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Contact and Support Information

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Product and account information can be accessed by visiting Customer Support online at support.cch.com. In addition to product and account information, the Customer Support site offers answers to our most frequently asked questions, forms release status, Knowledge Base articles, training videos, and operating systems compatibility. Access to these features is available 24/7.

The following website provides important information about the features and updates included in all CCH ProSystem fx Tax releases: Release Notes.

Visit the <u>Application Status</u> web page to view the current status of our CCH applications. The Application Status web page is updated every 15 minutes.

Go to Contact Us to find information on topics such as Sales and Billing, as well as options to Open a Support Case or Chat with a Representative if you need assistance.

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CCH[®] ProSystem $fx^{\mathbb{B}}$ Tax Release Notes inform you of the enhancements and updates that have been made to Tax products and systems with the current release.

Updates provided in the Release Notes include the following:

- Contact and Support information
- Updates to the Tax technology (electronic filing updates, Pro Forma/Recall, Organizer, technology enhancements)
- Updates made to Tax products (form additions and updates, diagnostic updates, changes caused by regulatory updates)

To access a list of CCH ProSystem fx Tax Release Notes for the current year and for prior years, visit the Release Notes page on our Customer Support site.

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Tax Updates

Popular Federal Forms Available for Electronic Filing in this Release Federal

Individual: Schedule EIC, Schedule 8812, Schedule A, Schedule B, Form 2441, Form 4835

Corporation: Federal 1120 Consolidated

Partnership: Schedule M-3

A more comprehensive list can be found under Electronic Filing Updates on page 6.

Important Information Concerning Form 8839 Qualified Adoption Expenses

We are aware of an issue with the IRS electronic filing schema concerning the maximum adoption credit allowed on Form 8839 Qualified Adoption Expenses. Per the 2021 form and instructions, the maximum allowable credit is \$14,440; however, the IRS schema has this value set as \$14,400 (a \$40 difference). Although we have not yet released the form, once released, if you attempt to e-file a return with Form 8839 with the maximum allowable amount (\$14,440), a diagnostic will appear disqualifying it from e-file until the IRS updates the schema (tentatively scheduled for mid-March). The IRS has advised for customers to hold these returns until the e-file schema is fixed.

Update on States Requiring Software to Prevent Form Printing & E-filing Prior to Approval

As we've communicated previously, selected states established new requirements for tax year 2021 for software vendors to prevent forms from printing if they had not been approved by the taxing authority - a requirement that makes e-filing unavailable as well. This week, some of these states provided paper-filing approval for all return types:

Affected States

Arkansas Kansas Pennsylvania
California Michigan South Carolina

ConnecticutMinnesotaTexasDistrict of ColumbiaMississippiVermontGeorgiaMontanaVirginia

Indiana New York

Affected States - Approved Paper Filing for all Products

Kansas Pennsylvania Vermont Mississippi Texas Virginia

Affected states who approved paper-filing may have also approved selected return types for electronic filing. Refer to Release Notes from this and/or prior Tax Year 2021 releases. You can also check the Form Release Status page on the Support Site.

Electronic Filing Updates

Approved Products Available on this Release

The following federal and state products are approved and available on this release:

Individual

Form 2441 Alabama LLC Tennessee FAE 183
Form 4835 New Hampshire BT-Summary Tennessee LLC

Schedule 8812 New Hampshire BT-Summary

Extension

New Hampshire DP-10 Vermont Estimates
New Hampshire DP-10 Extension Vermont Extension

Vermont

Schedule B New Hampshire DP-10 Extension Vermont Extension
Schedule EIC Tennessee FAE 172 Vermont Homestead Claim

Alabama

Schedule A

Corporation

Federal Consolidated Kentucky Extension New York Additional Extension
Arizona Consolidated Maryland Extension New York Combined Extension

California Extension New Hampshire New York Extension
Kentucky New Hampshire Combined Utah Consolidated
Kentucky Combined New Hampshire Extension Virginia Consolidated

Kentucky Consolidated

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Arizona Maryland New Hampshire Extension

California Extension Maryland Extension New York Additional Extension

Iowa Maryland PTE New York Extension

Marytand TE New York Extension

Kentucky Maryland PTE Extension Tennessee

Kentucky Extension New Hampshire

Partnership

Pennsylvania Composite New Hampshire Iowa

Extension

Vermont

New Hampshire DP-10 Kentucky Pennsylvania Extension

Pennsylvania PA 65 Corp Kentucky Extension New Hampshire DP-10 Extension Directory of Partners

Tennessee

Maryland **New Hampshire Extension** Maryland Extension North Dakota Tennessee 188

Tennessee Extension Maryland PTE Pennsylvania

Maryland PTE Extension Pennsylvania Composite Utah

Fiduciary

Arizona Minnesota Oklahoma Arizona Extension Oregon Mississippi Delaware New Hampshire BT-Summary Rhode Island

New Hampshire BT-Summary **Delaware Extension**

Extension

Georgia New Hampshire DP-10 **Vermont Extension**

Idaho New Hampshire DP-10 Extension Wisconsin

Kentucky Ohio Wisconsin Closing Certificate Kentucky Extension Ohio Passthrough Entity Wisconsin Passthrough Entity

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Minnesota

Schedule KPINC/KPCNC, business meals will be included at 50% of the Federal total.

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Federal

Form 7203, is available to be filed in the 1041 system as a library form only. Entries must be made on Form 7203 itself and appropriate totals will calculate.

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Federal

Form 709. When prior year gifts total over \$500,000, the Schedule B Column C Worksheet prints with Form 709.