

September 29, 2010

Valde Guerra
Hidalgo County
100 East Cano
Edinburg , TX 78539

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OFFICE OF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
ON 10/5/10 BY: 

Re: IRS Form 6847 – Consent for Internal Revenue Service to Release Tax Information

Dear Ms. Guerra:

Each year, TRISTAR prepares 1099 forms related to the claims handling services we provide to your Company. They are filed with the IRS, as well as each applicable state tax agency. A more efficient way of handling state reporting, is allowing the IRS to release information returns directly to the state. In order to do this, Form 6847 must be submitted to the IRS. As your forms 1099-MISC are submitted using your tax identification number, we are unable to fill out and sign the form.

Please find enclosed Form 6847 – Consent for Internal Revenue Service to Release Tax Information. Please have the appropriate person (see instructions located at the bottom of the form) fill out and sign the form and return it in the enclosed envelope by **October 31, 2010**. We will then forward to the IRS. Please feel free to contact Rose Anderson at 562-495-6600 ext. 1012 or me at ext. 1016 with any questions or concerns. Thank you in advance for your help in this matter.

Sincerely,



Kelly Battin
Controller
TRISTAR Risk Management

Form **6847**
(Rev. September 2008)

Department of the Treasury – Internal Revenue Service
**Consent for Internal Revenue Service to
Release Tax Information**

I authorize the IRS to release information returns (Forms 1099-DIV, INT, G, MISC, OID, PATR, R and 5498), filed electronically at the Enterprise Computing Center-Martinsburg (ECC-MTB) as part of the Combined Federal/State Filing Program, to the officers and employees of the State tax agencies charged with processing and handling this data in the course of their tax administration duties. Returns may be disclosed to the tax agency in the State shown on the file record. The State tax agency may use the information for any purpose permitted by State law.

This consent is effective from the date signed and until the date the IRS/ECC-MTB Information Reporting Program receives a written revocation from me. This form does not have to be sent every year. Send Form **6847** to Internal Revenue Service, Enterprise Computing Center-Martinsburg, Information Reporting Program, 230 Murall Drive, Kearneysville, WV 25430.

Business Name HIDALGO COUNTY		Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN) 74-6000717	
Street Address 2818 S. Bus. Hwy. 281		Transmitter Control Code (TCC)	
City Edinburg	State Texas	ZIP Code 78539	
Telephone (956) 292-7025	E-mail valde.guerra@co.hidalgo.tx.us		
Signature (See instructions)		Date 10/12/10	
Signature of Attesting Officer (If a corporation)		Date	

Instructions:

The type of business entity filing the returns determines the individual authorized to sign this consent. The following is a list of business entities and persons authorized to sign consent on behalf of the entity.

1. **Sole proprietorship**—owner.
2. **Partnership**—any person who is a partner during any part of the period covered by the returns.
3. **S corporation under Subchapter S or Chapter 1 of the Internal Revenue Code**—any shareholder during any part of the period covered by the returns.
4. **Corporation**—any principal officer (the consent must also be attested to by the secretary or other corporate officer).

Note: An attorney-in-fact for the filer may also sign consent, however, a written authorization from an appropriate person as described above must be attached.