

# Questionnaire for Non-Requesting Spouse

We recognize that some of these questions involve sensitive subjects. However, we need this information to evaluate the circumstances of the claim and properly determine whether relief should be given. If this form is not completed and returned, the claim will be considered based on the information available to us.

**Questions?**  
**Call the IRS at 1-855-851-2009.**

**Part I Tell us about yourself**

1. Your Current Name	Your Social Security Number	
Your Current Home Address ( <i>number &amp; street</i> )	Apt. No.	County
City, town or post office box, state and ZIP code	Daytime phone number ( <i>between 6 a.m. and 5 p.m. Eastern Time</i> ) (       )	

2. What is the current status between you and your spouse for the years that relief was requested? (On this form we refer to your spouse for the years that relief was requested as *that individual*.)

- Married and living together
- Married living apart since \_\_\_\_\_  
MM / DD / YYYY
- Legally separated since \_\_\_\_\_  
MM / DD / YYYY
- Divorced since \_\_\_\_\_  
MM / DD / YYYY
- Widowed since \_\_\_\_\_  
MM / DD / YYYY

**Note:** A divorce decree stating you must pay all taxes does not necessarily mean that individual will qualify for relief.

**Part II Tell us about filing the returns and your financial situation for the years listed on the letter. If the information is not the same for all tax years, please explain. If you need more room to write your answer for any question, attach more pages. Be sure to write your name and social security number on the top of all pages you attach.**

3. How were both of you involved with preparing the returns during those tax years? Check all that apply and explain, if necessary. If the answers are not the same for all the years, explain.

You      That Individual

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|--------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Prepared or helped prepare the returns.  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Gathered receipts and canceled checks.   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Gave tax documents (such as W-2s, 1099s, etc.) to the person who prepared the returns. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Asked the person who prepared the returns to explain any items or amounts.             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Reviewed the returns before filing them.   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Did not review the returns before filing them.   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Was not involved with preparing the return.  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Other  |

Explain, if necessary

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4. When you filed the returns, were any amounts owed to the IRS for those years?

Yes. Explain how the amounts owed were to be paid.

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

No

5. When that individual signed/ filed any of the returns, was he/she aware of any financial problems you were having (for example, bankruptcy or bills you could not pay)?

Yes. Explain

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

No

Do not know

6. For those years, what kinds of accounts did you have? Check all that apply. Explain if the answers are not the same for all the years.

Joint    Separate

       Checking or money market

       Savings or certificate of deposit

How did that individual use those accounts? Check all that apply.

Joint    Separate

       Made deposits

       Reviewed bank statements or balanced the checkbook

       Paid bills

       Knew how much money was in the account

       Made withdrawals from the account

       Did not know about the account

       Did not use the account

       Was not involved in handling money for the household

Explain, if necessary

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

7. Did you ever transfer assets to that individual? (Did you put something of value, such as real estate or stocks, in that individual's name rather than in your own name?)

Yes. List the assets and the dates they were transferred. Explain why the assets were transferred.

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

No

8. During those tax years, were you self employed?

Yes. Explain how that individual was involved in your business.

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

No

