive full and timely payment of my tax liability, I will remain liable for the tax liability and all applicable penalties and interest.

Your signature	Date	
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Part 3. Declaration and Signature of Electronic Return Originator (ERO)

I declare that I have reviewed the above taxpayer's return and that the entries on this M-8453F are complete and correct to the best of my knowledge. (Collectors are not responsible for reviewing the taxpayer's return; however, they must ensure that the M-8453F accurately reflects the data on the return.) I have obtained the taxpayer's signature before submitting this return to the Massachusetts Department of Revenue. I have provided the taxpayer with a copy of all forms and information filed with the Massachusetts Department of Revenue. If I am also the paid preparer, under pains and penalties of perjury I declare that I have examined the above taxpayer's return and accompanying schedules and statements and to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct and complete. I declare that I have verified the taxpayer's proof of account and it agrees with the name(s) shown on this form. This declaration of paid preparer (other than taxpayer) is based on all information of which the preparer has any knowledge. Original Forms M-8453F should not be sent to DOR, but must instead be retained by the ERO on the ERO's business premises for a period of three years from the date the return to which the M-8453F relates was filed.

ERO's signature and SSN or PTIN	Date	EIN	<input type="checkbox"/> Check if self-employed
Firm name (or yours, if self-employed) and address	City/Town	State Zip	<input type="checkbox"/> Check if also paid preparer

Part 4. Declaration and Signature of Paid Preparer (if other than ERO)

Under pains and penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief it is true, correct and complete. This declaration of paid preparer (other than taxpayer) is based on all information of which the preparer has any knowledge.

Paid preparer's signature and SSN or PTIN	Date	EIN	<input type="checkbox"/> Check if self-employed
Firm name (or yours, if self-employed) and address	City/Town	State Zip	

- 7 Notices and communications.** Original notices and other written communications will be sent to you and a copy to the first representative listed on line 2.
- a** If you also want the second representative listed to receive a copy of notices and communications, check this box
- b** If you do not want any notices or communications sent to your representative(s), check this box

8 Retention/revocation of prior power(s) of attorney. The filing of this power of attorney automatically revokes all earlier power(s) of attorney on file with the Internal Revenue Service for the same tax matters and years or periods covered by this document. If you **do not** want to revoke a prior power of attorney, check here.

YOU MUST ATTACH A COPY OF ANY POWER OF ATTORNEY YOU WANT TO REMAIN IN EFFECT.

9 Signature of taxpayer(s). If a tax matter concerns a joint return, **both** husband and wife must sign if joint representation is requested, otherwise, see the instructions. If signed by a corporate officer, partner, guardian, tax matters partner, executor, receiver, administrator, or trustee on behalf of the taxpayer, I certify that I have the authority to execute this form on behalf of the taxpayer.

▶ IF NOT SIGNED AND DATED, THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY WILL BE RETURNED.

SIGN HERE

Signature **Date** Title (if applicable)

Print Name PIN Number Print name of taxpayer from line 1 if other than individual

SIGN HERE

Signature **Date** Title (if applicable)

Print Name PIN Number

Part II Declaration of Representative

Caution: *Students with a special order to represent taxpayers in qualified Low Income Taxpayer Clinics or the Student Tax Clinic Program (levels k and l), see the instructions for Part II.*

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that:

- I am not currently under suspension or disbarment from practice before the Internal Revenue Service;
- I am aware of regulations contained in Circular 230 (31 CFR, Part 10), as amended, concerning the practice of attorneys, certified public accountants, enrolled agents, enrolled actuaries, and others;
- I am authorized to represent the taxpayer(s) identified in Part I for the tax matter(s) specified there; and
- I am one of the following:
 - a** Attorney—a member in good standing of the bar of the highest court of the jurisdiction shown below.
 - b** Certified Public Accountant—duly qualified to practice as a certified public accountant in the jurisdiction shown below.
 - c** Enrolled Agent—enrolled as an agent under the requirements of Circular 230.
 - d** Officer—a bona fide officer of the taxpayer’s organization.
 - e** Full-Time Employee—a full-time employee of the taxpayer.
 - f** Family Member—a member of the taxpayer’s immediate family (for example, spouse, parent, child, brother, or sister).
 - g** Enrolled Actuary—enrolled as an actuary by the Joint Board for the Enrollment of Actuaries under 29 U.S.C. 1242 (the authority to practice before the Internal Revenue Service is limited by section 10.3(d) of Circular 230).
 - h** Unenrolled Return Preparer—the authority to practice before the Internal Revenue Service is limited by Circular 230, section 10.7(c)(1)(viii). You must have prepared the return in question and the return must be under examination by the IRS. See **Unenrolled Return Preparer** on page 1 of the instructions.
 - k** Student Attorney—student who receives permission to practice before the IRS by virtue of their status as a law student under section 10.7(d) of Circular 230.
 - l** Student CPA—student who receives permission to practice before the IRS by virtue of their status as a CPA student under section 10.7(d) of Circular 230.
 - r** Enrolled Retirement Plan Agent—enrolled as a retirement plan agent under the requirements of Circular 230 (the authority to practice before the Internal Revenue Service is limited by section 10.3(e)).

▶ IF THIS DECLARATION OF REPRESENTATIVE IS NOT SIGNED AND DATED, THE POWER OF ATTORNEY WILL BE RETURNED. See the Part II instructions.

Designation—Insert above letter (a-r)	Jurisdiction (state) or identification	Signature	Date



Form M-2848 Power of Attorney and Declaration of Representative

Rev. 12/00
Massachusetts
Department of
Revenue

See separate instructions. Please print or type.

Part 1. Power of Attorney

A **Name of taxpayer(s)** _____ Social Security number(s) _____

Number and street, including apartment number or rural route _____ Federal Identification number _____

City/Town _____ State _____ Zip _____

B Hereby appoint(s) the following individual(s) as attorney(s)-in-fact to represent the taxpayer(s) before any office of the Massachusetts Department of Revenue for the following tax matter(s) (specify the type(s) of tax and year(s) or period(s) (date of death if estate tax)):

Name	Address	Telephone number
Type of tax (individual, corporate, etc.)	Year(s) or period(s) (date of death if estate tax)	

C The attorney(s)-in-fact (or any of them) are authorized, subject to any limitations set forth below or to revocation, to receive confidential information and to perform any and all acts that the principal(s) can perform with respect to the above specified tax matters, such as the authority to sign any agreements, consents or other documents. The authority does not include the power to substitute another representative (unless specifically added below) or the power to receive refund checks.

List any specific additions or deletions to the acts otherwise authorized in this power of attorney:

D Originals of notices and other written communications go to the taxpayer(s). Send copies of all notices and all other written communications addressed to the taxpayer(s) in proceedings involving the above tax matters to:

- 1 the appointee first named above, or
- 2 (name of another appointee designated above) _____

This power of attorney revokes all earlier powers of attorney on file with the Department of Revenue for the same tax matters and years or periods covered by this power of attorney, except the following (specify to whom granted, date and address including Zip code or attach copies of earlier powers):

E **Signature of or for taxpayer(s).** If signed by a corporate officer, partner, or fiduciary on behalf of the taxpayer, I certify that I have the authority to execute this power of attorney on behalf of the taxpayer.

Signature _____ Title (if applicable) _____ Date _____

SIGN HERE

If signing for a taxpayer who is not an individual, type or print your name

Signature _____ Title (if applicable) _____ Date _____

SIGN HERE

F If the power of attorney is granted to a person other than an attorney, certified public accountant, public accountant or enrolled agent, the taxpayer(s) signature must be witnessed or notarized below.

The person(s) signing as or for the taxpayer(s) (check and complete one):

is/are known to and signed in the presence of the two disinterested witnesses whose signatures appear here:

Signature of witness	Date
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Signature of witness	Date
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appeared this day before a notary public and acknowledged this power of attorney as a voluntary act and deed.

Signature of notary	Date
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Part 2. Declaration of Representative. All representatives must complete this section.

I declare that I am not currently under suspension or disbarment from practice within the Commonwealth or in any jurisdiction, that I am aware of regulations governing the practice of attorneys, certified public accountants, public accountants, enrolled agents and others, and that I am one of the following:

- 1 a member in good standing of the bar of the highest court of the jurisdiction shown below;
- 2 duly qualified to practice as a certified public accountant or public accountant in the jurisdiction shown below;
- 3 enrolled as an agent under the requirements of Treasury Department Circular No. 230;
- 4 a bona fide officer of the taxpayer organization;
- 5 a full-time employee of the taxpayer;
- 6 a member of the taxpayer's immediate family (spouse, parent, child or sibling);
- 7 a fiduciary for the taxpayer;
- 8 other (attach statement)

and that I am authorized to represent the taxpayer identified in Part 1 for the tax matters specified there.

Designation (insert appropriate number from above list)	Jurisdiction (state, etc.) or enrollment card number	Signature	Date