DEADLINE for filing is NOVEMBER 1, 2012 City of Norwalk 125 East Avenue, Norwalk, CT 06851 Kenneth Joyce . Personal Property Analyst 203.854.7826

Office Hours: 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

PERSONAL PROPERTY DECLARATION FILING

7 pages total

Connecticut 2012 Declaration of Personal Property

Filing Requirement – This declaration must be filed with the Assessor of the town where the personal property is located. Declarations of personal property shall be made annually. PAGES 3-7 MUST BE RETURNED

If you no longer own the above noted business or personal property assessed in your name last year, you do not need to complete this declaration. You must, however, return this declaration to the Assessor and provide information related to the name of the new owner of the property or the date your business ceased or to where you moved the business (see Affidavit below). Otherwise, the Assessor must assume that you are still operating the business and still own and have failed to declare your tayable personal property.

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		AFFIDAVIT O	F BUSINESS CLOSING OR MOVE	OR SALE OF	BUSINESS OF	R PROPERTY			
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	Business or proper	ty owners name	Business Name (if applicable)		Street locati	on in «Town»			
,	With regards to s	aid business or pro	perty I do so certify that on	Said business or property was (indicate which one by					
			Date						
	SOLD TO:								
		Name		A	ddress				
	MOVED TO:	-							
		City/Town and State	to where business or property was moved	A	ddress				
	TERMINATED:	Attach Bill	of Sale or Letter of dissolution to this	form and retu	rn it with this aff	davit to the Assessor's office			
	The sig	ner is made aware	that the penalty for making a false affic	avit is a \$500.0	0 fine or imprisor	ment for one year or both.			
-	Signature			Print name					
	- 3								

Penalty for late filing – Failure to file timely will result in a penalty equal to 25% of the assessment of the personal property. This declaration must be filed or postmarked (as defined in C.G.S. Sec 1-2a & as referenced in Sec. 12-41(d)) no later than:

Thursday, November 1, 2012 Norwalk Assessor's Office

INSTRUCTIONS

As per CGS 12-63, the assessor must determine the "present true and actual value" and in determining such value may use the accepted methods of comparable sales, cost less depreciation and income capitalization.

Not all sections are applicable to every business. Please read the following instructions and complete all relevant sections.

Who Should File --

All owners of taxable personal property.

Declaration -

- 1. Owners of:
 - a. Non-Connecticut registered motor vehicles
 - b. Horses, ponies and thoroughbreds
 - c. Mobile manufactured home -not assessed as real estate
- Businesses, occupations, farmers, and professionals need to complete: (Commercial and cost information is not open to public inspection)
 - · Lessee's Listing Report (page 4).
 - Disposal, Sale or Transfer of Property Report (page 5)
 - Business Data (page 3).
 - Taxable Property Information (pages 5-7).
 - Sign the Declaration of Personal Property Affidavit on page 8.
- 3. **Lessors** need to complete: (Commercial and cost information is not open to public inspection)
 - Lessor's Listing Report (pages 4)
 - · Business Data (page 3).
 - Taxable Property Information (pages 5-7).
 - Sign the Declaration of Personal Property Affidavit on page 8.

Filing Requirements -

- The Personal Property Declaration must be filed annually on or before November 1 (or the Monday following if November 1 falls on Saturday or Sunday) (CGS §12-42).
- A Personal Property Declaration not filed will result in a value determined by the Assessor.
- 3. Declarations filed with "same as last year" are INSUFFICIENT and shall be considered an incomplete declaration.
- Manufacturing machinery and equipment or biotechnology machinery and equipment eligible for exemption under CGS 12-81 (72) & (76) were previously declared under Codes 13 & 15. Those items are declared under Code 13 for all years.

Penalty Of 25% is Applied -

- When no declaration is filed or a declaration is not signed, a 25% penalty is applied to the assessment. [See 2. under Filing Requirements.]
- When declarations are submitted after November 1 [See 1. under Filing Requirements] and an extension has NOT been granted (see Extensions below) a 25% penalty is applied to the assessment. Returns mailed in must have a postmark (as

- defined in C.G.S. Sec 1-2a) of November 1 [See 1. under Filing Requirements.] or before.
- When an extension is granted (see Extensions below) and the declaration is not filed by the extension deadline, a 25% penalty is applied to the assessment.
- 4. When omitted property is discovered, the 25% penalty is applied to the difference in the assessed value as determined by the results of the discovery, and the assessment as determined by the originally filed declaration.

Exemptions-

- On page 7 check the box adjacent to the exemption you are claiming.
- Note that several exemptions require an additional application in order to receive that exemption. Please request the form number noted from the Assessor's Office. The Manufacturers Machinery & Equipment Exemption Claim form & its itemized lists for Code 13 property may be requested if not included with this declaration.
- The extension to file the Personal Property Declaration, if granted, does not apply to all required exemption applications. Check with the Assessor.

Signature Required -

- 1. The owners shall sign the declaration (page 8).
- 2. The owner's agent may sign the declaration. In which case the declaration must be duly sworn to or notarized.
- Corporate officers signing for their corporations must have the returns properly sworn to or notarized; or provide the Assessor with a statement bearing the corporate seal and signed by the corporate secretary setting out the office held by the signer of the declaration and dates office held.

Extension -

The Assessor may grant a filing extension *for good cause* (CGS §12-42). If a request for an extension is needed, you need to contact the Assessor in writing by **November 1** [See 1. under Filing Requirements].

Audit -

The Assessor is authorized to audit declarations, within 3 years of the date of the required filing. Substantial penalties are applicable if such an audit reveals property not declared as required by law (CGS §12-53).

Before Filing Make Copies of Completed Declaration for Your Records

Example of how to complete the tables on pages 5 and 6

How should the following be declared?

June 2010, you bought a desk for \$300 and a chair for \$80. In October 2010 you buy a display rack for \$400. You have a filing cabinet you bought 10 years ago for \$100 that is being used in your business. A friend gave you a used bookcase, in February 2012, which you believe, is worth \$50.

See the table to the right for the answer.

#16 - Fur	#16 - Furniture, fixtures and equipment									
Year Ending	Original cost, transportation & installation	% Good	Depreciated Value							
10-1-12	50	95%	48							
10-1-11	400	90%	360							
10-1-10	380	80%	304							
10-1-09		70%								
10-1-08		60%								
10-1-07		50%								
10-1-06		40%								
Prior Yrs	100	30%	30							
Total	930	Total	742							

Use Only

Assessor's

#16

2012 PERSONAL PROPERTY DECLARATION — SUMMARY SHEET Commercial and financial information is not open to public inspection.

List or Account #:	Assessment date October 1, 2012				
	ired return date November 1, 2012				
DBA:	This Personal Property Declaration must be signed and delivered or postmarked by Thursday, November 1, 2012 to the Assessor in the town where				
Mailing address:		e property is loc			
City/State/Zip:					
Location (street & number):					
Description of Business:	ı				
Property Code and Description		Net Depreciated Value pages 5 & 6	Code	ASSESSOR'S USE ONLY ASSESSMENTS	
#9 Motor Vehicles UNREGISTERED motor vehicles (e.g. campers, RV's, snowmobiles, trailers, trucks, p tractors, off-road construction vehicles, etc.) including any vehicle garaged in Connecticut but registered in an such vehicle not registered at all. If you are a farmer eligible for the exemption under Sec. 12-91, list tractors: #11 Horses And Ponies Describe your horses and ponies. A \$1,000 assessment exemption per animal are a farmer, the exemption may be 100% provided Form M-28 is filed with and approved by the Assessor.	#9 #11				
#14 Mobile Manufactured Homes if not currently assessed as real estate			#14		
#10 - Machinery & Equipment Industrial manufacturing machinery and equipment (e.g., tools, dies, jigs Include air and water pollution control equipment.	, patterns, etc.).		#10		
#12 - Commercial Fishing Apparatus All fishing apparatus exclusively used by a commercial fishermate. (e.g., fishing poles, nets, lobster pots, fish finders, etc.). A \$500 value exemption will be applied.			#12		
#13 -Manufacturing machinery & equipment Manufacturing machinery and equipment used in man research or engineering devoted to manufacturing; or used for the significant servicing or overhauling of industratory products and eligible for exemption under CGS 12-81 (72) & (76). (Formerly property Codes 13 & 15) #16 - Furniture & Fixtures Furniture, fixtures and equipment of all commercial, industrial, manufacturing and all other businesses, occupation and professions. Examples: desks, chairs, tables, file cabinets, typew	strial machinery or , mercantile, trading viters, calculators,		#13		
copy machines, telephones (including mobile telephones), telephone answering machines, facsimile machine cash registers, moveable air conditioners, partitions, shelving display racks, refrigerators, freezers, kitchen et #17 - Farm Machinery Farm machinery (e.g., tractors, harrows, bush hogs, hay bines, hay rakes, balers,	quipment, etc.		#16		
milking machines, milk tanks, coolers, chuck wagons, dozers, back hoes, hydroponic farm equipment, aquacetc.), used in the operation of a farm.			#17		
#18 - Farming Tools Farm tools, (e.g., hoses, rakes, pitch forks, shovels, hoses, brooms, etc.).			#18		
#19 - Mechanics Tools Mechanics tools (e.g., wrenches, air hammers, jacks, sockets, etc.). #20 - Electronic Data Processing Equipment Electronic data processing equipment (e.g., computers)	n printere perinteral		#19		
computer equipment, and any computer based equipment acting as a computer as defined under Section 168 1986, etc.). Bundled software is taxable and must be included.	8 of the IRS Code of		#20		
#21 - Telecommunications Equipment See instructions Code 21 on page 6 Excluding furniture, fixtu includes cables, conduits, antennae, batteries, generators or any equipment not deemed technologically adva Assessor. #21b includes controllers, control frames, relays switching and processing equipment or other equitechnologically advanced by the Assessor. #21c and #21d are for companies that previously filed under CG:	anced by the ipment deemed S 12-80a.		#21		
#22 - Cables, conduits, pipes, poles, towers (if not currently assessed as real estate), undergrou turbines, etc. , of gas, heating, or energy producing companies, telephone companies, water and water por Include items annexed to the ground (e.g., hydraulic car lifts, gasoline holding tanks, pumps, truck scales, etc. property used for the purpose of creating or furnishing a supply of water (e.g., pumping stations).	wer companies.		#22		
#23 - Expensed Supplies The average monthly quantity of supplies normally consumed in the course of stationery, post-it notes, typewriter ribbons, computer disks, computer paper, pens, pencils, rulers, staplers, and dental supplies and maintenance supplies, etc.).			#23		
#24 – Other All Other Goods, Chattels and Effects Any other taxable personal property not previously modes not appear to fit into any of the other categories. (e.g. video tapes, vending machines, pinball games, vibiliboards, coffee makers, water coolers, leasehold improvements .	deo games, signs,		#24		
Total Assessment – all codes #9 through #24	Subtotal >				
#25 – Penalty for failure to file as required by statute – 25% of assessment			#25		
Exemption - Check box adjacent to the exemption you are claiming: I - Mechanic's Tools - \$500 value M - Commercial Fishing Apparatus - \$500 value	9				
☐ I – Farming Tools - \$500 value ☐ I – Horses/ponies \$1000 assessment per animal	l				
All of the following exemptions require a separate application and/or certificate to be filed with the	,				
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☐ G & H - Distressed Municipality/Enterprise Zone/Enterprise Corridor Zone - Exemption		equired annually			
U - Manufacturing Machinery & Equipment - Exemption claim required annually (Prev					
Total Net Assessment Assess	or's Final Asse	ssment Total >	•		

BUSINESS DATA For businesses, occupations, professions, farmers, lessors: Answer questions 1 & 2, writing N/A on lines that are not applicable. 1. Direct questions concerning return to -2. Location of accounting records -Name Address City/State/Zip /() / () Phone / Fax E-mail **DECLARATION OF PERSONAL PROPERTY AFFIDAVIT** THIS FORM MUST BE SIGNED (AND IN SOME CASES WITNESSED) BEFORE IT MAY BE FILED WITH THE ASSESSOR. AVOID PENALTY - IMPROPERLY SIGNED DECLARATIONS REQUIRE A 25% PENALTY **COMPLETE SECTION A OR SECTION B** Section A OWNER I DO HEREBY declare under penalty of false statement that all sections of this declaration have been completed according to the best of my knowledge, remembrance, and belief; that it is a true statement of all my personal property liable to taxation; and that I have not conveyed or temporarily disposed of any estate for the purpose of evading the laws relating to the assessment and collection of taxes as per Connecticut General Statutes §12-49. SEE PAGE TWO (2) FOR SIGNATURE REQUIREMENTS. CHECK ONE **OWNER PARTNER** CORPORATE OFFICER **MEMBER** Signature Dated Signature/Title Print or type name Section B AGENT I DO HEREBY declare under oath that I have been duly appointed agent for the owner of the property listed herein and that I have full authority and knowledge sufficient to file a proper declaration for him in accord with the provisions of §12-50 C.G.S. Agent's

Agent's Signature /Title Print or type agent's name AGENT SIGNATURE MUST BE WITNESSED Witness of agent's sworn statement Subscribed and sworn to before me - Dated Circle one: Assessor or staff member, Town Clerk, Justice of the Peace, Notary or Commissioner of Superior

Direct questions concerning declaration to the Assessor's Office

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Email: kjoyce@norwalkct.org

Check Off List:

□ Read instructions on page 2

□ Complete appropriate sections
□ Complete exemption applications
□ Sign & date as required on page 4
□ Make a copy for your records
□ Return by November 1, 2012

This Personal Property Declaration must be signed above and delivered to the Norwalk Assessor or postmarked (as defined in C.G.S. Sec 1-2a & as referenced in Sec. 12-41(d)) by Thursday, November 1, 2012 – a 25% Penalty required for failure to file as required.

		property the following must be completed by omputerized filings are acceptable as long as				
ioimat.	Lessee #1	Lessee #2	Lessee #3			
Name of Lessee						
Lessee's address						
Physical location of equipment						
Full equipment description						
Is equipment self manufactured?	Yes No 🗆	Yes ☐ No ☐	Yes No No			
Acquisition date						
Current commercial list price nev	N					
Has this lease ever been purcha	sed, Yes □ No □	Yes □ No □	Yes ☐ No ☐			
assumed or assigned? If yes, specify from whom	100 110	.66 .16				
Date of such purchase, etc.						
If original asset cost was change	ed by					
this transaction, give details.	~ ~,					
Type of lease	☐ Operating ☐ Capital ☐ Conditional S	ale	☐ Operating ☐ Capital ☐ Conditional Sale			
Lease Term – Begin and end da	tes					
Monthly contract rent						
Monthly maintenance costs if inc in monthly payment above	cluded					
Is equipment declared on either Lessor's or the Lessee's new ma facturing exemption application?	anu- Yes ∐ No □ Lessor □ Lessee	Yes ☐ No ☐ Lessor ☐ Lessee ☐	Yes \(\) \(\) \(\) \(\) Lessor \(\) \(\) Lessee \(\)			
your possession as of the a the presumption of ownersh includes (but is not limited to Yes No Did you dispose of October 1, 2011? I date of disposition i	eneral Statutes §12-57a all leased, borrower assessment date must be included on this for and subsequent tax liability plus penaltie o) dumpsters, gas/propane tanks, vending rany leased items that were in your possess if yes, enter a description of the property and in the space to the right.	ion on d the	er as herein prescribed, shall result in			
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	Lease #1	Lease #2	Lease #3			
Name of Lessor						
Lessor's address						
Lease Number						
Item description / Model #						
Serial #						
Year of manufacture						
Capital Lease	Yes ☐ No ☐	Yes ☐ No ☐	Yes □ No □			
Lease Term – Beginning/End						
Monthly rent						
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LESSOR'S LISTING REPORT Lessor's Name

Year Included

List or Account#:													October 1, 2012 vember 1, 2012	
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#10 – Manufacturing machinery & equipment not eligible under CGS 12-81 (72) & (76) for exemption					nufacturing.machinery 8 31 (72) & (76) for exemp n claim.	Assessor's Use Only				
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10-1-06		40%		10-1-06		40%		•		
Prior Yrs		30%		Prior Yrs		30%		#10		
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#16 - Furi	niture, fixtures and equ	uipment	t	# 20 Ele	ectronic data processing	g equipm	nent			
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10-1-07		50%		Prior Yrs		10%				
10-1-06		40%		Total		Total		i i		
Prior Yrs		30%						#20		
Total		Total						#16		
	advanced and not technologically advanced should be detailed on the <u>Telecommunication Company Form</u> . This form provides for the reduced percentage required by PA 10-171, Sec 3 for companies previously approved for taxation under CGS § 12-80a. If the Telecommunication Company Form is needed and has not been included with this declaration, contact the Assessor for a copy. Based on PA 10-171 the Telecommunication Company Form will be required for the grand list years 2010, 2011 and 2012. Thereafter reporting will be included within this declaration. If Code 21 was used by other than telecommunication companies for reporting of communication equipment and telephone systems in prior years, that type of equipment should be reported under Code 16 – Furniture, fixtures and equipment.									
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	l on supplies since Oc f months in business s			Ending 10-1-12	Total Expended	Months	Average Monthly	#23		
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10-1-08		60%		Prior Yrs		20%				
10-1-07		50%		Total		Total				
10-1-06		40%								
Prior Yrs		30%								
Total		Total			24a and 24b Total			#24		
#22 - Cal	oles, conduits, pipes,	etc			RECONCILIATION O	F FIXED	ASSETS			
Year Ending	Original cost, trans- portation & installation	% Good	Depreciated Value	*Com	plete Detailed Listing of	Dispose	ed Assets –page 5			
10-1-12				Asse						
10-1-11										
10-1-10				ets added since 10/1/11						
10-1-09				Asse	ets declared 10/1/12					
10-1-08						•				
10-1-07	0-1-07 Expensed equipment last year									
10-1-06				Capitalization Threshold						
Prior Yrs										
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