

# State of Maine

# Income Tax Letter of Intent

Tax Year 2025

August 14, 2025

This form must be completed and submitted to Efile.Helpdesk@maine.gov by January 1, 2026

For any general questions about this LOI, please contact Efile.Helpdesk@maine.gov

# 2025 Tax Software Provider Maine Revenue Services Letter of Intent

Welcome to the Income Tax Letter of Intent (LOI). If your software company intends to submit electronic and/or paper returns to Maine Revenue Services you will need to complete this form and submit it to eFile Helpdesk at Efile.Helpdesk@maine.gov no later than January 1, 2026.

By submitting this Letter of Intent (LOI) to Maine Revenue Services, you agree to meet our standards for software provider registration, tax preparation software, and substitute forms. If you do not meet the standards and requirements explained in this LOI or provide an incomplete form, we may deny your application or revoke your approved software provider status and reject all electronic and/or paper returns submitted using your products.

You must complete a separate LOI for each unique product your company offers.

**Note:** If you are a new Software Provider who has not filed city/state income tax returns with any city or state agencies, you must have passed assurance testing with the IRS. Attach documentation from the IRS demonstrating you have successfully tested with the IRS.

### Important dates

Maine Revenue Services has important key dates to ensure we are ready for the filing season and taxpayers can file an accurate and timely tax return. Please note the following key dates:

- Complete and submit this LOI by the firm due date of January 1, 2026.
- Substitute forms approval must be completed by March 1, 2026.
- Assurance testing (ATS) begins on TBD.
- The last day we will accept initial e-file ATS tests is the firm due date of February 1, 2026.

Amended Letter of Intent  Check this box if this is an amended Letter of Intent.	
Reason for amendment:	

# **Company information**

List your company information.

Name of Company	Product Name	State Issued Software ID (if applicable)
DBA Name	NACTP Vendor ID	State Tax Account Number (if applicable)
Address	Product URL	Company FEIN
City	State	Zip Code

List your other product names using the same calculation engines here: **Note:** The same calculation engine is defined as products that use the same calculation engine and support all the same forms and schedules.

# IRS issued electronic identification numbers

List your IRS electronic identification numbers.

	EFIN(s)	ETIN(s)
Individual Tax	Test EFIN(s)	Test ETIN(s)
	Production EFIN(s)	Production ETIN(s)
Business Tax	Test EFIN(s)	Test ETIN(s)
	Production EFIN(s)	Production ETIN(s)

# **Contact information**

List the contact information for each area identified.

Regulatory/Compliance Primary Contact	Phone	Email Address
Secondary Regulatory/Compliance Contact	Phone	Email Address
Primary Individual MeF Contact	Phone	Email Address
Secondary Individual MeF Contact	Phone	Email Address
Primary Business MeF Contact	Phone	Email Address
Secondary Business MeF Contact	Phone	Email Address
Primary Fiduciary (Estate/Trust) MeF Contact	Phone	Email Address
Secondary Fiduciary (Estate/Trust) MeF Contact	Phone	Email Address
Primary Leads Reporting Contact	Phone	Email Address
Secondary Leads Reporting Contact	Phone	Email Address

Substitute forms (paper forms) registration
Complete this section only if your product will provide substitute forms.

Agency Substitute Forms Software Number	er	
Primary Individual Forms Contact	Phone	Email Address
Secondary Individual Forms Contact	Phone	Email Address
Primary Business Forms Contact	Phone	Email Address
Secondary Business Forms Contact	Phone	Email Address
<b>Note:</b> If you have separate contacts for ea attach it to this submission.	ch business tax ty	pe, please list them by tax type on a separate sheet and
Software products and tax types Check all that apply.	supported	
Type of software product supported		
DIY/consumer (Web-Based)		
DIY/consumer (Desktop)		
Professional/paid preparer (Web-Based)		
Professional/paid preparer (Desktop)		
Tax types supported		
Individual income tax		e-file Substitute Forms
Estate/Trust/Fiduciary tax		e-file Substitute Forms
Corporation/Franchise tax		e-file Substitute Forms
Pass-Through Partnerships/S-Corporation	า	e-file Substitute Forms
Support PDF attachments (MeF ONLY)		
1040ME - Individual income tax		e-file only
1041ME - Estate/Trust/Fiduciary tax		e-file only
1120ME - Corporate income tax		e-file only
941P-ME - Pass-Through Partnerships/S-0	Corporation	e-file only

# **Rebranded software products**

Complete this section only if your product is rebranded.

For software to be considered rebranded, changes <u>cannot</u> be made to the software requirements and output(s). As the Software company selling and/or licensing your product to a third-party, it is your responsibility to make sure the rebranded product reflects the current software requirements and output(s). List each of your rebranded products below.

Use one of the following class codes for each product:

Rebranded Product Name	ETIN (if applicable)	Contact Person	Phone	Email Address
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Attach additional sheets if needed.

For Rebranded Products, Maine Revenue Services has the following requirements for e-file ATS approval:

Rebranded Products are required to complete an abbreviated e-file ATS approval process

# E-file mandates or requirements

N/A

# Forms and schedules supported by tax type (check all that apply)

Check the boxes of the forms and schedules your company supports.

Maine Individual Tax 1040ME	e-file	Forms
Form 1040ME (ME Individual Income Tax Form)		
Schedule 1A (Income Modifications – Additions)		
Schedule 1S (Income Modifications – Subtractions)		
Schedule 2 (Itemized Deductions)		
Schedule A (Adjustment to Tax)		
Schedule CP (Voluntary Contributions/Park Passes)		
Form 2210ME (Underpayment of Estimated Tax)		
Worksheet A (Residency Information)		
Worksheet B (Income Allocation)		
Form 2210ME Annualized Income Worksheet		
Schedule ETM (Enrolled Tribal Member)		
Schedule NR (Nonresident Credit)		
Schedule NRH (Nonresident Credit for Married Electing to File Single)		
Schedule PTFC/STFC (Property Tax Fairness Credit/Sales Tax Fairness Credit		
Maine Schedule A Worksheets		Forms
Adult Dependent Care Credit		
Child Care Credit		
Dependent Exemption Tax Credit		
Earned Income Tax Credit		
Employer Credit for Family and Medical Leave		
Volunteer Firefighter / EMS Credit		
Income Taxes Paid to Other Jurisdictions		
Maine Seed Capital Credit		
Pine Tree Development Zone Credit		
PTZE Credit Ratio Worksheet		
Rehabilitation of Historic Properties		
Student Loan Repayment Tax Credit / Payment Schedule		
Wellness Program Credit		
Wks Schedule 1S - Pension Deduction Worksheet		
Wks Schedule 1S - Other Subtraction Mod Credits		
Wks Schedule A - Other Tax Credits		

1040ME PTFC/STFC Only Returns		
Maine / Federal Individual Income Statements	e-file	Forms
Form W-2 (Wage and Tax Statement)		
Form W-2G (Certain Gambling Winnings)		
Form 1099Misc (Miscellaneous Income)		
Form 1099Int (Interest Income)		
Form 1099G (Certain Gov Payments)		
Form 1099DIV (Dividends and Distributions)		
Form 1099NEC (Non-employee Compensation)		
Form 1099OID (Int and Orig Issue Discount)		
Form 1099B (Proceeds from Broker/Barter Exch.)		
Form 1099R (Dist. From Pensions, Annuities)		
Form 1099ME (ME Pass-through Withholding)		
Reserved for Additional Forms * (Complete only after receiving		
Communication from Maine Revenue Services regarding new forms)		
Dirigo Business Incentives Program Tax Credit Worksheet		
Credit for Investment in Professional Baseball Facilities Worksheet		

Maine Fiduciary Tax 1041ME	e-file	Forms
Form 1041ME (Resident and Nonresident Estate and Trusts)		
Schedule 1 (Fiduciary Adjustment)		
Schedule 2 (Allocation of Fed/ME source Inc)		
Schedule A (Adjustments to Tax)		
Form 2210ME (Underpayment of Est Tax)		
Form 2210ME Annualized Income Worksheet		
Schedule NR (Nonresident Credit)		
Fiduciary Worksheets	e-file	Forms
Employer Credit for Family and Medical Leave		
Income Taxes Paid to Other Jurisdictions (Formerly Schedule 3)		
Maine Capital Investment Credit		
Maine Seed Capital Credit		
Pine Tree Development Zone Credit		
PTZE Credit Ration Worksheet		
Volunteer Firefighter / EMS Credit		
Maine / Federal Fiduciary Income Statements	e-file	Forms
Form W-2 (Wage and Tax Statement)		
Form W-2G (Certain Gambling Winnings)		
Form1099ME (Maine Pass-through Withholding		
Form 1099R (Dist. From Pensions, Annuities)		
Reserved for Additional Forms * (Complete only after receiving		
Communication from Maine Revenue Services regarding new forms)		
Dirigo Business Incentives Program Tax Credit Worksheet		

Maine Corporate Tax 1120ME	e-file	Forms
Form 1120ME (Corporate Income Tax - Includes Schedule A)		
Schedule 1S (Income Subtraction Modifications)		
Schedule 1A (Income Addition Modifications)		
Schedule C (Tax Credits for Corporations)		
Minimum Tax Credit Worksheet (Formerly Schedule D)		
Schedule X Amended Returns Adjustment		
Schedule NOL		
Form CR (Combined Report for Unitary Members)		
Form 2220ME (Underpayment of Estimated Tax)		
Form 2220ME Annualized Income Worksheet		
Corporate Worksheets	e-file	Forms
Capital Investment Credit		
Employer Credit for Family and Medical Leave		
Volunteer Firefighter / EMS Credit		
Pine Tree Development Zone Tax Credit		
Rehabilitation of Historic Properties Tax Credit		
Maine Seed Capital Investment Credit		
Wellness Credit		
Maine / Federal Corporate Income Statements		Forms
Form W-2G (Certain Gambling Winnings)		
Form 1099ME (Maine Pass-through Withholding)		
Maine Pass-Through Partnership/S-Corp 941P-ME	e-file	Forms
Form 941P-ME (ME Pass-through Withholding)(Includes Sch 2P and Sch 3P)		
Reserved for Additional Forms * (Complete only after receiving		
Communication from Maine Revenue Services regarding new forms)		
Dirigo Business Incentives Tax Credit Worksheet		

Electronic Amended returns  Maine Revenue Services requests you support electronic amended returns for those available.	able through	MeF.
Amended returns supported: 1040ME 1041ME 1120ME 1	9 <b>41</b> P	-ме 🗌

ADDITIONAL PAPER FORMS		
INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX	ESTATE TAX	
Form 1040L-ME <b>2D BARCODE</b>	706ME	
1040EXT-ME	700SOV	
1040ES-ME <b>2D BARCODE</b>		
1040ES-ME	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME TAX	
1040PV <b>2D BARCODE</b>	REW-1-1040	
1040PV	REW-1-1041	
	REW-1-1120	
COMPOSITE INCOME TAX		
1040C-ME <b>2D BARCODE</b>	PAYROLL TAX FORMS	
1040PA-ME (FORM PAR) <b>2D BARCODE</b>	901ES-ME	
1040PA-ME (SCHEDULE PAR-1) <b>2D BARCODE</b>	ME UC1PV	
	ME UC1 <b>2D BARCODE</b>	
FIDUCIARY INCOME TAX	ME UC1	
1041-ME	ME UC1 SCH2 <b>2D BARCODE</b>	
1041-ME SCH A	MEUC1 SCH2	
1041EXT-ME	941ME	
1041ES_ME	941ME SCH1	
1041PV	941ME SCH2	
	941P-ME <b>2D BARCODE</b>	
CORPORATE INCOME TAX	941P-ME SCH2P <b>2D BARCODE</b>	
1120ME <b>2D BARCODE</b>	941P-ME SCH3P <b>2D BARCODE</b>	
FORM CR 2D BARCODE		
1120EXT-ME	941PV	
1120ES-ME		
1120PV		
	SALES TAX FORMS	
FRANCHISE TAX	ST-7	
1120B-ME	BUSE ST-7U	
1120B-ES-ME		
1120B-EXT-ME		
	CANNIBAS TAX FORMS	
INSURANCE PREMIUMS TAX	CANNIBAS EXCISE TAX	
INS-1		
INS-2	BUSINESS EQUIPMENT TAX REIMBURSEMENT	
INS-4	800	
INS-5		
INS-6		
INS-7		

C	Other forms – please list:				

If you are requesting a 2D Waiver, please email your request to VendorForms.MRS@maine.gov

#### **Agency requirements**

This section identifies agency requirements and expectations of new and existing Software Providers and the software product.

#### Issue notification and resolution requirements

- When the Industry Partner finds an issue with their software, Maine Revenue Services should be notified within 48 hours of the finding at Efile.Helpdesk@maine.gov. We also would like to know how this issue is communicated to the customer using the software.
- When there is an issue found within a software product and we reach out to the Industry Partner we suggest a resolution to be done within 48 hours. If more time is needed, please notify Maine Revenue Services at Efile.Helpdesk@maine.gov as to when this issue will be resolved.
- Notify Maine Revenue Services if any forms and/or payments you support are not ready during the filing season
  after agency approval. Submit this information via email to <a href="Efile.Helpdesk@maine.gov">Efile.Helpdesk@maine.gov</a> and include the date the
  electronic or paper product will be ready to submit.

#### System security requirements

The Maine Revenue Services does not prescribe the security requirements for your system. You are responsible for implementing appropriate security measures to protect taxpayers and their information in your system. You must apply security measures to protect taxpayer information in your system when it is on-line, off-line, at rest, and in transit.

#### Security incident requirements

Unless otherwise prohibited by law, all data breaches, security incidents, or other improper disclosures of taxpayer data must be promptly reported to the Office of the Maine Attorney General and must also be reported to the State of Maine/Maine Revenue Services at the following: <a href="maine.gov"><u>MRSOpsSecurity@maine.gov</u></a> and <a href="maine.gov"><u>Efile.Helpdesk@maine.gov</u></a>.

#### **Production return submission requirements**

All returns generated from this software must be e-filed or printed from the approved software or a subsequent product update.

Do not add or include secured or password protected PDF attachments to the return when submitting.

#### **Product updates requirements**

Desktop product users who attempt to file 10 or more business days after a production release must be required to download and apply the product update.

#### Schemas

Your software must adhere to the schema requirements. Maine Revenue Services schema information and requirements can be found on the State Exchange System website.

#### **Testing and submissions**

All e-file ATS and substitute forms tests submitted during the approval process must be created in and originate from the actual software.

#### **Software limitations**

Provide any software limitations to forms or schedules you support during ATS. Failure to provide this information could delay the review of your test returns.

#### **Software exceptions**

Provide any exceptions to forms or schedules you support based on the type of software during ATS. Example, a DIY product does not support the same schedules as a professional product. Failure to provide this information could delay the review of your test returns.

#### **Customer Notices**

This section identifies information Maine Revenue Services is requiring the software providers to communicate with customers.

#### Disclosure and use of information language expectations

You must include the following consent language with electronic filing software.

#### For Do-It-Yourself software:

By using a computer system and software to prepare and file my tax return(s) electronically, I consent to the transmission of my return(s) and to the disclosure of all information about my use of the system and software to the **State of Maine/Maine Revenue Services**.

#### For Tax Professional software:

By using a computer system and software to prepare and file my client's return(s), I consent to the transmission of my client's return(s) and to the disclosure of all information about my use of the system and software to the State of Maine/Maine Revenue Services.

#### For Business software:

By using a computer system and software to prepare and file this business tax return(s), I consent to the transmission of the return(s) and to the disclosure of all information about the use of the system and software to the **State of Maine/Maine Revenue Services**.

#### Driver's license/ID card expectations

Maine Revenue Services is providing the following expectations and information:

#### For e-file returns:

Maine Revenue Services requests the DL/ID card be included with the return but won't reject the return if it's not included.

#### For printed/paper forms requesting the DL/ID Card information:

Maine Revenue Services does not require the full DL/ID card information on the form(s)

#### **Refund expectations**

State of Maine/Maine Revenue Services is providing a URL and/or a statement for refund processing. All Do It Yourself (DIY) and Tax Professional software packages must include this information in your software. The message is expected to be displayed within the software in a way to maximize the likelihood the message is read.

URL: <a href="https://revenue.maine.gov/">https://revenue.maine.gov/</a>

Statement: Want to check the status of your Maine state tax refund? With the Maine Tax Portal, checking
your refund status is easy, convenient, and accessible 24/7. To check on the status of your refund, go to
revenue.maine.gov, and under Individuals, select "Where's My Refund?" and follow the prompts. You do
not need to log in to check for your Maine State tax refund through the Maine Tax Portal.

#### Taxes due expectations

State of Maine/Maine Revenue Services is providing a URL and/or a statement about taxes due, such as due dates and payment methods. All Do It Yourself (DIY) and Tax Professional software packages must include this information in your software. The message is expected to be displayed within the software in a way to maximize the likelihood the message is read.

**URL:** https://www.maine.gov/revenue/tax-return-forms/due-dates

Statement: Estimate payments and ACH payments CANNOT be cancelled by the State of Maine/Maine Revenue Services once the return has been submitted.

# Agency questions 1. Do you support unlinked jurisdictional returns?

a. Yes							
b. No 🔲							
2. What refund products or payment vehicles do you offer your customers? If you partner with an entity to provide refunds (e.g., Amazon.com or other pre-paid cards), please provide the names and bank routing numbers (RTNs) of each company. Attach a separate sheet if necessary.							
REFUND PRODUCT	NAME	ROUTING N	NUMBER			NOTES	
3. Please provide the	main cor	ntact names	nhone nun	nhers and	d email address	os of the refund products	
							or payment
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PRODUCT NAME	CONTA  CONTA	CT PERSON  CT PERSON  Revenue Serv	PHONE N	ot want t	o receive Taxes	EMAIL ADDRESS  EMAIL ADDRESS  Paid to Other States (TPO	
vehicles offered to  PRODUCT NAME  4. The State of Maine	CONTA  CONTA	CT PERSON  CT PERSON  Revenue Serv	PHONE N	ot want t	o receive Taxes	EMAIL ADDRESS  EMAIL ADDRESS  Paid to Other States (TPO	
vehicles offered to  PRODUCT NAME  4. The State of Maine	CONTA  CONTA	CT PERSON  CT PERSON  Revenue Serv	PHONE N	ot want t	o receive Taxes	EMAIL ADDRESS  EMAIL ADDRESS  Paid to Other States (TPO	
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6. If a problem is discovered with the software, are taxpayers and practitioners still able to submit returns? If they are not allowed to submit returns, how are they notified when the fix has been implemented?  7. Are software updates, both required and optional, automatically or manually applied?	5.	Do you require your users/customers to download and apply product updates in order for the users/customers to continue to electronically file and/or print tax returns with your software? Please explain the timeline and process for this once an update is available for your product.
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# **Acknowledgments and Signature**

By signing this agreement, I agree to provide true, accurate, current, and complete information and my company agrees to all of the requirements listed in this document.

The **State of Maine/Maine Revenue Services** reserves the right to deny, suspend or terminate my company's ability to submit returns.

AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE PRINTED NAME	AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE EMAIL ADDRE	ESS
AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE SIGNATURE	AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE PHONE NUMBER	DATE

# **Authorized access to the State Exchange System**

Access to the State Exchange System should be limited to those with a business need. You are allowed up to 9 users.

Provide information for each employee you are authorizing for access to the State Exchange System. The tax type box should include all the tax types individuals are authorized to access.

**NOTE:** Include all authorized individuals, even if listed previously on this form.

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First and Last Name	Phone Number	Email Address
	Authorized Access Substitute Forms E-file	Tax Types
First and Last Name	Phone Number	Email Address
	Authorized Access Substitute Forms E-file	Tax Types
First and Last Name	Phone Number	Email Address
	Authorized Access Substitute Forms E-file	Tax Types
First and Last Name	Phone Number	Email Address
	Authorized Access Substitute Forms E-file	Tax Types
First and Last Name	Phone Number	Email Address
	Authorized Access Substitute Forms E-file	Tax Types
First and Last Name	Phone Number	Email Address
	Authorized Access Substitute Forms E-file	Tax Types
First and Last Name	Phone Number	Email Address
	Authorized Access Substitute Forms E-file	Tax Types
First and Last Name	Phone Number	Email Address
	Authorized Access Substitute Forms E-file	Tax Types
First and Last Name	Phone Number	Email Address
	Authorized Access Substitute Forms E-file	Tax Types