TAXPAYER'S RSA 72:34-a EXEMPTION, DEFERRAL OR TAX CREDIT APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF TAX AND LAND APPEALS

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. There are distinct statutory requirements for different exemptions. Thus, Taxpayers should review RSA ch. 72 and comply with all applicable requirements.
- 2. Complete the appeal document by typing or legibly printing.
- 3. File this appeal document with the board of tax and land appeals (BTLA) within the RSA 72:34-a deadlines (See below).

Deadlines: "Date of notice of tax" means the date the board of tax and land appeals determines to be the last mailing date of the final tax bill for which relief is sought. If your municipality bills twice annually, you must appeal after the bill that establishes your final tax liability and not before.

- **<u>Step One</u>**: Taxpayer must comply with all applicable RSA ch. 72 requirements.
- **Step Two**: Taxpayer must file an appeal to the BTLA or superior court <u>no later</u> than September 1, following notice of tax, even if the municipality has not responded to the Taxpayer's RSA 72:23-c annual list or RSA 72:33 application.
- 4. <u>SECTIONS A & B.</u> Until otherwise informed in writing by the person(s) appealing, all orders, notices and communications shall be made to: a) the person(s)' listed address and phone number; or b) the representative's address and phone number.
- 5. <u>SECTION C.</u> List only the properties y ou are appealing and for which an exemption, deferral or tax credit application was filed with your municipality. A person(s) may use the same document to appeal more than one property, provided the properties are all in common ownership.
- 6. **SECTION F.** Attach a copy of the RSA 72:23-c annual list or the RSA 72:33 exemption, deferral or tax credit application filed with the municipality.
- 7. Make a copy of the appeal document for your file.

<u>NOTE</u>: Filing this document only appeals the exemption, deferral or tax credit issues; it does not appeal any other valuation assessment issues. If you also wish to appeal the assessment, you must separately appeal under RSA 76:16 and RSA 76:16-a.

File the completed appeal document, along with a **nonrefundable** \$65.00 check (payable to "Treasurer, State of New Hampshire") to:

Board of Tax and Land Appeals Governor Hugh J. Gallen State Office Park 107 Pleasant Street, Johnson Hall Concord, NH 03301

NOTE: The date of filing is the date this form is either hand delivered to the board, postmarked by the post office, or receipted by an overnight delivery service.

RSA 72:34-a EXEMPTION, DEFERRAL OR TAX CREDIT APPEAL TO BOARD OF TAX AND LAND APPEALS Tax Year Exemption Claimed _____

SECTION A. Person((s) Appealing (Owne	er(s)/ Taxpayer(s)	
Name:			
Mailing Address:			
Telephone Number: (W	Vork)	(Home)	
SECTION B. Represe	entative if other tha	1 Owner(s)/Taxpayer(s) (Must Co	mplete Section A)
Name:			
Mailing Address:			
Telephone Number: (W	Vork)	(Home)	
SECTION C. Property Appealed		Municipality:	
List the tax map and lot description and the asse		al street address of each property ap	pealed and include a brief
Tax Map & Lot	Address	Description	Assessment
SECTION D. Other F			

List other property in the municipality owned by person(s) appealing or owner/taxpayer, even if the properties have not been appealed.

<u>Tax Map & Lot</u>	Address	Description	Assessment

SECTION E. Exemption, Deferral or Tax Credit Sought

Please state the exemption, deferral or tax credit you are seeking and, if known, the applicable RSA statute. For example, charitable (RSA 72:23, V), elderly (RSA 72:39-a), or veterans (RSA 72:28).

SECTION F. <u>Exemption Application</u>

Provide a statement of the municipality's action on the RSA 72:23-c annual list or the RSA 72:33 exemption application. Attach a copy of the annual list or the exemption application filed with the municipality.

SECTION G. Certification by Person(s) Appealing

By signing below, the person(s) appealing certifies and swears under the penalties of RSA ch. 641 (check to ensure compliance):

An RSA 72:23-c annual list or RSA 72:33 exemption application was timely filed with the municipality and the application included the appealed property(s); and

The appeal has a good faith basis, and the facts stated are true to the best of my/our knowledge.

Date:

(Signature)

Print Name & Title

Date:

(Signature)

Print Name & Title

SECTION H. <u>Certification and Appearance by Representative (If Other Than Owner/Taxpayer)</u>

By signing below, the representative of the person(s) appealing certifies and swears under penalties of RSA ch. 641:

All (certifications) in Section G are true;

The person(s) appealing has authorized this representation; and

A copy of this form was sent to the client.

Date:

(Signature)

Print Name & Title