

Specifications and Test Scenarios for Form CIFT-620ES-SD (2018)

### **Specifications:**

**Size:** The size of the detached voucher must be 8-1/2" x 3-5/8" and should be printed at the bottom of an 8-1/2" x 11" sheet.

**Vendor Code:** Each software vendor who develops a substitute of Form CIFT-620ES must have a four-digit vendor code approved by the Louisiana Department of Revenue. This number remains the same each year and must appear at the top of the voucher on Line 46 in Positions 17-20.

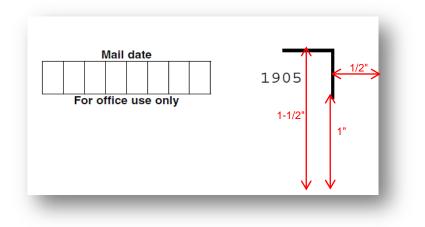
**Voucher Number:** The voucher number must be printed in the upper right-hand corner of the voucher with "1" being the first installment payment, "2" the second, and so on. For determining the appropriate number of installment payments due, please see the general information and instructions for completing Form CIFT-620ES beginning on Page 5.

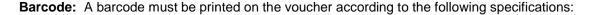
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**Document Identification Number:** The document identification number for Form CIFT-620ES-SD for the tax year 2018 is 1905 and must be printed on Line 59 in Positions 74 through 77. The font of the document identification number **must** be Courier 12-point (10 characters per inch).

Reference Mark: A reference mark must be printed on the voucher and shall consist of:

- A 2-point 1/2" horizontal line, positioned 1/2" from the right edge and 1-1/2" from the bottom edge, and
- A 2-point 1/2" vertical line, positioned 1/2" from the right edge and 1" from the bottom edge.





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- The barcode is a "three of nine" type,
- Reads 1905, which is the document identification number,
- Is 3/8" in height, and
- Is positioned 1/2" from the left edge and 7/8" from the bottom edge.

**Scan Line:** The scan line must be printed on Line 63 in Positions 11 through 76. It is preferred that an OCR-A font be used; however, a Courier 12-point font is acceptable. Whichever font utilized must be spaced at 10 cpi (characters per inch). A layout of the scan line is as follows:

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A = Document identification number (4 digits), which is 1905.

- B = Check digit (1 digit) for the document identification number, which (in this case) is 9.
- C = Louisiana Revenue account number (10 digits).
- D = Tax type code, which is 250.
- E = Taxable period (8 digits -- mmddyyyy), which is **12312018** for year ended December 31, 2018; **06302019** for year ended June 30, 2019; **08312019** for year ended August 31, 2019; etc.
- F = This field (8 digits) is an open field, which is all zeros—00000000.
- G = Louisiana Revenue account number (10 digits—same account number as Field C).
- H = Amount of payment (10 digits--\$, Zero-fill blank data area.
- I = Check digit (1 digit) for the amount of payment.
- J = Check digit (1 digit) for Fields C, D, E, F, G, H, and I.

- = Blank space.

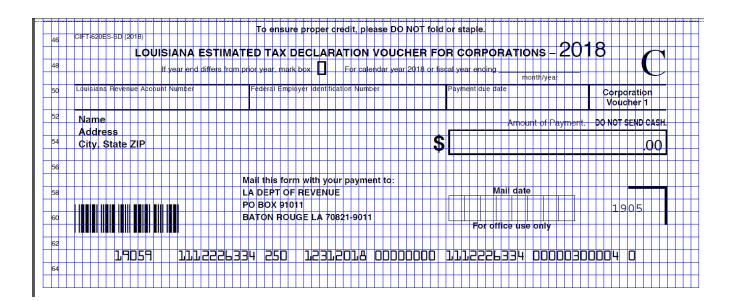
NOTE: The **check digits** contained in the scan line are derived using the Modulus 10 self-check digit computation found on Page 3.

Example:	= 1112226334	
	Taxable period	= 12/31/2018
	Amount of payment	= \$300.00

Scan line should be:

19059 1112226334 250 12312018 0000000 1112226334 00000300004 0

**Placement:** Illustrated below is the placement of the vendor code, voucher number, document identification number, reference mark, barcode, and scan line in relation to a 6 x 10 grid.



#### Modulus 10 Self-check Digit Computation:

- 1. Multiply the unit's position and every alternate position of the base number by 2 starting with right most position.
- 2. Add the digits in the products to the digits in the base number that were not multiplied.
- 3. Subtract the sum from the next higher number ending in zero. The difference is the self-check digit.

#### Example:

Base Number	499865559
Right most position and every other position	95694
Multiply by 2.	18, 10, 12, 18, 8
Add the digits in the product.	(1+8), (1+0), (1+2), (1+8), 8
Digits not multiplied.	5589
Add.	(1+8)+5+(1+0)+5+(1+2)+8+(1+8)+9+8
Sum	57
Next higher number ending in zero	60
Subtract.	60-57
Self-check digit	3

### **Test Scenarios:**

Please prepare the necessary declaration vouchers using the various test scenarios below, assuming that all 4 scenarios require 4 equal installments. Thus, a total of 16 hardcopy vouchers should be submitted for testing. Each voucher must be completed in its entirety, including the payment due date. For the payment due dates that are applicable, please see the general information and instructions for completing Form CIFT-620ES that follow the scenarios below.

Mail your test samples to: Attention: Forms Management Unit Tax Administration Division Louisiana Department of Revenue 617 N. Third St. Baton Rouge, LA 70802-5428

Scenario 1	Taxpayer's Name: Address:	Easy as Pie Bakery 123 Sweet Street Baton Rouge, LA 70806-0123
	Account Number:	1127653070
	Year Ending Date:	12/31/2018
	Each Payment Amount:	\$97.00
Scenario 2	Taxpayer's Name: Address:	Joy's Collectibles 65 Ty Drive Monroe, LA 73953-0492
	Account Number:	1127653686
	Year Ending Date:	02/28/2019
	Each Payment Amount:	\$1,325.00
Scenario 3	Taxpayer's Name: Address:	PDC's Dog Kennel 987 Labrador Lane Lafayette, LA 78354-0202
	Account Number:	1127653232
	Year Ending Date:	04/30/2019
	Each Payment Amount:	\$2,463.00
Scenario 4	Taxpayer's Name: Address:	JR's Stockyards 400 Bovine Boulevard Gonzales, LA 70737-7585
	Account Number:	1127653707
	Year Ending Date:	10/31/2019
	Each Payment Amount:	\$19,895.00



### Declaration of Estimated Tax for Corporations General Information



Any corporation that can reasonably expect its income tax for the taxable year to be \$1,000 or more must make estimated tax payments.

The term "estimated tax" means the amount the taxpayer estimates to be the Louisiana income tax imposed for the current period, less the amount it estimates to be the sum of any credits allowable against the tax.

Estimated payments must be made, generally, on or before the fifteenth day of the fourth month, the sixth month, the ninth month, and the twelfth month of the taxable year. For taxable periods beginning this year, refer to the table below to determine the date the installment payments are due. The table below summarizes the due dates and amounts of installment payments where liability for declarations is caused by an event occurring within a taxable period.

Time and Amount of Installments The due date and the amount of the installment payments shall be determined as follows:					
If a corporation's estimated tax is \$1,000 or more, it meets the requirements for paying installments. If the requirement is first met:	Number of installments to make	The following percentages of the estimated tax shall be paid on or before the 15 <sup>th</sup> day of the:			
requirements for paying installments. If the requirement is first met:		4 <sup>th</sup> month	6 <sup>th</sup> month	9 <sup>th</sup> month	12 <sup>th</sup> month
Before the first day of the 4 <sup>th</sup> month of the taxable year.	4	25	25	25	25
After the last day of the 3 <sup>rd</sup> month and before the first day of the 6 <sup>th</sup> month of the taxable year.	3		33 <sup>1</sup> /3	33 <sup>1/3</sup>	33 <sup>1/3</sup>
After the last day of the 5 <sup>th</sup> month and before the first day of the 9 <sup>th</sup> month of the taxable year.	2			50	50
After the last day of the 8 <sup>th</sup> month and before the first day of the 12 <sup>th</sup> month of the taxable year.	1				100

Mail the appropriate voucher and payment to the Department of Revenue, P. O. Box 91011, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70821-9011. **Do not send cash.** A CIFT-620ES for Louisiana estimated corporation income tax should not be filed if payment is made by EFT, credit card, or electronically on the Department's website.

If a new estimate is made after paying any installment of estimated corporation income tax, the amount of each remaining installment should be the amount of the revised estimated corporation income tax, less the total amount of any previous payments made during the taxable year, divided by the number of remaining installments due for the taxable year.

If you had an overpayment of tax on your last year's return and elected to apply it as a credit to your estimated corporation income tax, the amount of overpayment may be applied in part or in full to any installment.

There shall be added to the tax due an amount computed at the rate of 12 percent per annum on the sum of any underpayment or nonpayment of estimated tax.

Louisiana E	Estimated Corporat	ion Income Tax – I	nstallment Payment	t Due Dates*
Year Ended	1 <sup>st</sup> Installment	2 <sup>nd</sup> Installment	3 <sup>rd</sup> Installment	4 <sup>th</sup> installment
December 31, 2018	04/15/2018	06/15/2018	09/15/2018	12/15/2018
January 31, 2019	05/15/2018	07/15/2018	10/15/2018	01/15/2019
February 28, 2019	06/15/2018	08/15/2018	11/15/2018	02/15/2019
March 31, 2019	07/15/2018	09/15/2018	12/15/2018	03/15/2019
April 30, 2019	08/15/2018	10/15/2018	01/15/2019	04/15/2019
May 31, 2019	09/15/2018	11/15/2018	02/15/2019	05/15/2019
June 30, 2019	10/15/2018	12/15/2018	03/15/2019	06/15/2019
July 31, 2019	11/15/2018	01/15/2019	04/15/2019	07/15/2019
August 31, 2019	12/15/2018	02/15/2019	05/15/2019	08/15/2019
September 30, 2019	01/15/2019	03/15/2019	06/15/2019	09/15/2019
October 31, 2019	02/15/2019	04/15/2019	07/15/2019	10/15/2019
November 30, 2019	03/15/2019	05/15/2019	08/15/2019	11/15/2019

\* If the due date falls on a weekend or a legal holiday, the return is due the next business day.

You can pay your Louisiana Estimated Tax for Corporations by credit card, over the internet, or by phone. Visit **www.officialpayments.com** or call 1-800-2PAY-TAX (1-800-272-9829)



## Worksheet for Estimating Corporation Income Tax

1. Estimated taxable income	1.		00	
	Column 1		Column 2	L
2. Estimated income tax liability:	Net income in each bracket	Rate	Тах	
a. First \$25,000 of net income 2a.		x 4% =		00
b. Next \$25,0002b.		x 5% =		00
c. Next \$50,000		x 6% =		00
d. Next \$100,0002d.		x 7% =		00
e. Excess over \$200,000		x 8% =		00
f. Total income (Add Column 1, Lines 2a through 2e and enter here) The total should be the same as Line 1 above2f.				
g. Total tax (Add Column 2, Lines 2a through 2e and enter total here)2g.				00
3. Less estimated credits allowable against the tax and credits carried forward from 2017				
4. Balance (Subtract Line 3 from Line 2g)				
Enter here and in "Amount of Payment" block on voucher				

## Worksheet for Amending Estimated Income Tax

1. Amended estimated tax1.	00
2. Less estimated credits allowable against the tax and credits carried forward from 20172.	00
3. Balance (Subtract Line 2 from Line 1)3.	00
4. Less previous estimated tax payments made for this year4.	00
5. Unpaid balance (Subtract Line 4 from Line 3)5.	00
<ol> <li>Amount of installments (Divide Line 5 by number of installments due)</li> <li>Enter here and in "Amount of Payment" block on voucher</li></ol>	00

# How to use the Declaration Voucher

- 1. Fill out the worksheet above to figure your estimated tax for 2018.
- 2. Verify your account number, name, and address on the voucher and make any necessary corrections to your account at *latap.revenue.louisiana.gov.*
- If the year end differs from the prior year, check the box at the top of the voucher. List the appropriate fiscal year ending in the space provided.
- 4. Enter the amount shown on Line 5 of the worksheet in the "Amount of Payment" block on the voucher.
- 5. Detach the voucher at the perforation and attach check or money order. Fill in Record of Estimated Tax Payment schedule below.

- 6. Insert voucher and payment into the pre-addressed envelope, and mail. For each later installment, you only need to complete the "Amount of Payment" block on the voucher, attach payment, and mail. However, if you must amend your estimate:
  - a. Fill out the Worksheet for Amending Estimated Income Tax above.
  - b. Complete the "Amount of Payment" block on the voucher.
  - c. Detach at the perforation and mail with the required payment. For each later installment, complete the "Amount of Payment" block on the voucher, attach payment, and mail.

# **Record of Estimated Tax Payments**

Voucher number	Date	Amount	Total amount paid to date
1			
2			
3			
4			
Total			