

Short Return = Full-Year Residents Forms and Instructions

Form 40A Buoklet

I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and to the republic for which it stands: one nation under God, indivisible with liberty and justice for all.

Please use the appropriate envelope if provided.

Important!

Use the taxpayer peel-off label located on this booklet for your return. Peel off the label and place it in the address area of the form you file. Make necessary corrections on the label. If someone else prepares your return, give the preparer the preaddressed label and ask the preparer to use it. Use of the peel-off label is necessary for prompt processing of your return.

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Addresses of District Taxpayer Service Centers

Alabama income tax assistance may be obtained by calling or visiting any of the Alabama Department of Revenue Taxpayer Service Centers listed below. Additional forms and instructions may also be obtained from these centers. For refund information, call 1-800-558-3912.

- AUBURN, ALABAMA 36831-2929
 3300 Skyway Drive
 P.O. Box 2929
 Phone (334) 887-9549
- DOTHAN, ALABAMA 36302-5739
 344 North Oates St.
 P.O. Box 5739
 Phone (334) 793-5803
- GADSDEN, ALABAMA 35902-1190 235 College Street P.O. Drawer 1190 Phone — (256) 547-0554

- HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA 35814-1487
 994 Explorer Boulevard
 P.O. Box 11487
 Phone (256) 922-1082
- MOBILE, ALABAMA 36616-1406
 955 Downtowner Blvd.
 P.O. Drawer 160406
 Phone (251) 344-4737
- MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA 36132-7490 1021 Madison Avenue
 P.O. Box 327490
 Phone — (334) 242-2677
- MUSCLE SHOALS, ALABAMA 35662-3148 874 Reservation Road
 P.O. Box 3148
 Phone — (256) 383-4631
- PELHAM, ALABAMA 35124-1927
 2020 Valleydale Road, Suite 208 (Hoover)
 P.O. Box 1927
 Phone (205) 733-2740
- TUSCALOOSA, ALABAMA 35403-2467
 518 19th Avenue
 P.O. Box 2467
 Phone (205) 759-2571

Where To File Form 40A

Use the envelope that came with your return. If you did not receive an envelope, see page 10 for mailing addresses.

From The Commissioner...

State of Alabama Department of Revenue CYNTHIA UNDERWOOD LEWIS A. EASTERLY (www.revenue.alabama.gov) 50 North Ripley Street Montgomery, Alabama 36132 This booklet is provided to you based on information from your 2008 return. Before you start, please about the Wilhigh Form to File? action on provide the subject to construct the subject to const TIM RUSSELL This bookiet is provided to you based on miormation from your 2000 feature. Denote you start, prease check the "Which Form to File" section on page 5 of these instructions to see which form you should use this tree. If there need additional forms wisit our Web site at many encourse claberes and any maximum check une winnen rorm wirne securon on page 5 of unese instructions to see which form you should use this year. If you need additional forms, visit our Web site at <u>www.revenue.alabama.gov</u> or you may use Dear Taxpayer... One of the primary goals of the Department of Revenue is to provide the most prompt and efficient ser-Vine of the primary goals of the Department of Kevenue is to provide the most prompt and efficient ser-vice. We are continuing to update our processing methods to enable us to make progress toward this goal the order blank on page 23 of this booklet. vice. We are communing to upuate our processing memous to enable us to make progress toward rule goal by using image technology to improve the processing of individual paper returns. This requires all docu-mental paper to be printed and signed in block into the set base documents that have been documents that have been documents and signed in block into the set of the se by using image technology to improve the processing of individual paper returns. This requires all docu-ments/pages to be printed and signed in black ink. If you have documents that have been copied or fored please ansure that the resulting document is dock ensure to be seemed. You move black the dock faxed, please ensure that the resulting document is dark enough to be scanned. You may also file elec-The Department of Revenue continues to make improvements to our system and recently converted the individual income tay to the Department's new intermed tay system to provide between environments to the system and recently converted the system. tronically, which will further expedite the processing of your return. Inc Department of Revenue commus to mare improvements to our system and recently convened me individual income tax to the Department's new integrated tax system to provide better service to taxpayindividual income tax to the Department's new integrated tax system to provide better service to taxpay-ers. We offer estimated taxes that can be filed electronically <u>at no charge to you</u>. There are also a variety ers. we other estimated taxes that can be med electromeany <u>at no charge to you</u>. There are also a variety of ways that payments can be made online, including E-check, ACH debit and credit card payments. Please help us continue making improvements by mailing your return as early as possible. We welcome rease nerp us commute making improvements by maning your return as early as possible. we welcome any comments and suggestions you may have for any of our forms or instructions. Be sure to include (Please refer to page 8 for further information.) your name, address, and phone number should we have any questions for you. If you need help in completing your return or if you have a question about your tax return, please call or If you need neip in completing your return or if you have a question about your tax return, please call or come by one of our Taxpayer Service Centers in your area. The addresses and phone numbers are listed for your convenience inside the front cover of this booklet. Thank you for your assistance. Fusiel Tim Russell Commissioner

What's New For 2009?

Health Insurance Deduction – You may deduct 50 percent of the premiums you pay for health insurance if you work for an employer that has less than 25 employees. (See instructions in form 40 booklet.)

Lifeline Link-Up Program – This program offers discounts on the cost of basic monthly telephone service for qualified subscribers. (See page 13 to determine if you qualify and how to apply for assistance.)

Electronic Filing – Receive your refund faster by electronically filing your return. Electronic filing is not available for non-residents. Visit our Web site, or talk to your preparer for more information.

Refund Status – For the most up-to-date information concerning the status of your current year refund, call 1-800-558-3912 or check our Web site in the Individual Section. (See instructions page 12.)

Web Site – Check out our updated Web site at <u>www.revenue.alabama.gov</u> for downloadable forms, fill-in-forms, instructions, and the most accurate up-todate information available. Our Web site also hosts links to PC on-line filing providers supporting the Federal/State electronic filing program.

How To Use This Instruction Booklet

The instructions for Form 40A are divided into four main sections.

• Section 1 contains information on who must file, how to choose the correct form, and when to file a return.

• Section 2 contains useful steps to help you prepare your return.

• Section 3 contains specific instructions for most of the lines on your return.

• Section 4 contains general information about such items as amending your tax return, how long to keep records, and filing a return for a deceased person.

If you follow the steps in Section 2 and the specific instructions in Section 3, you should be able to complete your return quickly and accurately.

When Should I Expect My Refund? Wait At Least 12 Weeks For Your Refund

If you do not receive your refund within 12 weeks of mailing your return, call our Voice Refund Inquiry System (VRIS) at 1-800-558-3912 (see page 12 for details), or complete Form IT: 489. This form can be obtained at our Web site <u>www.revenue.alabama.gov/incometax/</u> <u>generaltaxforms.htm</u> or at any of our Alabama Taxpayer Service Centers listed on page 2 of this booklet. If you call about your refund, have a copy of your return with you or the Department may be unable to assist you.

Each year the Alabama Department of Revenue receives over 1.8 million income tax returns. Of this number, over 1 million taxpayers receive refunds. The Department makes every effort to process your refund as quickly as possible, and there are several things you, the taxpayer, can do to help us accomplish this.

The date you file your return and how you file determines when you can expect your refund. For example, electronically filed returns are received and processed significantly faster than returns that are mailed to the Department of Revenue. Also, if you mail in an error-free return in January or February, you can expect to receive your refund sooner than if you wait until March or April to file. Last year over 50 percent of the income tax returns filed were received between April 1 and April 15. Returns filed this close to the deadline may require 10 to 12 weeks to process.

Common Mistakes Which Delay Refunds

Failure To Use Peel-Off Label. Use of the peel-off label you received in the mail will help the Department process your refund faster. However, many taxpayers fail to check the information on the labels for accuracy. Make certain the name(s) and address are correct.

Incorrect Name. Your refund check will be issued in the name(s) appearing on your return. If your name is illegible or misspelled, your refund check may be issued in the wrong name.

Incorrect Address. Last year the U.S. Postal Service was unable to deliver thousands of refund checks due to incorrect addresses, or because the taxpayer moved and failed to leave a forwarding address.

Incorrect Social Security Number. Last year approximately 80,000 returns were received with missing or incorrect social security numbers. Your social security number is very important; it is used for identification of your file. Please compare the number on your return with the number on your social security card.

Show in the blocks provided the social security numbers in the same order as the first names. For example, the social security number of the first name listed should be entered in the box headed "Your social security number." The social security number of the second name should be entered in the box headed "Spouse's social security number." If separate returns are filed, the person filing the return should enter his or her social security number in the box headed "Your social security number," and enter the spouse's social security number on line 3. It is very important that the social security numbers be listed in this order so your refund check will be issued in the correct name.

Legibility. On many returns, the name, address, or social security number is not readable. If this happens, the wrong information may be recorded, and your refund check may be delayed. Make sure that the information you enter on the return is readable.

tain the "State Copy" of all forms W-2 wage and tax statement are attached.

Incorrect Computation. Many returns must be corrected each year by the Department due to simple math errors. Before mailing your return, double check the addition and subtraction to make sure the math is correct. This is a good idea even if someone else prepares your return.

Misdirected Mailing. Each year thousands of returns are mailed to the Internal Revenue Service instead of the Alabama Department of Revenue. Use the envelope you received with this booklet or follow the mailing instructions on your return.

Filing More Than One Return. File only one Form 40, 40A, 40NR or electronic return for each tax year. If it is necessary to amend your original return, for years prior to 2008 you must file Form 40X, Amended Alabama Income Tax Return. For a 2009 return, you must file a completed return with the "Amended Return" box checked. The amended return will be processed after your original return has been processed.

Filing Copies. A copy of a return is not acceptable unless it has the taxpayer(s) original signature(s).

Missing Signatures. Thousands of unsigned returns are received each year by the Department. Before we can process them, these returns must be returned to the taxpayers for signatures. If a joint return is filed, both spouses must sign the return.

Other Reasons For Refund Delays

You Have Not Paid All Taxes Due From a Previous Year. If you owe tax for a prior year, your refund will be applied to pay that deficiency. Any amount remaining will be refunded to you. This will generally delay your refund 12 weeks or more.

Setoff Debt Collection. If the Alabama Department of Human Resources, the Alabama Department of Industrial Relations, the Administrative Office of Courts, or the Alabama Medicaid Agency has notified the Alabama Department of Revenue that your account is delinquent on a debt repayment, any public assistance program (including the Child Support Act of 1979, Chapter 10, Title 38), or any Medicaid assistance program, your refund will be applied to that debt. Note: See Setoff Debt Collection on page 12 for further information.

Federal Refund Offset Program. Your 2009 federal or state refund will be taken to satisfy any outstanding liabilities owed to the State of Alabama or to the Internal Revenue Service.

	You Must File A Return If												
You were a:	and your marital status at the end of 2009 was:	and your filing status is:	and your gross income was at least:										
	Single (including divorced and legally separated)	Single	\$ 4,000										
Full Year	Single (including divorced and legally separated)	Head of family	\$ 7,700										
Resident	Married and living with your spouse at the end	Married, joint return	\$10,500										
	of 2009 (or on the date your spouse died)	Married, separate return	\$ 5,250										
	Single (including divorced and legally separated)	Single	\$ 4,000 (while an Alabama resident)										
Part Year	Single (including divorced and legally separated)	Head of family	\$ 7,700 (while an Alabama resident)										
Resident	Married and living with your spouse at the end	Married, joint return	\$10,500 (while an Alabama resident)										
	of 2009 (or on the date your spouse died)	Married, separate return	\$ 5,250 (while an Alabama resident)										
	Single (including divorced and legally separated)	Single or head of family	Over the ellewable prevented exampliant										
Nonresident	Married and living with your spouse at the end	Married, joint return	Over the allowable prorated exemption:										
	of 2009 (or on the date your spouse died)	Married, separate return	See above page for further instructions.										

Missing Withholding Statement (W-2). Make cer-

SECTION Filing Information

First, be certain you need to file a tax return. Your marital status, filing status, and gross income determine whether you have to file a tax return. Gross income usually means money, goods, and property you received on which you must pay tax. It does not include nontaxable benefits. See pages 7 and 8 of the instructions to find out which types of income you should include.

Other Filing Requirements

Refunds. Even if your income was less than the amounts shown you must file a return to get a refund if Alabama income tax was withheld from any payments made to you.

Domicile. Individuals who are domiciled in (or residents of) Alabama are subject to tax on their entire income, whether earned within or without Alabama. This is true regardless of their physical presence within Alabama at any time during the taxable year. Domicile is where one lives, has a permanent home, and has the intention of returning when absent. Domicile may be by birth, choice, or operation of law. Each person has one and only one domicile which, once established, continues until a new one is established coupled with the abandonment of the old. Burden of proof regarding change of domicile is on the taxpayer even though he/she owns no property, earns no income, and has no place of abode in Alabama.

If an Alabama resident accepts employment in a foreign country for a definite or indefinite period of time with the intent of returning to the United States, the individual remains an Alabama resident and all income, wherever earned, is subject to Alabama income tax. This is true even if the taxpayer leaves no property in Alabama.

If a citizen of a foreign country comes to Alabama to work (no matter how long he stays), buys a home, secures an Alabama driver's license, does not intend to apply for U.S. Citizenship, and intends to ultimately return to the country of origin, the individual will be considered to have established domicile in Alabama. In other words, a foreign citizen domiciled in Alabama is liable for Alabama income tax on income earned from all sources.

Military Personnel (Residents). Military personnel whose legal residence is Alabama are subject to Alabama income tax on all income regardless of source or where earned unless specifically exempt by Alabama law.

Military personnel (Army, Navy, Marine, Air Force, Merchant Marine, and Coast Guard) who were residents of Alabama upon entering military service remain residents of Alabama for income tax purposes, regardless of the period of absence or actual place of residence, until proof regarding change of home of record has been made. The burden of proof is on the taxpayer though he owns no property, earns no income, or has no place of abode in Alabama. Under the provisions of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act, military personnel are not deemed to have lost their permanent residence in any state solely because they are absent in compliance with military orders. In addition, persons are not deemed to have acquired permanent residence in another state when they are required to be absent from their home state by virtue of military orders. If the husband and wife are both in military service, each could be a resident of a different state under the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act. A spouse not in military service has the same domicile as his/her spouse unless proven otherwise.

Military Personnel (Nonresidents). Nonresident military personnel merely having a duty station within Alabama (whose legal residence is not Alabama) are not required to file an Alabama income tax return unless they have earned income from Alabama sources other than military pay. If they have earned income in Alabama other than military pay, they are required to file Alabama Form 40NR. A married nonresident with income earned in Alabama may file either a separate return claiming himself or herself only, or a joint return claiming the total allowable personal exemption.

Dependent's and Student's Income. Dependents who are residents of Alabama must file a return if they meet the requirements under You Must File A Return If... (on this page). A student's income is fully taxable to the same extent as other individuals who are required to file a return. If a return is required, the dependent or student can claim a personal exemption of \$1,500, and his or her parents may claim a dependent exemption if they provided more than 50% of his or her total support. See dependent exemption on page 8.

When To File

You should file as soon as you can after January 1, 2010, but no later than April 15, 2010. If you file late you may have to pay penalties and interest. (See **Penalties and Interest** in these instructions.) If you know you cannot file your return by the due date you do not need to file for an extension. You will automatically be granted an extension until October 15, 2010. If you anticipate that you will owe additional tax on your return you should submit your payment with a payment voucher (Form 40V) with the box "Automatic Extension Payment" checked by April 15, 2010.

Except in cases where taxpayers are abroad, no extension will be granted for more than 6 months.

An extension means only that you will not be assessed a penalty for filing your return after the due date. Interest ont he additional tax due fromt he due date of the return and any penalties will be assessed if applicable to your return.

Original returns must be filed within two years of the date the taxes are paid to be eligible for a refund. Criminal Liability could result from a continued failure to file returns. (Refer to "**Criminal Liability**" on Page 12.)

Which Form To File

You MAY Use Form 40A If You Meet <u>ALL</u> Of The Following Conditions:

You were a resident of Alabama for the entire year.

You do not itemize deductions.

 You do not claim any adjustments to income such as an IRA deduction, alimony paid, Federal income tax paid for a prior year, etc.

■ You do not have income from sources other than salaries and wages, except for interest and dividend income, which cannot exceed \$1500.00.

■ You are not claiming income or a loss from Schedules C, D, E, or F.

■ You are not claiming credit for taxes paid to another state.

You MUST Use Form 40 If:

 You were a full or part-year resident of Alabama and do not meet ALL of the requirements to file Form 40A.

You are itemizing deductions.

You MUST Use Form 40NR If:

■ You are not a resident of Alabama, you received taxable income from Alabama sources or for performing services within Alabama, and your gross income from Alabama sources exceeds the allowable prorated personal exemption. Nonresidents must prorate the personal exemption. If your Alabama gross income exceeds the prorated amount, a return must be filed.

You MUST Use Both Form 40 and Form 40NR If:

■ You had sufficient income to require the filing of a part-year return and also had income from Alabama sources while a nonresident during the same tax year. In this case, both the total personal exemption and the dependent exemption must be claimed on the part-year resident return. No exemption can be claimed on the nonresident return. The part year resident return should include only income and deductions during the period of residency, and the nonresident return should include only income and deductions during the period of nonresidency.

SECTION 2 Steps for Preparing Your Return

By following these five useful steps and reading the line-by-line instructions, you should be able to prepare your return quickly and accurately.

Step 1

Collect all your necessary records.

Income Records. These include any Forms W-2 and/or 1099 that you have. If you do not receive a Form W-2 by February 1, OR if the one you receive is incorrect, please contact your employer as soon as possible. Only your employer can give you a Form W-2, and only he or she can correct it.

If you have someone prepare your return for you, make sure that person has all your income and expense records so he or she can fill in your return correctly. Remember, even if your return is prepared by someone else, **you are still responsible**.

Step 2

Obtain any forms or schedules you may need.

In general, we mail forms and schedules to you based on the return you filed last year. Before filling in your return, look it over to see if you need more forms or schedules.

If you think you will need any other forms, get them before you start to fill in your return. Our Alabama Taxpayer Service Centers (see page 2 of these instructions for addresses) can supply the additional forms you need or you may use the order blank on the next to last page of this instruction booklet. We will send you the forms and schedules requested. Also, your local bank, post office, or public library may have some of them. The fastest way to obtain forms is to download them from our Web site at www.revenue.alabama.gov.

Step 3

Use the mailing label we sent you.

The label helps us identify your account and saves processing time.

Step 4

Sign and date your return.

Form 40A is not complete unless you sign it. Please sign in black ink only. Your spouse must also sign if it is a joint return. Original signatures are required or the return will not be accepted.

Step 5

Attach all W-2 or 1099 forms to your return.

Attach the copy of Form W-2(s) marked "To Be Filed With Your State Income Tax return" to the front of your return.

Step 6

Before mailing your return.

If you owe tax, complete Form 40V. Before mailing your return, be sure to include a completed Form 40V along with your payment loose in the envelope.

Make sure you have an exact copy of your return for your records.



Name and Address

Please use the **preprinted** mailing label and enter your social security number. If you do not have a label, type or print your name, address, and social security number in the appropriate blocks.

NOTE: Do not attach your label to the return until the return is completed. Please make sure the information on the label is correct.

If your name has changed or if you were married or divorced during the year, please correct the name portion of the label. If you moved during the year and the label shows your old address, correct the label using your new address. Corrections should be made by drawing a line through the incorrect information and adding the new information on the label. If you live in an apartment, please include your apartment number in the address. If the post office delivers mail to your P.O. Box number rather than to your street address, write the P.O. Box number instead of your street address.

Social Security Number

Each year thousands of taxpayers file returns using an incorrect social security number. Usually this number

belongs to another taxpayer. It is very important that you file your return using the correct social security number. Failure to use your correct social security number(s) in the space(s) provided **WILL DELAY** the processing of your refund. Listed below are a few of the common reasons why a social security number is reported incorrectly:

- failed to enter number on return
- memorized wrong number
- copied number wrong
- gave an incorrect number to the tax preparer
- gave your employer an incorrect number.

IMPORTANT: Check your W-2 forms. Your employer may be reporting an incorrect number for you.

If you are married and filing a joint return, write both social security numbers in the blocks provided.

If you are married and filing separate Alabama returns, write your spouse's social security number on line 3.

If your spouse is a nonresident alien, has no income, does not have a social security number, and you file a separate return, write "NRA" in the block for your spouse's social security number. If you and your spouse file a joint return, your spouse must have a social security number.

If you or your spouse do not have a social security number, please get **Form SS-5** from a Social Security Administration (SSA) office. File it with your local SSA office early enough to get your number before April 15. If you have not received your number before April 15, file your return and write "applied for" in the block for your social security number.

IMPORTANT: Please notify the Social Security Administration (SSA) immediately in the event you have changed your name because of marriage, divorce, etc., so the name on your tax return is the same as the name the SSA has on record. This may prevent delays in processing your return.

Filing Status and Personal Exemption Lines 1 through 4

You should check **only** the box that describes your filing status. The personal exemption will be determined by your filing status on the last day of the tax year.

Single

Consider yourself single if on December 31 you were unmarried or separated from your spouse either by divorce or separate maintenance decree.

If you check box 1, enter \$1,500 on line 10.

Married

Joint or Separate Returns?

Joint Returns. Most married couples will pay less tax if they file a joint return. If you file a joint return, you must report all income, exemptions, deductions, and credits for you and your spouse. Both of you must sign the return, even if only one of you had income. The State of Alabama does recognize a common law marriage for income tax purposes.

Caution: You cannot file a joint return if you are a resident of Alabama and your spouse is a resident of another state. You should file as "married filing separate."

You and your spouse can file a joint return even if you did not live together for the entire year. Both of you

are responsible for any tax due on a joint return, so if one of you does not pay, the other may have to.

Note: If you file a joint return, you may not, after the due date of the return, choose to file separate returns for that year.

If your spouse died in 2009, you can file a joint return for 2010. You can also file a joint return if your spouse died in 2010 before filing a 2009 return. For details on how to file a joint return, see **Death of Taxpayer** on page 12.

If you check box 2, enter \$3,000 on line 10.

Separate Returns. You can file separate returns if both you and your spouse had income, or if only one of you had income. If you file a separate return, report only your own income, exemptions, deductions, and credits. You are responsible only for the tax due on your own return.

Note: Alabama is not a community property state.

If you file a separate return, write your spouse's social security number on line 3 in the space provided. If your spouse is not required to file a return, attach a statement explaining why.

If you check box 3, enter \$1,500 on line 10.

Head of Family

An individual shall be considered "Head of Family" if, and only if, such individual is not married at the close of their tax year, is not a surviving spouse and their qualifying dependent is not a foster child.

You may check the box on line 4 **ONLY IF** on December 31, 2009, you were unmarried or legally separated and meet either test 1 or test 2 below.

Test 1. You paid more than half the cost of keeping up a home for the entire year, provided that the home was the main home of your parent whom you can claim as a dependent. Your **parent** did not have to live with you in your home;

OR

Test 2. You paid more than half the cost of keeping up a home in which you lived and in which one of the following also lived for more than 6 months of the year (temporary absences, such as for vacation or school, are counted as time lived in the home):

a. Your unmarried child, grandchild, great-grandchild, etc., adopted child, or stepchild. This child does not have to be your dependent.

b. Your **married** child, grandchild, great-grandchild, etc., adopted child, or stepchild. This child must be your dependent. But if your married child's other parent claims him or her as a dependent under the federal rules for **Children of Divorced or Separated Parents**, this child does not have to be your dependent.

c. Any relative you can claim as a dependent. (See definition of a dependent on page 10.)

If the person for whom you kept up a home was born or died during the year, you may still file as "Head of Family" as long as the home was that person's main home for the part of the year he or she was alive.

If you check box 4, enter \$3,000 on line 10.

Income

All income is subject to Alabama personal income tax unless specifically exempted by state law. The term "income" includes, but is not limited to, salaries, wages, commissions, income from business or professions, alimony, rents, royalties, interest, dividends, and profits from sales of real estate, stocks, or bonds. Military pay is taxable income except for compensation received for active service in a designated combat zone.

Examples of Income You MUST Report

The following kinds of income should be reported on Form 40, 40A, or 40NR and related forms and schedules. You may need some of the forms and schedules listed below.

 Wages including salaries, fringe benefits, bonuses, commissions, fees, and tips.

Dividends (Schedule B).

 Interest (Schedule B) on: bank deposits, bonds, notes, Federal Income Tax Refunds, mortgages on which you receive payments, accounts with savings and loan associations, mutual savings banks, credit unions, etc.

Original Issue Discount (Schedule B).

 Distributions from an Individual Retirement Arrangement (IRA) including SEPs and DECs, if you excluded these amounts in a prior year.

Bartering income (fair market value of goods or services you received in return for your services).

 Business expense reimbursements you received that are more than you spent for these expenses.

Amounts received in place of wages from accident and health plans (including sick pay and disability pensions) if your employer paid for the policy.

Alimony or separate maintenance payments received from and deductible by your spouse or former spouse

 Life insurance proceeds from a policy you cashed in if the proceeds are more than the premium you paid.

 Profits from businesses and professions (Federal Schedule C or C-EZ).

Your share of profits from partnerships and S Corporations (Schedule E).

Profits from farming (Federal Schedule F).

Pensions, annuities, and endowments.

Lump-sum distributions.

Gains from the sale or exchange (including barter) of real estate, securities, coins, gold, silver, gems, or other property (Schedule D).

Gains from the sale of your personal residence as reported on your Federal return.

Rents and Royalties (Schedule E).

Your share of estate or trust income (Schedule E).

 Prizes and awards (contests, lotteries, and gambling winnings).

- Income from sources outside the United States.
- Director's fees.

 Fees received as an executor or administrator of an estate.

Embezzled or other illegal income.

 Refunds of federal income tax if deducted in a prior year and resulted in a tax benefit.

Payments received as a member of a military service generally are taxable except for combat pay and certain allowances.

Property transferred in conjunction with performance of services.

Jury duty pay.

Examples of Income You DO NOT Report

(Do not include these amounts when deciding if you must file a return.)

United States Retirement System benefits.

State of Alabama Teachers' Retirement System benefits.

 State of Alabama Employees' Retirement System benefits.

State of Alabama Judicial Retirement System benefits.

Military retirement pay.

Tennessee Valley Authority Pension System benefits

United States Government Retirement Fund benefits.

Payments from a "Defined Benefit Retirement" Plan" in accordance with IRC 414(j). (Contact your retirement plan administrator to determine if your plan qualifies.

Federal Railroad Retirement benefits.

Federal Social Security benefits.

State income tax refunds.

Unemployment compensation.

Welfare benefits.

Disability retirement payments (and other benefits) paid by the Veteran's Administration.

Workman's compensation benefits, insurance

Child support.

Dividends on veteran's life insurance.

 Life insurance proceeds received because of a person's death.

Interest on obligations of the State of Alabama or any county, city, or municipality of Alabama.

Interest on obligations of the United States or any of its possessions.

Amounts you received from insurance because you lost the use of your home due to fire or other casualty to the extent the amounts were more than the cost of your normal expenses while living in your home. (You must report as income reimbursements for normal living expenses.)

 Military allowances paid to active duty military, National Guard, and active reserves for quarters, subsistence, uniforms, and travel.

 Subsistence allowance received by law enforcement officers and corrections officers of the State of Alabama.

 All retirement compensation received by an eligible peace officer or a designated beneficiary from any Alabama police retirement system.

 All retirement compensation received by an eligible fire fighter or a designated beneficiary from any Alabama firefighting agency.

Income earned while serving as a foreign missionary after first serving 24 months as a missionary in a foreign country.

Compensation received from the United States for active service as a member of the Armed Forces in a combat zone designated by the President of the United States.

Death benefits received by a designated beneficiary of a peace officer or fireman killed in the line of duty.

 An amount up to \$25,000 received as severance, unemployment compensation or termination pay, or as income from a supplemental income plan, or both, by an employee who, as a result of administrative downsizing, is terminated, laid-off, fired, or displaced from his or her employment, shall be exempt from state income tax. If the exempt severance pay is included in your state wages, contact your employer for a corrected W-2.

Beginning January 1, 1998, all benefits received from Alabama Prepaid Tuition Contracts (PACT).

Alabama 529 savings plan.

Rounding Off to Whole Dollars

Round off cents to the nearest whole dollar on your return and schedules. You can drop amounts under 50 cents. Increase amounts from 50 to 99 cents to the next dollar. For example: \$1.39 becomes \$1.00 and \$2.69 becomes \$3.00.

Lines 5a through 5d

Wages, Salaries, Tips, Etc.

Show the name and address of each employer on lines 5a through 5d. In the column headed "Income", show the amount of wages, salaries, fees, commissions, tips, bonuses, and other amounts you were paid before taxes, insurance, etc. were deducted.

If you had more than 4 employers during the tax year and the space provided on lines 5a through 5d is insufficient for listing each employer, you should attach a list with identical headings and list all employers and amounts on this schedule. On line 5a write "See Attached List," and record in columns A and B the totals for withholding and wages for all employers as listed on attached schedule.

Include the amount shown in the box headed "State Wages" on your Form W-2 in the total on line 7. The amount shown in this box may or may not be the same as the amount taxable for federal purposes. Report all wages, salaries, and tips you received even if you do not have a Form W-2.

Note: State of Alabama employees will find that the amount taxable for state purposes is, in most cases, more than the amount taxable for federal purposes due to the fact that amounts deducted from their wages as "Contributions to the Alabama State Retirement System" qualify for deferral on the Federal return but do not qualify for deferral on the Alabama return.

Alabama Income Tax Withheld

In the column headed "Alabama tax withheld", enter the amount of Alabama income tax withheld by each of your employers. The amount withheld is shown on the state copy of your Form W-2. This copy should be marked "To Be Filed With Your Alabama Income Tax Return."

Note: Do not change or alter the amount of tax withheld or wages reported on your Form W-2. If any amount is incorrect or illegible, contact your employer and request a corrected statement.

Do not include the following as Alabama income tax: Federal income tax.

- FICA tax (Social Security and Medicare),
- Local, city, or occupational tax, or
- Taxes paid to another state.

List amounts withheld separately on the same line

with the employer's name and amount of income.

Add the Alabama income tax withheld together and enter the total on line 18.

damages, etc. for injury or sickness.

Gifts, money, or other property you inherit or that was willed to you.

Line 6

Interest and Dividend Income

If income from interest and dividends is more than \$1500, you cannot file Form 40A but must file Form 40.

Line 8

Standard Deduction

Use the chart on page 9 to determine your Standard Deduction and enter the amount on line 8, page 1.

Line 9

Federal Income Tax Deduction

See instructions for Part III, page 2 on page 10.

Joint Federal and Separate Alabama Returns, or Part Year Residents. If a married couple elects to file a joint Federal return and separate Alabama returns, or if filing as a part year resident, the Federal income tax must be determined by a ratio of Alabama adjusted gross income to Federal adjusted gross income. This calculation is required regardless of the method used in claiming other deductions.

Line 10

Personal Exemption

Enter the personal exemption from line 1, 2, 3, or 4. A dependent or student may take the personal exemption even if claimed as a dependent by someone else.

Line 11

Dependent Exemption

Complete page 2, Part II, and enter the amount from line 2 on line 11, page 1.

Use the following chart to determine the per-dependent exemption amount.

Amount on Line 7, Page 1	Dependent Exemption
0 - 20,000	1,000
20,001 - 100,000	500
Over 100,000	300

Line 14

Figuring Your Tax

Find the tax for the amount on line 13. Use the Tax Tables on pages 14 through 19.

Line 15

Consumer Use Tax

Review the purchases you made during 2009. If you purchased items for use in Alabama from out-of-state sellers who did not charge sales or use tax, you owe consumers use tax on the items.

Use tax is the counterpart of the sales tax. State use tax is imposed at the same rate and on the same type of transactions as sales tax and is due from the consumer when the sales tax is not collected. When you purchase merchandise from a retail store or other business establishment in Alabama, the seller is required to collect sales tax on the purchase. When you purchase merchandise from a business located outside of Alabama the seller might collect use tax on the purchase. However, not all out-of-state businesses are registered and required to collect Alabama tax. As the consumer, you are responsible for ensuring that sales or use tax is paid on your purchases. When you purchase merchandise for storage, use or consumption in Alabama and the retail seller does not collect tax on the purchase, you must report and pay consumer use tax on the purchase price. Usually, these purchases are made from catalogs, over the internet, or by telephone and include items such as:

- Clothing
- Books
- Computers
 Computer 5
- Computer Software
- Furniture
- Magazine Subscriptions
- Sporting Goods
- Jewelry
- Electronic Equipment
- CDs, DVDs, Audio & Video Cassettes
- Photographic Equipment
- Musical Equipment
 Automotive Accessories and Parts
- Autom
 ATVs
- Lawn and garden equipment

Applicable State Use Tax Rates

The general use tax rate of 4% applies to all purchases of merchandise, except where a different rate of tax is expressly provided.

The automotive use tax rate of 2% applies to purchases of automotive vehicles. Where any used vehicle is traded-in on the purchase of a new or used vehicle. the tax is due on the trade difference, that is, the price of the new or used vehicle purchased less the credit for the used vehicle taken in trade. The county licensing official will collect the tax due on purchases of automotive vehicles that are required to be titled or registered including purchases of automobiles, trucks, trailers, mobile homes, and motor boats. Do not include purchases of vehicles that are titled or registered in the calculation on the worksheet below. You must report and pay the use tax due on other purchases of automotive vehicles including ATVs, off-road motorcycles, riding lawnmowers, self-propelled construction equipment, and other selfpropelled instruments of conveyance.

The agriculture use tax rate of 1-1/2% applies to purchases of machinery or equipment used in connection with the production of agricultural products, livestock, or poultry on farms and the replacement parts for such machinery or equipment. Where any used farm machinery or equipment is traded-in on the purchase of new or used farm machinery or equipment, the tax is due on the trade difference, that is, the price of the new or used machinery or equipment less the credit for the used machinery or equipment taken in trade.

Local Use Tax: City and County use tax may also be due and should be reported and paid to the appropriate local tax authority. For information about reporting local use tax please see the department's web page at http://www.revenue.alabama.gov/salestax/cutax.html.

Use the worksheet on page 9 to compute Alabama Use Tax. For more information regarding consumers use tax call (334) 242-1490.

Line 16

Alabama Election Campaign Fund

If you wish to make a voluntary contribution to Alabama's Democratic Party or Republican Party, indicate the amount and party by checking the proper box(es) on lines 16a or 16b.

Each individual may contribute \$1 to either party. If

a joint return is filed, each spouse may contribute \$1 to either party. If you make a voluntary contribution to this fund it **WILL INCREASE** your tax.

The total amount entered on line 16a or 16b cannot exceed \$2 for a married couple filing a joint return, or \$1 for all other filers.

Line 19

Automatic Extension Payment

Enter on this line any payment you made on your Alabama automatic extension (Form 40V).

Line 20

Previous Payments

This line is for amended returns only. Enter the amount of your previous payment made with your original return and/or billing notices and amended return(s).

Line 22

Previous Refund

This line is for amended returns only. Enter the amount of your previous refund from your original return and amended return(s).

Line 24

Amount You Owe

If the amount on line 17 is larger than the amount on line 23, subtract line 23 from line 17 and enter the difference on line 24 — this is the amount you owe the State of Alabama. It must be paid using Form 40V.

Pay the full amount by **check or money order** payable to the "Alabama Department of Revenue." On your payment, write your social security number, day-time phone number, and "2009 Form 40A," and remit your payment with Form 40V. If paying by credit card, make sure you follow the credit card payment instructions. See below.

Electronic Bank Draft (E-Check): You can pay your taxes due electronically from your bank account online at <u>https://www.officialpayments.com/echeck/</u>

ec_template_standard.jsp. Enter Jurisdiction Code 1100. You will need to have your bank routing number and your checking account number to use this service. There is no charge for this service.

Credit Card: You can also pay your taxes due by credit card online at https://www.officialpayments. com/pc_template_standard.jsp or by phone at 1-800-272-9829. Enter Jurisdiction Code 1100. You can also pay your taxes by credit card online at https://www. ALTaxPayment.com or by phone at 1-866-272-9829 or by Value Payment Systems visiting at www.payaltax.com. Discover/NOVUS®, MasterCard®, Visa® and American Express® cards are currently being accepted. There is a convenience fee for this service. This fee is paid directly to the company you use based on the amount of your tax payment. (See page 22 for further instructions.)

How do I pay by ACH Debit? You may pay by ACH Debit by going to www.revenue.alabama.gov/efiling.htm. Do not use Form 40V when paying by ACH Debit. You will need to have your bank routing number and checking account number to use this service. No fee is charged for this service.

If payment for the full amount of tax due is not paid by the due date of the return, you will be charged interest and will be subject to penalties. See **Penalties and Interest** on page 11. More importantly, if you submit your

		S	Standard	Deduction			
Married Filing	Joint	Married Filing	Separate	Head of Fa	mily	Single	
AL Adjusted Gross Income (AL Line 7)	Standard Deduction	AL Adjusted Gross Income (AL Line 7)	Standard Deduction	AL Adjusted Gross Income (AL Line 7)	Standard Deduction	AL Adjusted Gross Income (AL Line 7)	Standard Deduction
0 - 20,499	7,500	0 - 10,249	3,750	0 - 20,499	4,700	0 - 20,499	2,500
20.500 - 20.999	7,325	10,250 - 10,499	3,662	20.500 - 20.999	4,565	20.500 - 20.999	2,475
21.000 - 21.499	7.150	10.500 - 10.749	3.574	21.000 - 21.499	4,430	21.000 - 21.499	2,450
21,500 - 21,999	6,975	10.750 - 10.999	3,486	21,500 - 21,999	4,295	21,500 - 21,999	2,425
22,000 - 22,499	6,800	11,000 - 11,249	3,398	22,000 - 22,499	4,160	22,000 - 22,499	2,400
22,500 - 22,999	6,625	11,250 - 11,499	3,310	22,500 - 22,999	4,025	22,500 - 22,999	2,375
23,000 - 23,499	6,450	11,500 - 11,749	3,222	23,000 - 23,499	3,890	23,000 - 23,499	2,350
23,500 - 23,999	6,275	11,750 - 11,999	3,134	23,500 - 23,999	3,755	23,500 - 23,999	2,325
24,000 - 24,499	6,100	12,000 - 12,249	3,046	24,000 - 24,499	3,620	24,000 - 24,499	2,300
24,500 - 24,999	5,925	12,250 - 12,499	2,958	24,500 - 24,999	3,485	24,500 - 24,999	2,275
25,000 - 25,499	5,750	12,500 - 12,749	2,870	25,000 - 25,499	3,350	25,000 - 25,499	2,250
25,500 - 25,999	5,575	12,750 - 12,999	2,782	25,500 - 25,999	3,215	25,500 - 25,999	2,225
26,000 - 26,499	5,400	13,000 - 13,249	2,694	26,000 - 26,499	3,080	26,000 - 26,499	2,200
26,500 - 26,999	5,225	13,250 - 13,499	2,606	26,500 - 26,999	2,945	26,500 - 26,999	2,175
27,000 - 27,499	5,050	13,500 - 13,749	2,518	27,000 - 27,499	2,810	27,000 - 27,499	2,150
27,500 - 27,999	4,875	13,750 - 13,999	2,430	27,500 - 27,999	2,675	27,500 - 27,999	2,125
28,000 - 28,499	4,700	14,000 - 14,249	2,342	28,000 - 28,499	2,540	28,000 - 28,499	2,100
28,500 - 28,999	4,525	14,250 - 14,499	2,254	28,500 - 28,999	2,405	28,500 - 28,999	2,075
29,000 - 29,499	4,350	14,500 - 14,749	2,166	29,000 - 29,499	2,270	29,000 - 29,499	2,050
29,500 - 29,999	4,175	14,750 - 14,999	2,078	29,500 - 29,999	2,135	29,500 - 29,999	2,025
30,000 and over	4,000	15,000 and over	2,000	30,000 and over	2,000	30,000 and over	2,000

	Federal Income Tax Deducti	ion Workshe	et			
1	Enter the tax as shown on line 55, Form 1040, line 35 on Form 1040A,			4		
	line 11 on Form 1040EZ or line 51 on Form 1040NR			'		
2 a	Making work pay and government retiree credits. Enter the amount from line 63,	2a				
	Form 1040, line 40 on Form 1040A, line 8 on Form 1040EZ or Line 60 on Form 1040NR .	20				
2b	Earned income credit (EIC). Enter the amount from line 64a, Form 1040,	2b				
	line 41a on Form 1040A or line 9a on Form 1040EZ	20				
2c	Additional child tax credit. Enter the amount from line 65, Form 1040,	2c				
	line 42 on Form 1040A, or line 61 on Form 1040NR	20				
	Refundable education credit.	2d				
	Enter the amount from line 66, Form 1040 or line 43 on Form 1040A	20				
	First-time homebuyer credit.	2e				
	Enter the amount from line 67, Form 1040	20				
	Credits from Forms 2439, 4136, 8801, 8885.	2f				
	Enter the amount from line 70, Form 1040 or line 64 on Form 1040NR				 	
				3		
	Add lines 2a, b, c, d, e and f				 	
	Subtract line 3 from line 1 and enter on line 12 on Form 40, line 9 Form 40A or			4		
	line 4, Part IV, page 2 on Form 40NR. If amount is negative enter zero.		· · · · · · · · · · · [

Alabama Use Tax Worksheet	Column A	Column B	Column C
Report 2009 purchases for use in Alabama from out-of-state sellers on which tax			Tax Due –
was not collected by the seller.	Total Purchase Price	Tax Rate	(Multiply Column A by Column B)
1. All purchases EXCEPT automotive vehicles and farm machinery		.04	
2. ATVs, off-road motorcycles, riding lawnmowers, self propelled construction equipment and other automotive vehicles that are <u>not</u> titled or registered by			
the county licensing official		.02	
3. Farm machinery or equipment and replacement parts thereof		.015	
4. TOTAL TAX DUE (Total of Column C). Carry this amount to Form 40 Line 19b.			

return **without payment**, a final assessment may be entered by the Department. A final assessment which is not appealed is as conclusive as a judgment of a circuit court. the Department may then proceed with collection by issuance of legal processes including recording of **tax liens, garnishment of wages or bank accounts, levy, or a writ of seizure** directed to the county sheriff as provided by Sections 40-1-2, 40-2-11(16), and 40-29-23, *Code of Alabama 1975.*

Note: Make sure you complete all fields on Form 40V so that your payment can be properly credited.

Line 25

Overpayment

If the amount on line 23 is more than the amount on line 17, subtract line 17 from line 23 and enter the difference on line 25 — this is the amount you overpaid.

Line 26

Donation of Refunds

Enter amount from line 2, page 2, Part V.

Note: Amounts contributed to these funds **WILL RE-DUCE** your refund. Also, once an election is made to contribute to these funds, that election is irrevocable and cannot later be refunded. If your return is corrected by the Department, the amount contributed cannot be used to pay any additional tax due.

Line 27

Refunded to You

Subtract the amount on line 26 from the amount on line 25. You should receive a check for the overpayment. See **When Should I Expect My Refund?** on page 4 of this booklet for more information about your refund.

Sign Your Return

Form 40A is not complete until you sign it. Please sign in black ink only. Your spouse must also sign if it is a joint return. Original signatures are required or the return will not be accepted. If you are filing a joint return with your deceased spouse, see **Death of Taxpayer** on page 12.

Did You Have Someone Else Prepare Your Return? If you fill in your own return, the Paid Preparer's Use Only area should remain blank. Someone who prepares your return but does not charge you should not sign.

Generally, anyone who is paid to prepare your tax return must sign your return and fill in the other blanks in the **Paid Preparer's Use Only** area of your return.

If you have questions about whether a preparer is required to sign a return, please contact an Alabama Taxpayer Service Center.

The preparer required to sign your return **MUST**:

■ Sign, by hand, in the space provided for the preparer's signature. (Signature stamps or labels are not acceptable.)

■ Give you a copy of your return in addition to the copy to be filed with the Alabama Department of Revenue.

BEFORE signing and mailing your return you should review it to make sure the preparer has entered the correct name(s), address, and social security number(s) in the spaces provided and reported all of your income. **REMEMBER**, you are responsible for the

information on your return even if you pay someone else to prepare it.

Please enter your daytime phone number. This will enable us to contact you and help speed your refund along if there are any problems with processing your return.

Where To File Form 40A

Use the envelope that came with your return. We encourage the use of this envelope since it will expedite the processing of your return. If you do not have an addressed envelope, mail your return to one of the addresses below:

If you are not making a payment, mail your return to:

Alabama Department of Revenue P.O. Box 327465 Montgomery, AL 36132-7465

If you are making a payment, mail your return, Form 40V and payment to: Alabama Department of Revenue

P.O. Box 327477 Montgomery, AL 36132-7477

Mail **ONLY** your 2009 Form 40A to one of the above addresses. Prior year returns, amended returns, and any correspondence pertaining to your return should be mailed to:

Alabama Department of Revenue Individual & Corporate Tax Division P.O. Box 327464 Montgomery, AL 36132-7464

Part I, Page 2 General Information

Part I (General Information) must be completed by all taxpayers. Please follow the line-by-line instructions on Form 40A to complete this section.

Part II, Page 2 Dependents

A "dependent" as defined under Alabama law is an individual **other than the taxpayer and his or her spouse** who received over 50% of his or her support from the taxpayer during the tax year and also has one of the following relationships with the taxpayer:

Stepfather
Mother-in-law
Father-in-law
Brother-in-law
Sister-in-law
Son-in-law
Daughter-in-law
If related by blood:
Uncle
Aunt
Nephew
Niece

Note: You **cannot** claim a foster child, friend, cousin, or your spouse as a dependent under Alabama law.

Birth or Death of Dependent. You can take an exemption for a dependent who was born or who died during 2009 if he or she met the qualifications for a dependent while alive.

Support. You must have provided over 50% of the dependent's support in 2009. If you file a joint return, the support can be from you or your spouse. You **cannot** claim credit for a dependent if you gave less than 50% of the support under Alabama law as you can under federal law, in certain conditions.

In figuring total support, you must include money the dependent used for his or her own support even if this money was not taxable (for example: gifts, savings, welfare benefits). If your child was a student, do not include amounts he or she received as scholarships.

Support includes items such as food, a place to live, clothes, medical and dental care, recreation, and education. In figuring support, use the actual cost of these items. However, the cost of a place to live is figured at its fair rental value.

In figuring support, **do not** include items such as income taxes, social security taxes, premiums for life insurance, or funeral expenses.

Line 1a

Dependents

Column (1) Enter first and last name of each dependent.

Column (2) Enter social security number for each dependent regardless of the dependent's age.

Column (3) Enter your dependent's relationship to you.

Column (4) Enter yes or no to the question.

Line 1b

Enter total number of dependents claimed.

Line 2

Complete Part II and enter the amount from line 2 on line 11, page 1.

Part III, Page 2 Federal Tax Deduction

Use your 2009 federal income tax return and the worksheet on page 9 to determine your federal income tax deduction.

PLEASE NOTE: The Federal line references were correct at the time these forms and instructions were printed. However, there may have been changes to Federal forms after our print deadline and the line numbers referenced for our forms may have changed. If you have questions as to the correct line number on the Federal return, please feel free to call one of our taxpayer service centers listed on page 2.

Part IV, Page 2 Donation Check-offs

You may elect to donate all or part of your overpayment as shown on line 20 to one or more of the funds as provided by the Alabama Legislature. The amounts entered on these lines will be paid to the programs you indicate. Any amount you contribute may be claimed if you itemize deductions when you file your 2010 Alabama Income Tax Return. (**Caution:** When reporting your refund on your 2010 Federal return, you should report the amount of overpayment shown on line 20 before your donation.)

Line 1a

Alabama Senior Services Trust Fund

This fund will assist in the support of programs for the aging in Alabama. If you wish to make a contribution to this program, enter \$1, \$5, \$10, or any other dollar amount.

Line 1b

Alabama Arts Development Fund

This fund provides for grants to tax exempt organizations or associations to encourage development of quality arts activities or cultural facilities in local areas. If you wish to make a contribution to this program, enter \$1, \$5, \$10, or any other dollar amount.

Line 1c

Alabama Nongame Wildlife Fund

This is a program under the jurisdiction of the Game and Fish Division of the Department of Conservation which provides management of such nongame wildlife. If you wish to make a contribution to this program, enter \$1, \$5, \$10, or any other dollar amount.

Line 1d

Child Abuse Trust Fund

This fund encourages the direct provision of services to prevent child abuse and neglect. If you wish to make a contribution to this program, enter \$5, \$10, \$25, or any other dollar amount.

Line 1e

Alabama Veterans' Program

This fund provides supportive assistance through nursing and related health care for Alabama ailing and aged veterans of the armed forces who have need of special nursing and related health care services. If you wish to make a contribution to this program, enter \$1, \$5, \$10, or any other dollar amount.

Line 1f

Alabama Indian Children's Scholarship Fund

Your donation to this fund will help provide educational scholarships for Alabama's Indian Children. If you wish to make a contribution to this fund, enter \$1, \$5, \$10, or any other dollar amount.

Line 1g Penny Trust Fund

The Penny Trust Fund provides for the promotion of public health and disease prevention in Alabama. Your donation will help to reduce infant mortality and provide for Alabama's indigent health care programs. If you wish to make a contribution to this program, enter \$1, \$5, \$10, or any other dollar amount.

Line 1h

Foster Care Trust Fund

The Foster Care Trust Fund provides educational, athletic, artistic, and special occasion opportunities for Alabama's foster children. If you wish to make a contribution to this fund, enter \$1, \$5, \$10, or any other dollar amount.

Line 1i

Mental Health

This is a non-profit organization dedicated to the eradication of mental illness and to the improvement of the quality of life of those whose lives are affected by these diseases. Your donation to this fund will help provide unconditional support to persons experiencing mental pain and those struggling toward recovery. If you wish to make a contribution to this fund, enter \$1, \$5, \$10, or other dollar amount.

Line 1j

Neighbors Helping Neighbors Fund

The Neighbors Helping Neighbors Fund will provide for funds to weatherize homes to save energy, lower fuel bill and improve the health and safety of dwellings occupied by low income people. If you wish to make a contribution to this fund, enter a dollar amount.

Line 1k

Alabama Breast and Cervical Cancer Research Program

The University of Alabama at Birmingham's Comprehensive Cancer Center is a nationally funded leader in breast and cervical research providing cutting edge clinical care to the people of Alabama. Your donation to this fund will help in the fight against breast and cervical cancer. Enter \$1, \$5, \$10, or other amount if you wish to contribute to this fund.

Line 11

Alabama 4-H Club Foundation

Alabama 4-H, established in 1909, remains one of the largest youth development organizations, reaching all ethnic groups, genders and rural and urban populations. Alabama 4-H is an innovative, responsive leader in helping Alabama's young people develop into successful citizens. This fund will support programs, clubs and other activities for 4-H'ers, as 4-H does not charge membership fees. If you wish to make a contribution to Alabama 4-H, enter \$1, \$5, \$10, or any other dollar amount.

Line 1m

Alabama Organ Center Donor Awareness Fund

This fund was established to enhance and promote public education and awareness for the purpose of increasing organ and tissue donation in order to save and/or improve the lives of patients awaiting transplants. If you wish to make a contribution to this program enter \$1, \$5, \$10, or any other dollar amount.

Line 1m

Alabama National Guard Foundation Incorporated

This fund provides assistance to families of Alabama National Guard members and reservists who experience a financial hardship when the member is called to active duty. If you wish to make a contribution to this program, enter \$1, \$5, \$10, or any other dollar amount.

Line 1o

Cancer Research Institute

This fund was established to improve cancer survival rates for patients through research aimed at increasing prevention and treatment. If you wish to make a contribution to this program, enter \$1, \$5, \$10, or any other dollar amount.

Line 1p

Alabama Alternative Fuel Fund

This fund was established to promote, develop, and raise awareness about alternative fuels. If you wish to make a contribution to this program, enter \$1, \$5, \$10, or any other dollar amount.

Line 1q

Alabama Military Support Foundation

This fund was established to promote better relations between employers and National Guard/Reserve members.



This section contains general information about items such as amending your tax return, how long to keep records, and filing a return for a deceased person.

Direct Depost Information

We are currently working to implement direct deposit for all paper returns. However, for the 2009 tax year this option will be **available only for Alabama Form 40** Individual Returns. In order to receive a direct deposit refund, your paper return must be prepared using tax preparation software that utilizes **2D Bar Code** technology. The Department is striving to have direct deposit refunds available for other paper returns beginning in 2010.

Penalties and Interest

Interest. Interest is charged on taxes not paid by their due date even if an extension of time is granted. If your return is not filed by the due date and you owe additional tax, you should add interest from April 15, 2010 to date of payment. Submit payment of the tax and interest with your return. The interest rate is the same as currently prescribed by the Internal Revenue Service. Any of the Alabama Taxpayer Service Centers listed on page 2 of this booklet can give you the current rate of interest at the time your return is filed.

Failure To Timely File a Return. You can avoid this penalty by filing your return by the due date. Alabama law provides a penalty of 10% of the tax due or \$50.00, whichever is greater, if the return is filed late. If you can show reasonable cause for filing a delinquent return, attach an explanation to your return.

Failure To Timely Pay Tax. The penalty for not paying the tax when due is 1% of the unpaid amount for each month or fraction of a month that the tax remains unpaid. The maximum penalty is 25%.

Note: If you include interest and/or either of these penalties with your payment, identify and enter these amounts on the bottom margin of Form 40A, page 1. **Do not** include interest or penalty amounts in "Amount You Owe" on line 19.

Other Penalties. There are also penalties for filing a frivolous return, underpayment due to negligence, underpayment due to fraud, substantial understatement of estimated tax, and failure to file estimated tax.

Any person failing to file a return as required by Alabama law or filing a willfully false or fraudulent return will be assessed by the Alabama Department of Revenue on the basis of the best information obtainable by the Department with respect to the income of the taxpayer.

Criminal Liability. Section 40-29-112, *Code of Alabama 1975*, as amended, provides for a more severe penalty for not filing tax returns. Any person required to file a return who willfully fails to file the return is guilty of a misdemeanor and, if convicted, will be fined not more than \$25,000 or imprisoned not more than 1 year, or both. Section 40-29-110 provides that any person who willfully attempts to evade any tax or the payment of any tax is guilty of a felony and, if convicted, will be fined not more than \$100,000 or imprisoned for not more than 5 years, or both. These penalties are in addition to any other penalties provided for by Alabama law.

Address Change

If you move after filing your return and expect a refund, you should notify the Department of Revenue and send a change of address notice to: Alabama Department of Revenue, Individual and Corporate Division, P.O. Box 327410, Montgomery, AL 36132-7410. This will help us forward your check to you as soon as possible and allow us to mail next year's forms to your new address.

Writing To The Alabama Department of Revenue

Be sure to include your social security number and phone number in any letter to the Alabama Department of Revenue. (See "Where To File," page 10.)

How Long Should Records Be Kept?

Keep records of income, deductions, and credits

shown on your return, as well as any worksheets used to figure them until the statute of limitations runs out for that return. Usually this is 3 years from the date the return was filed. If income that should have been reported was not reported and the income omitted is in excess of 25% of the stated income, the period of limitation does not expire until 6 years after the return was filed or 6 years after the due date of the return, whichever is later. There is no period of limitation when a return is false or fraudulent, or when no return is filed.

Also keep copies of your filed tax returns as part of your records. You should keep some records longer than the period of limitation. For example, keep property records (including those on your own home) as long as they are needed to figure the basis of the original or replacement property. Copies of your tax returns will help you prepare future returns, and they are necessary if you file an amended return. Copies of your returns and your other records may be helpful to your survivor, or the executor or administrator of your estate.

Requesting a Copy of Your Tax Return

If you need a copy of your tax return or tax account information use **Form 4506-A**, Request for Copy of Tax Form or Income Tax Account Information. The charge for a copy of a return is \$5. There is no charge for tax account information.

Amended Return

If you have already filed a return and become aware of any changes to income, deductions or credits, you should file an amended tax return. For tax years prior to tax year 2008 you should mail in a completed Form 40X, Amended Alabama Individual Income Tax Return, to change those items. Beginning with tax year 2008 you should file a completed Alabama Individual Income Tax Return with the "Amended" box checked. A detailed explanation page of all the changes made should be attached to the tax return.

Note: If your State return is changed for any reason, it may affect your Federal Income Tax liability. This would include changes made as a result of an examination of your return by the Alabama Department of Revenue. Contact the Internal Revenue Service for more information.

Death of Taxpayer

If the taxpayer died before filing a return for 2009, the taxpayer's spouse or personal representative **must** file a return for the person who died if the deceased was required to file a return. A personal representative can be an executor, administrator, or anyone who is in charge of the taxpayer's property.

The person who files the return should write "deceased" after the decedent's name. Also write "DE-CEASED", the decedent's full name, and date of death across the top of the tax return.

If the taxpayer did not have to file a return but had tax withheld, a return must be filed to receive a refund.

If your spouse died in 2009, you can file a joint return even if you did not remarry in 2009. You can also file a joint return if your spouse died in 2010 before filing a 2009 return. A joint return should show your spouse's 2009 income before death and your income for all of 2009. Also write "Filing as surviving spouse" in the area where you sign the return. If someone else is the personal representative, he or she must also sign. If you are claiming a refund as a surviving spouse filing a joint return with the deceased and you follow the above instructions, no other form is needed to have the refund issued to you.

Please note: An Alabama refund of a deceased taxpayer cannot be issued to a third party.

Automatic Extension

If you know you cannot file your return by the due date you do not need to file for an extension. You will automatically be granted an extension until October 15, 2010. If you anticipate that you will owe additional tax on your return you should submit your payment with a payment voucher (Form 40V) by April 15, 2010.

Except in cases where taxpayers are abroad, no extension will be granted for more than 6 months.

An extension means only that you will not be assessed a penalty for filing your return after the due date. Interest on the additional tax due from the due date of the return and any penalties will be assessed if applicable to your return.

Setoff Debt Collection

If you owe money or have a delinquent account under any of the following public assistance programs, your refund may be applied to offset that debt:

Any and all of the public assistance programs administered by the Alabama Department of Human Resources, including the Child Support Act of 1979, Chapter 10 of Title 38.

 Any and all court fees/fines owed to the Administrative Office of Courts.

■ Any and all of the assistance programs administered by the Alabama Medicaid Agency.

Overpayment of unemployment compensation.

If the Alabama Department of Human Resources, Department of Industrial Relations, the Alabama Medicaid Agency, or Administrative Office of Courts notifies the Alabama Department of Revenue that you have a delinquent account in excess of \$25, part or all of your refund may be applied to offset that debt. If you are married and filing a joint return, the joint refund may be applied to offset any of the above debts.

IMPORTANT: If you have been assessed taxes from a prior year, your current year refund will be applied to that debt even if the liability resulted from a jointly filed return.

Federal Refund Offset Program. Your 2009 federal or state refund will be taken to satisfy any outstanding liabilities owed to the State of Alabama or to the Internal Revenue Service.

Refund Status

There are two automated ways to check the status of your current year refund.

1. Check our Web site. Go to **www.revenue.** alabama.gov, then click on "Individual" and then "Where's My Refund."

2. The Alabama Department of Revenue's Voice Refund Inquiry System (VRIS) is a 24 hour a day Refund Hotline. The Department installed the Refund Hotline to serve the taxpayers of Alabama more efficiently and effectively.

The Refund Hotline is a simple, easy way for individuals to check on their Alabama income tax refund. To access the hotline, all the taxpayer needs is a touchtone phone, and a copy of their current year tax return.

How does it work?

The individual, with a copy of their return in hand, calls the Refund Hotline, 1-800-558-3912. The individual is asked to enter the following information by pressing the numbers on their phone keypad:

Step 1: The Form Type

Press 1 for Form 40A Press 2 for Form 40 Press 3 for Form 40NR Press 4 for an electronically filed return

Step 2: The first taxpayer's social security number (all nine digits).

Step 3: The filing status from the return.

Press 1 for Single Press 2 for Married Filing Joint Press 3 for Married Filing Separate Press 4 for Head of Family

Step 4: The whole dollar amount of the refund.

After this information is entered and verified, a message will inform the individual of the status of the refund. Simple, quick, and easy!

NOTE: INCORRECT INFORMATION MEANS AN IN-CORRECT ANSWER.

All of the information you enter by phone must match all the information on the Revenue Department's computer system exactly, or you will be told that your return



is not in our system.

If you are told that the Department does not have your return, DO NOT PANIC! Did you enter the information correctly? If you are not sure, try again. If you did enter the information correctly, has your return been mailed long enough for it to be entered into the Department's computer system? Please allow enough time for your return to be entered into the system before calling back. The Department monitors the time it takes for a return to be entered into the Department's computer system and adjusts the time in the messages accordingly. The closer to April fifteenth that you file your return, the longer it will take to be entered into the system.

Remember, make sure you obtain a copy of your return from your tax preparer because the Refund Hotline is not just the quickest and easiest way to check on your refund, it is the best way to check on your refund.

Tax Table (Form 40A)

Based on Taxable Income

This tax table is based on the taxable income shown on line 13 of Form 40A and the filing status you checked on lines 1, 2, 3, or 4 of your return.

EXAMPLE:

Mr. and Mrs. Brown are filing a joint return and checked box 2 on their return. Their taxable income on line 13 of Form 40A is \$23,360. First, they find the \$23,300 - \$23,400 income line. Next, they find the column for married filing jointly and read down the column. The amount shown where the income line and the filing status column meet is \$1,088. This is the amount they must write on line 14 of Form 40A.

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37,100 37,200 37,300 37,400	37,200 37,300 37,400 37,500	1,818 1,823 1,828 1,833	1,778 1,783 1,788 1,793	42,100 42,200 42,300 42,400	42,200 42,300 42,400 42,500	2,068 2,073 2,078 2,083	2,028 2,033 2,038 2,043	47,100 47,200 47,300 47,400	47,200 47,300 47,400 47,500	2,318 2,323 2,328 2,333	2,278 2,283 2,288 2,293	52,100 52,200 52,300 52,400	52,200 52,300 52,400 52,500	2,568 2,573 2,578 2,583	2,528 2,533 2,538 2,543
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38,000	38,100	1,863	1,823	43,000	43,100	2,113	2,073	48,000	48,100	2,363	2,323	53,000	53,100	2,613	2,573
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Over \$100,000.00

If taxable income is over \$100,000, use the following worksheet to figure your tax.

- Single
- Married filing separately
- Head of family

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	Married filing jointly
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Paying for PHONE SERVICE?

DO YOU, OR SOMEONE IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD, PARTICIPATE IN ANY OF THESE PROGRAMS?

- Medicaid
- Food Stamps
- Supplemental Security Income (SSI)

Do you need

- Section 8 Federal Public Housing Assistance (FPHA)
- Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)
- Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

YOU MAY QUALIFY FOR THESE TWO SPECIAL PROGRAMS:

• LINK-UP

This program provides a discount on the cost of installing telephone service.

• LIFELINE

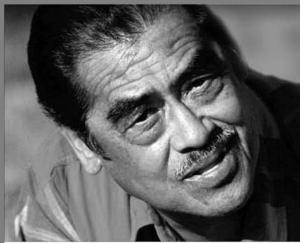
This program provides a discount on the cost of monthly telephone service.

For a complete set of terms for the Link-Up and Lifeline programs, call or visit your local telephone company. You may also contact any other eligible telecommunications company that is certified to provide service in Alabama by the Alabama Public Service Commission or the Federal Communications Commission.

Link-Up and Lifeline are part of the Federal Universal Service Fund program. The Federal Communications Commission introduced this program, and the Universal Service Administrative Company oversees it. The goal of Universal Service is to make sure consumers throughout the United States have essential telecommunications service.







To find out if you qualify for these programs, **call your local telephone company.** You may also call the Alabama Public Service Commission toll free at **1-800-392-8050**

The Alabama Department of Revenue offers several methods for filing your 2009 Individual Income Tax Return.

Federal/State Electronic Filing Program

Your professional tax practitioner can file both your Federal and State returns by using the E-File Program or can print a 2-D Barcode for you.

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Federal/State On-Line Filing Program

You can file your own Federal and State return on-line by purchasing the program from a local retailer or going to http://www.revenue.alabama.gov/incometax/PC_ONLINE.htm to see a listing of Approved On-Line Service Providers. If you do not want to file electronically, these programs will print out a 2-D Barcode.

2-D Barcode Filing Program

All the programs above should produce a 2-D Barcode for you. Also, you can print a 2-D Barcode by using our fillable Form 40 or Form 40NR which you can obtain at http://www.revenue. alabama.gov/incometax/2009itforms.html. After you fill out the form and print it, a 2-D Barcode will be produced on the top of the form. You can still mail your return, but use of the 2-D Barcode will ensure faster processing.

OTHER FILING OPTIONS: VITA/AARP

Free tax help and electronic filing of your Federal and State returns for low to moderate income taxpayers, people age 60 and older and military families is provided by the VITA or AARP volunteers. For more information, visit our Web site at http://www.revenue.alabama.gov/ incometax/volunteer.htm.

File Your Return Electronically or by Mail With 2-D Barcode for Faster Processing and Direct Deposit of Your Refund!!!

Pay Your Taxes by Credit Card via Internet or Phone



Earn Rewards. Use a credit or debit card to pay through Official Payments. You may earn a point, mile or money back. You may even gain a little extra time to pay. Visit www.OfficialPayments.com/SpecialOffers for special offers and promotions.

Official Payments charges a nomimal fee for this service.

Pay your Alabama State Taxes ONLINE or BY PHONE

VISA Call (866) 9-PAY-TAX

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How To Obtain Forms

Generally, we mail forms and schedules directly to you based on what seems right for you. The fastest method to obtain instructions, schedules and forms is to visit our Web site at: www.revenue.alabama.gov. Additional booklets, forms, and schedules are listed below. These booklets and forms may be obtained by visiting the Alabama Taxpayer Service Center nearest you or by mailing the order blank below.

CAUTION

The Order Blank below should not be used to request bulk forms. Accountants, banks, post offices, military bases, libraries, and businesses needing forms may use our Web site which lists all Alabama forms and instructions available for individuals, partnerships, fiduciaries, employers, etc.

BOOKLETS

Form 40 Booklet. This booklet contains the following forms and schedules with instructions: Form 40, Schedules A, B, CR, DC, D, & E and Form 40V.

Form 40A Booklet. This booklet contains Form 40A with instructions and Form 40V.

Form 40NR Booklet. This booklet contains the following forms and schedules with instructions: Form 40NR, Schedules A, B, D, & E and Form 40V.

Note: See Which Form To File on page 5 of this booklet for requirements you must meet to file Form 40, Form 40A, and Form 40NR.

FORMS

Form 40 Individual Income Tax Return for full year residents of Alabama and also part-year residents of Alabama.

Form 40A Individual Income Tax Return (Short Form) for full year residents of Alabama

Form 40NR Nonresident Individual Income Tax Return for nonresidents of Alabama.

Form 40X Amended Return or Application for Refund of Alabama income tax paid through mistake or error.

Form 40ES to make estimated tax payments.

Form 4868A Application for requesting an extension of time to file Alabama Individual Income Tax Return.

SCHEDULES

Schedule A for itemized deductions.

Schedule B for interest and dividend income.

Schedule CR for computation of credit for taxes paid to other states.

Schedule DC for computation of total donations.

Schedule D for reporting income from the sale or exchange of capital assets.

Schedule E for reporting income from rents, royalties, partnerships, estates, and trusts

Schedule OC for computation of basic skills credit, rural physicians credit, and/or a capital credit.

Alabama does not provide the following forms and schedules and requests that the appropriate federal schedule be used making the modifications as required by Alabama law.

Schedule C for reporting income from a personally owned business.

Schedule F for reporting income from farming.

Form 2106 for claiming employee business expenses.

Form 3903 for claiming moving expenses.

Form 4684 for reporting casualty and theft losses.

Form 4797 for reporting sale of business property.

Form 6252 for reporting installment sale income.

Form 8283 for reporting noncash contributions.

DETACH ALONG THIS LINE Order Blank

The booklets, forms, and instructions listed here are available at no cost.

One booklet, or two forms and instructions for each item you check will be mailed to you.

Name

Please detach the order blank and be sure to write your name and address below. Enclose this order blank in your own envelope and mail to the address shown.

To help reduce waste, please order only the forms and instructions you need to pare your return. Attach a separate sheet of paper listing additional forms you y need not listed on the order blank. Please allow 3 weeks to receive your order. Use this Order Blank to order only current forms. This form must be properly npleted or your request for forms will not be processed.	FORMS ONLINE www.revenue.alabama.gov					
Check Desired Forms And Instructions For 2009 Form 40 Booklet (includes Form 40, Schedules A, B, CR, DC, D, E, and instructions and Form 40V.) Form 40A Booklet (Form 40A and instructions and Form 40V.) Form 40NR Booklet (includes Form 40NR, Schedules A, B, D, E, and instructions and Form 40V.) NOL Booklet (includes Forms NOL-85, NOL-85A, 40X, and instructions.)	Form 40X Form 2210AL Form 40ES for 2010 Form 2210AL Instructions Form 4952A Mail to: ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE INCOME TAX FORMS P. O. BOX 327470 MONTGOMERY, AL 36132-7470					
Name Number and Street or Rural Route City, Town or Post Office, and State Zip Code	Type or print your name and address on this label. It will be used to expedite your order.					

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See Page 2, Part IV, Line 1c of Form 40A to donate to the Alabama Nongame Wildlife Fund. Your donation will help bring back bluebirds, eagles, ospreys, and many other nongame wildlife species in Alabama. With a \$5 donation we can raise \$20 for wildlife restoration and management. The Nongame Wildlife Fund does not receive state tax dollars. For informa-

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Coordinator, Game and Fish Division, 64 North Union Street, Montgomery, AL 36130. Telephone 334 / 242-3469.

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"Listen to the Drum"

Your contribution will assure an Indian child's future. Donate all or part of your refund to the —



Alabama Indian Children's Scholarship Fund Form 40A, Page 2, Part IV, Line 1f Alabama Indian Affairs Commission (334) 242-2831

MENTAL ILLNESS

is a very cruel disease. Your donation will be used by volunteers to advocate for good care and treatment of those so affected. (800) 626-4199

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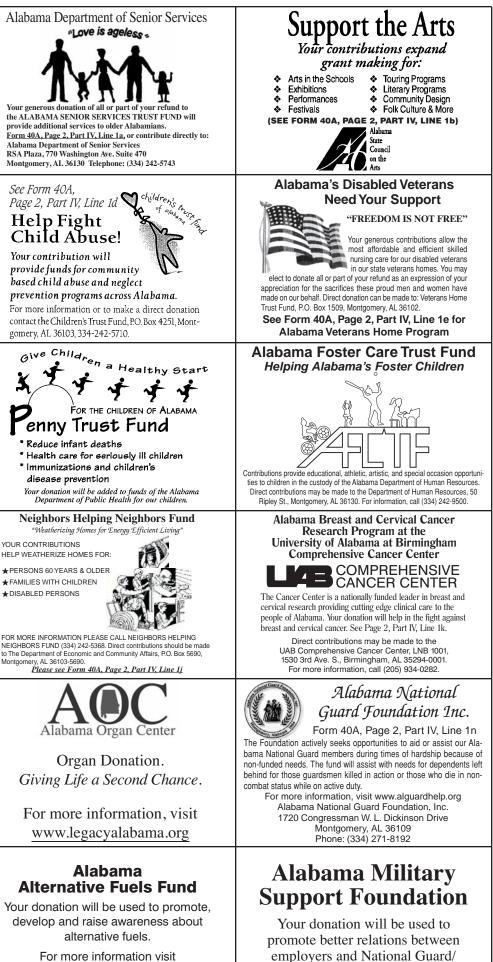


4-H is Alabama's largest youth development organization.
4-H reaches nearly 180,000 youngsters – rural and urban and all ethnic groups. Kids explore space, the environment, family issues, agriculture, healthy lifestyle, and communications, while learning the values of leadership and citizenship.
4H does not charge membership fees. All donations support youth programs. For information, call 334/844-2247.
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University of South Alabama Mitchell Cancer Institute

Your contribution will help the University of South Alabama Mitchell Cancer Institute improve cancer survival rates for patients in the Gulf Coast region through prevention, diagnosis, treatment, research, discovery and development. The Institute works closely with regional hospitals and physicians, so patients have access to the latest cancer technologies without leaving the area. The USAMCI also focuses on research to accelerate the translation of new knowledge into novel therapies and diagnostic tools. See Form 40A, Page 2, Part IV, Line 10. University of South Alabama – Mobile AL 36688-0002

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