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LENDER'S name, street address, city, state, ZIP code, and telephone no.			OMB No. 1545-0877	Acquisition Abandonment Secured Proper		
				Form <b>1099-A</b>	Sec	ured Property
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BORROWER'S name			3	4 Fair market value of	property	Service Center File with Form 1096. For Privacy Act
Street address (including apt. no.)		5 Check here if the borrower was personally liable for repayment of the debt			and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the 2012 General Instructions for Certain	
City, state, and ZIP code		6 Description of property				
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BORROWER'S name Street address (including apt. no.)		5 If checked, the borrower was repayment of the debt	4 Fair market value of \$ s personally liable for	property	information and is being furnished to the Internal Revenue Service. If you are required to file a return, a negligence penalty or other sanction may be	
City, state, and ZIP code  Account number (see instructions)		6 Description of property			imposed on you if taxable income results from this transaction and the IRS determines that it has not been reported.	
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## **Instructions for Borrower**

Certain lenders who acquire an interest in property that was security for a loan or who have reason to know that such property has been abandoned must provide you with this statement. You may have reportable income or loss because of such acquisition or abandonment. Gain or loss from an acquisition generally is measured by the difference between your adjusted basis in the property and the amount of your debt canceled in exchange for the property, or, if greater, the sale proceeds. If you abandoned the property, you may have income from the discharge of indebtedness in the amount of the unpaid balance of your canceled debt. The tax consequences of abandoning property depend on whether or not you were personally liable for the debt. Losses on acquisitions or abandonments of property held for personal use are not deductible. See Pub. 4681 for information about your tax consequences.

Property means any real property (such as a personal residence); any intangible property; and tangible personal property that is held for investment or used in a trade or business.

If you borrowed money on this property with someone else, each of you should receive this statement.

**Borrower's identification number.** For your protection, this form may show only the last four digits of your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), or adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN). However, the issuer has reported your complete identification number to the IRS and, where applicable, to state and/or local governments.

**Account number.** May show an account or other unique number the lender assigned to distinguish your account.

Box 1. For a lender's acquisition of property that was security for a loan, the date shown is generally the earlier of the date title was transferred to the lender or the date possession and the burdens and benefits of ownership were transferred to the lender. This may be the date of a foreclosure or execution sale or the date your right of redemption or objection expired. For an abandonment, the date shown is the date on which the lender first knew or had reason to know that the property was abandoned or the date of a foreclosure, execution, or similar sale.

Box 2. Shows the debt (principal only) owed to the lender on the loan

**Box 2.** Shows the debt (principal only) owed to the lender on the loan when the interest in the property was acquired by the lender or on the date the lender first knew or had reason to know that the property was abandoned.

**Box 4.** Shows the fair market value of the property. If the amount in box 4 is less than the amount in box 2, and your debt is canceled, you may have cancellation of debt income. If the property was your main home, see Pub. 523 to figure any taxable gain or ordinary income.

**Box 5.** Shows whether you were personally liable for repayment of the debt when the debt was created or, if modified, when it was last modified. **Box 6.** Shows the description of the property acquired by the lender or abandoned by you. If "CCC" is shown, the form indicates the amount of any Commodity Credit Corporation loan outstanding when you forfeited your commodity.

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## **Instructions for Lender**

General and specific form instructions are provided as separate products. The products you should use to complete Form 1099-A are the 2012 General Instructions for Certain Information Returns and the 2012 Instructions for Forms 1099-A and 1099-C. A chart in the general instructions gives a quick guide to which form must be filed to report a particular payment. To order these instructions and additional forms, visit IRS.gov or call 1-800-TAX-FORM (1-800-829-3676).

**Caution:** Because paper forms are scanned during processing, you cannot file Forms 1096, 1097, 1098, 1099, 3921, 3922, or 5498 that you print from the IRS website.

**Due dates.** Furnish Copy B of this form to the borrower by January 31, 2013.

File Copy A of this form with the IRS by February 28, 2013. If you file electronically, the due date is April 1, 2013. To file electronically, you must have software that generates a file

according to the specifications in Pub. 1220, Specifications for Filing Forms 1097, 1098, 1099, 3921, 3922, 5498, 8935, and W-2G Electronically. IRS does not provide a fill-in form option.

**Need help?** If you have questions about reporting on Form 1099-A, call the information reporting customer service site toll free at 1-866-455-7438 or 304-263-8700 (not toll free). For TTY/TDD equipment, call 304-579-4827 (not toll free). The hours of operation are Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Eastern time.

**Future developments**. The IRS has created a page on IRS.gov for information about Form 1099-A and its instructions, at *www.irs.gov/form1099a*. Information about any future developments affecting Form 1099-A (such as legislation enacted after we release it) will be posted on that page.