

Request for Alien Information for Miscellaneous Income Payments

IMPORTANT! This is a two-part form. Completion of BOTH parts is REQUIRED to determine residency and tax status. **Part 1 – Request for Alien Information** is used to obtain basic taxpayer information for aliens. **Part 2 – Substantial Presence Test** is used for determining residency for tax withholding purposes.

PART 1: Request for Alien Information:

Payee's U.S. Social Security Number or Individual Tax Identification Number:	
Full Name:	
Address in Home Country:	
Current Address:	
Country of Citizenship: Date Entered U.S.A.:	
Country of Tax Residency:	
VISA Type Code:VISA Number:	
VISA Start Date: VISA Expiration Date: Passport #:	
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Payment Type:	
Is the payment taxable?	
Are the funds foreign sourced?	
Is there a tax treaty with country of tax residence and the USA?	
Are they eligible for a treaty benefit? Yes No (Is yes, use NRA Supplier Type "TE") ***If yes, the following must be completed. *** For Independent Contractors – IRS Form 8233 For Royalties and Rent – IRS Form W-8BEN Important! Participant Stipends are not eligible for treaty exemption.	
Is payment being made with USAID funds? Yes No (If yes, use NRA Supplier Type "USAID N TAX" or "USAID TAX")	
Rent and royalties tax rate?	
Initials: Date:	



PART 2: Substantial Presence Test

(Determination of Residence Status for Federal Tax Withholding Purposes)

For More Information, Refer to IRS Tele-Tax Service at 1-800-829-4477 (Topic 851)

TEST 1 U.S. Residence Status Test	CHECK ANY APPLICABLE BOX I am a lawful permanent resident of the United States. Hold an Alien Registration Receipt Card Form I-551 (commonly known as a "Green Card.") If box was marked, you are a resident alien for tax purposes. Go to the "test results" section and check the "resident alien" box.
	If box is not marked, go to Test 2 and continue completing the tests.
TEST 2 Exemption From Substantial Presence Test	CHECK ANY APPLICABLE BOX I am a teacher, trainee, or non-student (i.e., professor, research scholar or specialist, short-term scholar) on a J-1 or Q-1 VISA and have been in the USA for less than two of the preceding six calendar years. I am a student on an F-1, J-1, M-1 or Q-1 VISA and have been in the USA for a total of five or fewer years. I am a foreign government – related individual. (i.e., full time employee of an international organization or have diplomatic or consular status.)
	If box was marked, you are a nonresident alien for tax purposes. Go to the "test results" section and check the "nonresident alien" box.
	If box is not marked, go to Test 3 and continue completing the tests.
TEST 3	COMPLETE THE SPACES BELOW, INDICATING THE NUMBER OF DAYS PRESENT IN THE U.S.A. DURING THE YEARS LISTED.
The Substantial Presence Test	Enter Year Date Entered US Date Departed In USA Current Year
	If total is greater than or equal to 183 and you are present in the U.S. at a minimum of 31 days in the current year, then go to test results and check resident alien box. If total is less than 183 or if you have not been present in the U.S. for 31 days in the current year, you are a nonresident alien for tax purposes. Go to the "Test Results" section and check the nonresident alien box.
TEST RESULTS	MARK APPROPRIATE FEDERAL TAX WITHHOLDING STATUS. (YOU MUST CHECK ONE OF THESE BOXES.) FOR TAX PURPOSES, I CERTIFY THAT I AM:
Your Residence Status	Resident Alien The "USA" is your Country of Resident for tax purposes. List your home country (the country of residence where you have established a tax home base).
I hereby certify, under penalties of perjury, that the information and tests on this form that I have answered are to the best of my knowledge and belief, true and correct.	
Signature	Date
Print Name Clear	ly