

**APPENDIX A**  
**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 Georgia levies a sales tax and levies a use tax. "Sales tax" means the tax levied under Title 48, Chapter 8 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated and "use tax" means the tax levied under Title 48, Chapter 8 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated.

**NOW**, the undersigned representative hereby petitions the governing board of the Streamlined Sales and Use Tax Agreement for full membership into the Agreement effective August 1, 2011.

Douglas MacDermott

NAME

Commissioner of Revenue

TITLE

STATE OF Georgia