

2016 TOLEDO BUSINESS TAX RETURN FORM INSTRUCTIONS

DUE DATE: APRIL 18, 2017 (Or 3 Months 15 days after the close of the Fiscal Year or Period)

For Use by filers of Federal Forms 1120, 1120S, 1065 and 1041

This is a new Toledo form for 2016 specifically for use by Filers of the above Federal Forms for filing at the entity level. The Ohio Revised Code 718 for 2016 and later years requires that all tax be filed and paid at the entity level. Please note that filers of Federal Form 1120S must file as if it were a C corporation and pay tax at the entity level.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE RETURN:

Enter your Toledo account number and Federal ID number on lines provided. If you do not have a Toledo account number you can contact our office at 419-245-1662 to obtain your number. The questionnaire on our website (Toledo.oh.gov.) should be completed and faxed to us at 419-936-2318 so that the account can be established. Unless you request us to otherwise contact you with the new account number, your account number will be mailed to the address indicated on the questionnaire.

Enter the Company Name, Trade Name, Address, City, State and Zip on the lines provided for that information.

If you have a different Local Business Address enter that information where indicated.

On the right hand side please complete the information regarding fiscal year and if the return is for a short period.

Check the box for filing status based on Federal return filed. Also, answer the questions regarding Toledo filing for prior year, whether filing a consolidate return and if your account should be closed and the reason for doing so. Also answer the question regarding employees in Toledo and the Nature of your business.

Before beginning Part A Tax Calculation, Go to Schedule X page 2 of the return.

SCHEDULE X - Reconciliation with Federal Income Tax Return per ORC 718 (Page 2 of the return)

Line 1 - Enter the income from your Federal return (Form 1120, Form 1120S Form 1065 or Form 1041). Note that Federal taxable income is the C corporation federal taxable income before net operating losses and special deductions (Form 1120 Only).

Before completing Line 2 of Schedule X enter the Items not deductible as shown on Schedule X line 6 depending on which items apply. Total those amounts on Schedule X line 6J and place that amount on Schedule X line 2a. Also, complete Schedule X Line 7 Items not taxable for all applicable entries and total those amounts on Schedule X line 7F. The Amount from Schedule X line 7F should be entered on Schedule X line 2b.

The amounts on Schedule X 2a and 2b should be combined on Schedule X line 2c.

Line 3 - Combine the amount entered on Schedule X lines 1 and 2c.

Line 4 - Enter amounts of partnership income reported in Line 1 of Schedule X that were previously filed and paid at the entity level. Subtract the amount on Schedule X line 4 from Schedule X line 3. Enter the result on Schedule X line 5 and on Part A Line 1 Page 1 of this return.

PART A Tax Calculation (Page 1 of the return)

Line 1 - Enter the amount from Schedule X line 5 page 2 of the return.

Line 2 - Enter the allocation from Schedule Y page 2.

Line 3 - Multiply line 1 by line 2 (if all business located in Toledo the % is 100%)

Line 4 - Enter amount of unused Loss Carry Forward from the most recent 5 years.

Line 5 - Subtract line 4 from Line 3 - This is the Toledo Taxable Income.

Line 6 - Multiply line 5 by the tax rate of 2.25%

Line 7 - 7a. Toledo resident partnerships enter amount of tax paid to other cities

7b. Enter amount of Other Credits, such as Job Creation Tax Credits approved by Toledo City Council

7c. Total Lines 7a and 7b

Line 8 - Subtract line 7c from line 6

Line 9 - Enter the amount of credits (tax payments) carried forward from prior tax year on line 9a

Enter total amount of estimate payments on line 9b Combine amounts on line 9a and 9b and enter on 9c.

Line 10 - Subtract Line 9c from Line 8

If line 10 is Positive you have a balance due (note that amounts under \$10 should not be remitted and those amounts will not be billed or collected. Go to line 11.

If line 10 is Negative you have an Overpayment (Amounts under \$10 will not be carried forward nor refunded)

****Please note that in both cases if the amount is under \$10 the return is still required to be filed.**

Note: (Estimate payments are required if you owe more than \$200 after credit for tax withheld. If 90% of the tax liability due for the current tax year or 100% of the tax liability for the preceding tax year is not paid in estimate form by December 15th of the tax year, you are subject to penalties and interest even if the tax is paid in full by the due date. Note that the 100% of the preceding tax year must have been for a full 12 month period and that the tax return was filed).

Line 11a - Penalty: Estimates and Late Filed returns--the penalty is 15% of the amount not timely paid.

Line 11b - Interest at .05% per annum for 2016 and .06% per annum for 2017 will be assessed on each month that the payment was unpaid. Monthly rate for 2016 is .4167% and for 2017 is .5%.

Line 11c - Late filing fee. Failure to timely file a return by the due date (except for estimate payments) will incur a \$25 per month fee up to \$150 for a return filed 6 months late.

Line 11d - Total line 11a+11b+11c and enter on 11d

Line 12 - Total line 10 and 11d

Note that payment must accompany return. If you cannot pay the amount due in full, please make a partial payment with the return. You will be billed for the remainder due plus late fees.

For credit card payment, please see that part of our website. **Note that if you remit payment on-line via Ohio Business Gateway, TaxConnect or other payment method, you still must mail your return and supporting documents.**

Line 13 - If line 10 is an overpayment of \$10 or more please enter the amount of the overpayment that you wish to transfer to the next tax year and if you want a refund please enter the amount to be refunded. Also check the appropriate box in the upper right corner of the return as to refund and/or overpayment transfer.

Remember to sign, listing your title also, and date the return. Check the box if we may discuss the return with your paid preparer.

The paid preparer should sign where indicated, print their name and the firm's name and include a phone number.

OTHER INSTRUCTIONS

SCHEDULE Y – Business Apportionment Formula

This Schedule is for allocation of schedule income that was only partially earned in Toledo - note that rental income should not be allocated, but should be based on actual income within Toledo)

Steps 1, 2 and 3 of this formula enter in column A the amount located everywhere and in column B list the amount located only within Toledo. Note that in Step 1, it is the average original cost of real and tangible personal Property and/or the gross annual rentals multiplied by 8 and added together if both are used to determine the value of tangible and real business property.

In column C, list the result of dividing the amount in column B by the amount in column A.

Step 4 - Total the percentages shown in column C.

Step 5 – Divide the percentage shown in Step 4 by the total number of percentages used. Enter the result on Page 1, Line 2 of the Toledo Business Return.

Please note that just having an entry in column A Everywhere for any one step and no entry in column B for located in Toledo does not mean that that percentage wasn't used. If there is an entry in the everywhere column that counts as a percentage used even if the percentage in Toledo is zero.

SCHEDULE Y-1 – Reconciliation of Schedule Y Wages to Withholding Returns. The purpose of this schedule is to provide a place to explain any reasons why Toledo would not have received 2.25% tax on the wages shown in Schedule Y, Step 2 Located in Toledo.

1. List the total workplace Toledo wages listed above in Schedule Y that were shown on the Toledo withholding forms you filed for the tax year covered by this return
2. Explain any difference between the total wages for which tax was remitted and the Toledo wages shown on Schedule Y Step 2.
3. Enter the federal ID and name and address of the account under which withholding was remitted if different than the Fed ID and name shown on this return
4. If you issued 1099-Misc to Toledo residents answer yes to this question, and please submit copies of those attached to the back of this return when filed.

REMEMBER TO ATTACH A COPY OF YOUR FEDERAL RETURN PAGES 1-5 AND APPLICABLE SCHEDULES OF OTHER INCOME, OTHER DEDUCTIONS, FORM 1125-A, FORM 8825, FORM 4797, FEDERAL SCHEDULE E, SCHEDULE D, SCHEDULE M-3, FEDERAL FORM 8949 AND 1099-MISC ISSUED TO TOLEDO RESIDENTS TO THE BACK OF THIS RETURN.

REMEMBER TO SIGN YOUR RETURN ON PAGE 1.