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April 29, 2005

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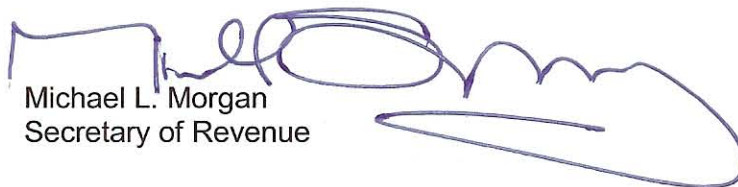
Dear Scott:

Enclosed is an original copy of Wisconsin's Petition for Membership in the Streamlined Sales and Use Tax Agreement. In addition, I have enclosed the Certificate of Compliance and Certificate of Service.

These documents are submitted in anticipation of Wisconsin enacting the conforming Streamlined Sales Tax Legislation on or before June 30, 2005. (Note that the proposed effective date of the Wisconsin conforming legislation is October 1, 2005.) The conforming legislation was submitted as part of Governor Jim Doyle's 2005-07 biennial budget. If the Wisconsin legislature fails to enact the conforming legislation by June 30, 2005, Wisconsin will withdraw its Petition for Membership.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,


Michael L. Morgan
Secretary of Revenue

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING AND SERVICE

I, Michael L. Morgan, certify that on April 30, 2005, I caused to be mailed first class, postage prepaid, original copies of the Wisconsin Petition for Membership in the Streamlined Sales and Use Tax Agreement and the Wisconsin Certificate of Compliance to:

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I, Michael L. Morgan, further certify that on April 30, 2005, I caused to be delivered electronically true and correct copies of the Wisconsin Petition for Membership in the Streamlined Sales and Use Tax Agreement and the Wisconsin Certificate of Compliance to the Co-Chairs of the Streamlined Sales Tax Implementing States, Senator Angela Monson, Oklahoma State Senate at her e-mail address monson@isb.state.ok.us and Commissioner Bruce Johnson, Utah Tax Commission at his e-mail address RBJOHNSON@utah.gov.

I, Michael L. Morgan, further certify that on April 30, 2005, I caused to be delivered electronically true and correct copies of the Wisconsin Petition for Membership in the Streamlined Sales and use Tax Agreement and the Wisconsin Certificate of Compliance to the Petition for the Membership Distribution List, attached hereto and incorporated herein, at the email addresses listed therein.



Michael L. Morgan
Secretary of Revenue
State of Wisconsin

WISCONSIN
STREAMLINED SALES AND USE TAX AGREEMENT
PETITION FOR MEMBERSHIP

WHEREAS, it is in the interest of the private sector and of state and local governments to simplify and modernize sales and use tax administration;

WHEREAS, such simplification and modernization will result in a substantial reduction in the costs and complexity for sellers of personal property and services in conducting their commercial enterprises;

WHEREAS, such simplification and modernization will also result in additional voluntary compliance with the sales and use tax laws;

WHEREAS, such simplification and modernization of sales and use tax administration is best conducted in cooperation and coordination with other states; and

WHEREAS, the State of Wisconsin levies a sales tax and levies a use tax. "Sales tax" means the tax levied under secs. 77.52 and 77.71(1), Wis. Stats. (2003-04), and "use tax" means the tax levied under secs. 77.53 and 77.71(2), (3), and (4), Wis. Stats. (2003-04).

NOW, the undersigned representative hereby petitions the governing board of the Streamlined Sales and Use Tax Agreement (or Co-Chairs of the Streamlined Sales Tax Implementing States) for membership into the Agreement.


Michael L. Morgan
Secretary
State of Wisconsin