



# E-FILE DECLARATION FOR BUSINESSES ELECTRONIC FILING



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Keep this	s for your records. Do not s	end this form to the Revo	enue Administration Division	unless specifically reque	sted to do so. Se	e instructions.	
Name of corporation or pass-through entity				Federal Employer Identification Number			
Street Addre	ess		City or town		State ZIP Cod		
PART I	Tax Return Inform	nation (whole dollars	s only)				
1.	Amount of overpay	ment to be applied to	2021 estimated tax (Cor	porations only.)	1	.00	
2.	Amount of overpay	ment to be refunded (	(Corporations only.)	REF	<b>JND</b> 2	.00	
3.	Total amount due .				3	.00	
	e Administration Division	on by my electronic re	eturn originator or by the	e electronic return soft	ware provider.		
	heck one box only			nter or generate my Pl		Enter five digits.  Do not enter all	
ER	O firm name	ax year 2020 electron	ically filed income tax re			zeros.	
if			year 2020 electronically urn is filed using the Prac				
Sig	nature		Date				
PART I	III Certification and	Authentication - Pr	ractitioner PIN Metho	d Only			
ERO's I	EFIN/PIN Enter your	six digit EFIN followe	ed by your five-digit self-	selected PIN		Do not enter all zeros.	
I confir		this return in accord	signature for tax year 20 ance with the requireme				
ER	Os signature		Date				



## E-FILE DECLARATION FOR BUSINESS ELECTRONIC FILING INSTRUCTIONS

#### **Purpose of Form**

Form EL101B is the declaration document and signature authorization for an electronically filed return by an Electronic Return Originator (ERO). Complete Form EL101B when the Practitioner PIN method is used or when the business authorizes the ERO to enter or generate their personal identification number (PIN) on their e-filed corporate or pass-through income tax return. The ERO must retain Form EL101B for 3 years from the return due date.

Note: The return will not be transmitted until the ERO receives the signed EL101B. Do not send this form to the State of Maryland unless specifically requested to do so.

### When and How to Complete

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IF the ERO is	Then					
Not using the Practitioner PIN method and the business enters their own PIN	Do not complete Form EL101B.					
Using the Practitioner PIN method and is authorized to enter or generate the businesses PIN	Complete Form EL101B, Parts I, II, and III.					
Using the Practitioner PIN method and the taxpayer enters his or her own PIN	Complete Form EL101B, Parts I, II and III.					
Not using the Practitioner PIN method and is authorized to enter or generate the businesses PIN	Complete Form EL101B, Parts I and II.					

### **ERO Responsibilities**

#### The ERO will:

- 1. Enter the name(s) and Federal Identification number of the business at the top of the form.
- Complete Part I using the amounts from the 2020 Corporate or Pass-Through Entity tax return of the business.
- 3. Enter or generate, if the business authorizes, the PIN of the business and enter it in the boxes provided in Part II.
- Enter on the authorization line on Part II the ERO firm name (not the name of the person who prepared the return), if the ERO is authorized to enter the e-file PIN of the business.
- After completing (1) through (4), give the business Form EL101B for completion and review. The acceptable delivery methods include hand delivery, US mail, private delivery service, email and fax.
- EROs may sign Part III of the form using a rubber stamp, mechanical device (such as a signature pen), or computer software program. The signature must include either a facsimile of the signature of the Individual ERO or of the printed name of the ERO.

**Note:** The ERO must receive the completed and signed Form EL101B from the business before the electronic return is transmitted. **Do not send this form to the State of Maryland unless specifically requested to do so.** 

#### **Business Responsibilities**

- 1. Verify the accuracy of the prepared income tax return.
- 2. Check the appropriate box in Part II to authorize the ERO to enter or generate your e-file PIN or generate it yourself.
- 3. Indicate or verify your e-file PIN when authorizing the ERO to enter or generate it (the e-file PIN must have five digits other than all zeroes).
- 4. The EL101B must be signed by the corporate officer, general partner or managing member and dated. It may be signed in Part II using handwritten signature, rubber stamp, mechanical device (such as signature pen) or computer software program.
- 5. Return the completed Form EL101B to the ERO by hand delivery, US mail, private delivery service or fax.

