Form 5500

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan

This form is required to be filed for employee benefit plans under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and sections 6047(e), 6057(b), and 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).

▶ **Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500.**

OMB Nos. 1210-0110
1210-0089

2011

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Part I Annual Report Identification Information

For calendar plan year 2011 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2011 and ending 12/31/2011

A This return/report is for:
- [ ] a multiemployer plan;
- [ ] a multiple-employer plan; or
- [X] a single-employer plan;
- [ ] a DFE (specify) ____

B This return/report is:
- [ ] the first return/report;
- [ ] the final return/report;
- [ ] an amended return/report;
- [ ] a short plan year return/report (less than 12 months).

C If the plan is a collectively-bargained plan, check here. . . . . ▶ [ ]

D Check box if filing under:
- [X] Form 5558;
- [ ] automatic extension;
- [ ] the DFVC program;
- [ ] special extension (enter description)

Part II Basic Plan Information—enter all requested information

1a Name of plan
MARKWINS INTERNATIONAL CORP. EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLAN

1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 501

1c Effective date of plan 01/01/2007

2a Plan sponsor's name and address, including room or suite number (Employer, if for single-employer plan)

MARKWINS INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION

22067 FERRERO PARKWAY
CITY OF INDUSTRY, CA 91789-5214

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CITY OF INDUSTRY, CA 91789-5214

2b Employer Identification Number (EIN) 95-4170484

2c Sponsor's telephone number 909-595-8898

2d Business code (see instructions) 325600

Caution: A penalty for the late or incomplete filing of this return/report will be assessed unless reasonable cause is established.

Under penalties of perjury and other penalties set forth in the instructions, I declare that I have examined this return/report, including accompanying schedules, statements and attachments, as well as the electronic version of this return/report, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete.

SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	10/15/2012	LINA CHEN
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of employer/plan sponsor	Date	Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of DFE	Date	Enter name of individual signing as DFE

3a Plan administrator's name and address (if same as plan sponsor, enter "Same")
MARKWINS INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION

22067 FERRERO PARKWAY
CITY OF INDUSTRY, CA 91789-5214

3b Administrator's EIN
95-4170484

3c Administrator's telephone number
909-595-8898

4 If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor has changed since the last return/report filed for this plan, enter the name, EIN and the plan number from the last return/report:

a Sponsor's name

4b EIN

4c PN

5	Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year	**5**	135
6	Number of participants as of the end of the plan year (welfare plans complete only lines **6a, 6b, 6c,** and **6d**).		
a	Active participants	**6a**	129
b	Retired or separated participants receiving benefits	**6b**	3
c	Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits	**6c**	0
d	Subtotal. Add lines **6a**, **6b**, and **6c**	**6d**	132
e	Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits	**6e**	
f	Total. Add lines **6d** and **6e**	**6f**	132
g	Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)	**6g**	
h	Number of participants that terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested	**6h**	
7	Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item)	**7**	

8a If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristic Codes in the instructions:

b If the plan provides welfare benefits, enter the applicable welfare feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristic Codes in the instructions:
4A 4B 4D 4L

9a Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply)

(1)	X	Insurance
(2)		Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts
(3)		Trust
(4)		General assets of the sponsor

9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply)

(1)	X	Insurance
(2)		Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts
(3)		Trust
(4)		General assets of the sponsor

10 Check all applicable boxes in 10a and 10b to indicate which schedules are attached, and, where indicated, enter the number attached. (See instructions)

a Pension Schedules

(1)		**R** (Retirement Plan Information)
(2)		**MB** (Multiemployer Defined Benefit Plan and Certain Money Purchase Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary
(3)		**SB** (Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary

b General Schedules

(1)			**H** (Financial Information)
(2)			**I** (Financial Information – Small Plan)
(3)	X	2	**A** (Insurance Information)
(4)			**C** (Service Provider Information)
(5)			**D** (DFE/Participating Plan Information)
(6)			**G** (Financial Transaction Schedules)

SCHEDULE A (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Insurance Information

This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

▶ **File as an attachment to Form 5500.**

▶ Insurance companies are required to provide the information pursuant to ERISA section 103(a)(2).

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For calendar plan year 2011 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2011 and ending 12/31/2011

A Name of plan
MARKWINS INTERNATIONAL CORP. EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLAN

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 501

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
MARKWINS INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
95-4170484

Part I **Information Concerning Insurance Contract Coverage, Fees, and Commissions** Provide information for each contract on a separate Schedule A. Individual contracts grouped as a unit in Parts II and III can be reported on a single Schedule A.

1 Coverage Information:

(a) Name of insurance carrier
ANTHEM BLUE CROSS

(b) EIN	**(c)** NAIC code	**(d)** Contract or identification number	**(e)** Approximate number of persons covered at end of policy or contract year	Policy or contract year	
				(f) From	**(g)** To
95-3760980	00000	265683	81	01/01/2011	12/31/2011

2 Insurance fee and commission information. Enter the total fees and total commissions paid. List in item 3 the agents, brokers, and other persons in descending order of the amount paid.

(a) Total amount of commissions paid	**(b)** Total amount of fees paid
13520	6760

3 Persons receiving commissions and fees. (Complete as many entries as needed to report all persons).

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

NEW CENTURY INSURANCE SERVICES
16 NORTH SECOND STREET
ALHAMBRA, CA 91801

(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		**(e)** Organization code
	(c) Amount	**(d)** Purpose	
13520	6760	BONUS, OVERRIDE, OTHER FEES	3

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		**(e)** Organization code
	(c) Amount	**(d)** Purpose	

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Part II Investment and Annuity Contract Information

Where individual contracts are provided, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.

4	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in the general account at year end	**4**	
5	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end	**5**	

6 Contracts With Allocated Funds:

a State the basis of premium rates ▶

b	Premiums paid to carrier	**6b**	
c	Premiums due but unpaid at the end of the year	**6c**	
d	If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, enter amount.	**6d**	

Specify nature of costs ▶

e Type of contract: (1) ☐ individual policies (2) ☐ group deferred annuity

(3) ☐ other (specify) ▶

f If contract purchased, in whole or in part, to distribute benefits from a terminating plan check here ▶ ☐

7 Contracts With Unallocated Funds (Do not include portions of these contracts maintained in separate accounts)

a Type of contract: (1) ☐ deposit administration (2) ☐ immediate participation guarantee

(3) ☐ guaranteed investment (4) ☐ other ▶

b	Balance at the end of the previous year			**7b**	
c	Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year	**7c(1)**			
	(2) Dividends and credits	**7c(2)**			
	(3) Interest credited during the year	**7c(3)**			
	(4) Transferred from separate account	**7c(4)**			
	(5) Other (specify below)	**7c(5)**			
	▶				
	(6) Total additions			**7c(6)**	
d	Total of balance and additions (add **b** and **c(6)**).			**7d**	
e	Deductions:				
	(1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year	**7e(1)**			
	(2) Administration charge made by carrier	**7e(2)**			
	(3) Transferred to separate account	**7e(3)**			
	(4) Other (specify below)	**7e(4)**			
	▶				
	(5) Total deductions			**7e(5)**	
f	Balance at the end of the current year (subtract **e(5)** from **d**)			**7f**	

Part III Welfare Benefit Contract Information

If more than one contract covers the same group of employees of the same employer(s) or members of the same employee organizations(s), the information may be combined for reporting purposes if such contracts are experience-rated as a unit. Where contracts cover individual employees, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.

8 Benefit and contract type (check all applicable boxes)

- **a** [X] Health (other than dental or vision)
- **b** [ ] Dental
- **c** [ ] Vision
- **d** [X] Life insurance
- **e** [ ] Temporary disability (accident and sickness)
- **f** [ ] Long-term disability
- **g** [ ] Supplemental unemployment
- **h** [ ] Prescription drug
- **i** [ ] Stop loss (large deductible)
- **j** [ ] HMO contract
- **k** [ ] PPO contract
- **l** [ ] Indemnity contract
- **m** [X] Other (specify) ▶ DEATH BENEFITS

9 Experience-rated contracts:				
a Premiums: (1) Amount received	9a(1)			
(2) Increase (decrease) in amount due but unpaid	9a(2)			
(3) Increase (decrease) in unearned premium reserve	9a(3)			
(4) Earned ((1) + (2) - (3))			9a(4)	
b Benefit charges (1) Claims paid	9b(1)			
(2) Increase (decrease) in claim reserves	9b(2)			
(3) Incurred claims (add (1) and (2))			9b(3)	
(4) Claims charged			9b(4)	
c Remainder of premium: (1) Retention charges (on an accrual basis) --				
(A) Commissions	9c(1)(A)			
(B) Administrative service or other fees	9c(1)(B)			
(C) Other specific acquisition costs	9c(1)(C)			
(D) Other expenses	9c(1)(D)			
(E) Taxes	9c(1)(E)			
(F) Charges for risks or other contingencies	9c(1)(F)			
(G) Other retention charges	9c(1)(G)			
(H) Total retention			9c(1)(H)	
(2) Dividends or retroactive rate refunds. (These amounts were [ ] paid in cash, or [ ] credited.)			9c(2)	
d Status of policyholder reserves at end of year: (1) Amount held to provide benefits after retirement			9d(1)	
(2) Claim reserves			9d(2)	
(3) Other reserves			9d(3)	
e Dividends or retroactive rate refunds due. (Do not include amount entered in **c(2)**.)			9e	
10 Nonexperience-rated contracts:				
a Total premiums or subscription charges paid to carrier			10a	697246
b If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, other than reported in Part I, item 2 above, report amount.			10b	

Specify nature of costs ▶

Part IV Provision of Information

11 Did the insurance company fail to provide any information necessary to complete Schedule A? [ ] Yes [X] No

12 If the answer to line 11 is "Yes," specify the information not provided. ▶

SCHEDULE A (Form 5500)

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(a) Name of insurance carrier
AETNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

(b) EIN	**(c)** NAIC code	**(d)** Contract or identification number	**(e)** Approximate number of persons covered at end of policy or contract year	Policy or contract year	
				(f) From	**(g)** To
06-6033492	60054	493157	129	01/01/2011	12/31/2011

2 Insurance fee and commission information. Enter the total fees and total commissions paid. List in item 3 the agents, brokers, and other persons in descending order of the amount paid.

(a) Total amount of commissions paid	**(b)** Total amount of fees paid
5363	0

3 Persons receiving commissions and fees. (Complete as many entries as needed to report all persons).

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid
NEW CENTURY INSURANCE SERVICES
16 NORTH SECOND STREET
ALHAMBRA, CA 91801

(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		
	(c) Amount	**(d)** Purpose	**(e)** Organization code
3667	0		3

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid
CENTERSTONE INSURANCE FINANCIAL
4851 LBJ FREEWAY
DALLAS, TX 75244

(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		
	(c) Amount	**(d)** Purpose	**(e)** Organization code
1696	0		3

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

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	(c) Amount	**(d)** Purpose	

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6 Contracts With Allocated Funds:

a State the basis of premium rates ▶

b	Premiums paid to carrier	**6b**	
c	Premiums due but unpaid at the end of the year	**6c**	
d	If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, enter amount.	**6d**	

Specify nature of costs ▶

e Type of contract: (1) ☐ individual policies (2) ☐ group deferred annuity

(3) ☐ other (specify) ▶

f If contract purchased, in whole or in part, to distribute benefits from a terminating plan check here ▶ ☐

7 Contracts With Unallocated Funds (Do not include portions of these contracts maintained in separate accounts)

a Type of contract: (1) ☐ deposit administration (2) ☐ immediate participation guarantee

(3) ☐ guaranteed investment (4) ☐ other ▶

b	Balance at the end of the previous year			**7b**	
c	Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year	**7c(1)**			
	(2) Dividends and credits	**7c(2)**			
	(3) Interest credited during the year	**7c(3)**			
	(4) Transferred from separate account	**7c(4)**			
	(5) Other (specify below)	**7c(5)**			
	▶				
	(6) Total additions			**7c(6)**	
d	Total of balance and additions (add **b** and **c(6)**).			**7d**	
e	Deductions:				
	(1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year	**7e(1)**			
	(2) Administration charge made by carrier	**7e(2)**			
	(3) Transferred to separate account	**7e(3)**			
	(4) Other (specify below)	**7e(4)**			
	▶				
	(5) Total deductions			**7e(5)**	
f	Balance at the end of the current year (subtract **e(5)** from **d**)			**7f**	

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8 Benefit and contract type (check all applicable boxes)

a [ ] Health (other than dental or vision) **b** [X] Dental **c** [ ] Vision **d** [ ] Life insurance
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i [ ] Stop loss (large deductible) **j** [ ] HMO contract **k** [ ] PPO contract **l** [ ] Indemnity contract
m [ ] Other (specify) ▶

9 Experience-rated contracts:				
a Premiums: (1) Amount received	**9a(1)**			
(2) Increase (decrease) in amount due but unpaid	**9a(2)**			
(3) Increase (decrease) in unearned premium reserve	**9a(3)**			
(4) Earned (**(1)** + **(2)** - **(3)**)			**9a(4)**	
b Benefit charges (1) Claims paid	**9b(1)**			
(2) Increase (decrease) in claim reserves	**9b(2)**			
(3) Incurred claims (add **(1)** and **(2)**)			**9b(3)**	
(4) Claims charged			**9b(4)**	
c Remainder of premium: (1) Retention charges (on an accrual basis) --				
(A) Commissions	**9c(1)(A)**			
(B) Administrative service or other fees	**9c(1)(B)**			
(C) Other specific acquisition costs	**9c(1)(C)**			
(D) Other expenses	**9c(1)(D)**			
(E) Taxes	**9c(1)(E)**			
(F) Charges for risks or other contingencies	**9c(1)(F)**			
(G) Other retention charges	**9c(1)(G)**			
(H) Total retention			**9c(1)(H)**	
(2) Dividends or retroactive rate refunds. (These amounts were [ ] paid in cash, or [ ] credited.)			**9c(2)**	
d Status of policyholder reserves at end of year: (1) Amount held to provide benefits after retirement			**9d(1)**	
(2) Claim reserves			**9d(2)**	
(3) Other reserves			**9d(3)**	
e Dividends or retroactive rate refunds due. (Do not include amount entered in **c(2)**.)			**9e**	
10 Nonexperience-rated contracts:				
a Total premiums or subscription charges paid to carrier			**10a**	67883
b If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, other than reported in Part I, item 2 above, report amount.			**10b**	

Specify nature of costs ▶

Part IV Provision of Information

11 Did the insurance company fail to provide any information necessary to complete Schedule A? [ ] Yes [X] No

12 If the answer to line 11 is "Yes," specify the information not provided. ▶

Form **5558**
(Rev. January 2008)
Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Application for Extension of Time To File Certain Employee Plan Returns

► **For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see instructions on page 3.**

OMB No. 1545-0212

File With IRS Only

Part I Identification

A Name of filer, plan administrator, or plan sponsor (see instructions)

Number, street, and room or suite no. (If a P.O. box, see instructions)

City or town, state, and ZIP code

B **Filer's identifying number (see instructions).**

☐ Employer identification number (EIN).

☐ Social security number (SSN)

C Plan name	Plan number	Plan year ending— MM	DD	YYYY
1				
2				
3				

Part II Extension of Time to File Form 5500 or Form 5500-EZ *(see instructions)*

1 I request an extension of time until ____/____/____ to file Form 5500 or Form 5500-EZ.

The application **is automatically approved** to the date shown on line 1 (above) if: **(a)** the Form 5558 is filed on or before the normal due date of Form 5500 or 5500-EZ for which this extension is requested, and **(b)** the date on line 1 is no more than 2½ months after the normal due date.

You must attach a copy of this Form 5558 to each Form 5500 and 5500-EZ filed after the due date for the plans listed in C above.

Note. A signature is not required if you are requesting an extension to file Form 5500 or Form 5500-EZ.

Part III Extension of Time to File Form 5330 *(see instructions)*

2 I request an extension of time until ____/____/____ to file Form 5330.
You may be approved for up to a six (6) month extension to file Form 5330, after the normal due date of Form 5330.

a Enter the Code section(s) imposing the tax . . . . . ► **a**

b Enter the payment amount attached . . . . . ► **b**

c For excise taxes under section 4980 or 4980F of the Code, enter the reversion/amendment date . . . ► **c**

3 **State in detail why you need the extension**

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the statements made on this form are true, correct, and complete, and that I am authorized to prepare this application.

Signature ► **Date** ►

General Instructions

Purpose of Form

Use Form 5558 to apply for a one-time extension of time to file Form 5500, Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan; Form 5500-EZ, Annual Return of One-Participant (Owners and Their Spouses) Retirement Plan; or Form 5330, Return of Excise Taxes Related to Employee Benefit Plans.



An extension of time to file does not extend the time to pay the tax due. Any tax due must be paid with this application. Additionally, interest is charged on taxes not paid by the due date even if an extension of time to file is granted.

Where To File

File Form 5558 with the Internal Revenue Service Center, Ogden, UT 84201-0027.

Private Delivery Services. You can use certain private delivery services designated by the IRS to meet the "timely mailing treated as timely filing/paying" rule for tax returns and payments. If you use a private delivery service designated by the IRS (rather than the U.S. Postal Service) to send your return, the postmark date generally is the date the private delivery service records in its database or marks on the mailing label. The private delivery service can tell you how to get written proof of this date.

The following are designated private delivery services:

- DHL Express (DHL): DHL Same Day Service, DHL Next Day 10:30 am, DHL Next Day 12:00 pm, DHL Next Day 3:00 pm, and DHL 2nd Day Service.
- Federal Express (FedEx): FedEx Priority Overnight, FedEx Standard Overnight, FedEx 2 Day, FedEx International Priority, and FedEx International First.
- United Parcel Service (UPS): UPS Next Day Air, UPS Next Day Air Saver, UPS 2nd Day Air, UPS 2nd Day Air A.M., UPS Worldwide Express Plus, and UPS Worldwide Express.

Specific Instructions

Part I. Identification

A. Name and Address

Enter your name and address in the heading if you are a single employer requesting an extension of time to file the Form 5500, Form 5500-EZ or the Form 5500, Form 5500-EZ or Form 5330. If you are filing for other than a single employer, enter the plan administrator's or plan sponsor's name and address on the application. The plan sponsor listed on this application should be the same as the plan sponsor listed on the annual return/report filed for the plan.

Include the suite, room, or other unit number after the street address. If the Post Office does not deliver mail to the street address and you have a P.O. box, show the box number instead of the street address.

B. Filer's Identifying Number

Employer Identification Number (EIN). Enter the nine-digit EIN assigned to the employer for all applications filed for Form 5500 or Form 5500-EZ. Also enter the EIN for applications filed for Form 5330 (see *Social Security Number (SSN)* below for exceptions).

If the employer does not have an EIN, the employer must apply for one. An EIN can be applied for:

- Online by clicking the Online EIN Application link at *www.irs.gov.* The EIN is issued immediately once the application information is validated.
- By telephone at 1-800-829-4933.
- By fax using the FAX-TIN numbers for your state listed on page 2 of the Instructions for Form SS-4.
- Employers who do not have an EIN may apply for one by attaching a completed Form SS-4, Application for Employer Identification Number, to this form.

The online application process is not yet available for corporations with addresses in foreign countries or Puerto Rico.

Social Security Number (SSN). If you made excess contributions to a Code section 403(b)(7)(A) custodial account or you are a disqualified person other than an employer, enter your SSN.

C. Plan Information

Complete the entire table (plan name, plan number, and plan year ending) for all plans included on this Form 5558.

Part II. Extension of Time to File Form 5500 or Form 5500-EZ

Use Form 5558 to apply for a one-time extension of time to file Form 5500 or Form 5500-EZ.

Exception: Form 5500 and Form 5500-EZ filers are automatically granted extensions of time to file until the extended due date of the federal income tax return of the employer (and are not required to file Form 5558) if all the following conditions are met: (1) the plan year and the employer's tax year are the same; (2) the employer has been granted an extension of time to file its federal income tax return to a date later than the normal due date for filing the Form 5500 or Form 5500-EZ; and (3) a photocopy of the IRS extension of time to file the federal income tax return is attached to the Form 5500 or Form 5500-EZ. An extension granted under this exception cannot be extended further by filing a Form 5558 after the normal due date of the Form 5500 or Form 5500-EZ.

An extension of time to file a Form 5500 or Form 5500-EZ does not operate as an extension of time to file the PBGC Form 1.

How to file. In general, a separate Form 5558 is used for each return for which you are requesting an extension. However, if you are a single employer and all your plan years end on the same date, file only one Form 5558 to request an extension of time to file more than one Form 5500 or Form 5500-EZ. Attach a photocopy of the completed extension request to your Form 5500 or Form 5500-EZ.

When to file. To request an extension of time to file Form 5500 or Form 5500-EZ, file Form 5558 on or before the return's normal due date. The normal due date is the date the Form 5500 or Form 5500-EZ would otherwise be due, without extension.

Applications for extension of time to file Form 5500 and Form 5500-EZ that are filed on or before the return/report's normal due date on a properly completed Form 5558 will be automatically approved to the date that is not more than 2½ months after the return/report's normal due date.

Approved copies of Form 5558, requesting an extension to file Form 5500 or Form 5500-EZ, will not be returned to the filer from the IRS.

Line 1. Enter on line 1 the due date for which you are requesting to file Form 5500 or Form 5500-EZ. This date should not be more than 2½ months after the normal due date of the return.

When using Form 5558 to request an extension of time to file Form 5500 or Form 5500-EZ plan sponsors or plan administrators are not required to sign the form. If Form 5558 is timely filed and complete, you will be granted an additional 2½ months to file Form 5500 or Form 5500-EZ.

Part III. Extension of Time to File Form 5330

File one Form 5558 to request an extension of time to file Form 5330 for excise taxes with the same filing due date. For specific information on excise tax due dates, see the Instructions for Form 5330.

Note: Effective January 1, 2008, the IRS will no longer return stamped copies of the Form 5558 to filers who request an extension of time to file a Form 5330. Instead you will receive a computer generated notice to inform you if your extension is approved or denied. Because of this change, we ask you to attach a photocopy of this notice to your Form 5330.

When to file. To request an extension of time to file Form 5330, file Form 5558 in sufficient time for the Internal Revenue Service to consider and act on it before the return's normal due date.

The normal due date is the date the Form 5330 would otherwise be due, without extension.

Line 2. On line 2, enter the requested due date. If your application for extension of time to file Form 5330 is approved, you may be granted an extension of up to 6 months after the normal due date of Form 5330.

Line 2a. Indicate the Code section(s) for the excise tax you are requesting an extension.

Line 2b. Enter the amount of tax estimated to be due with Form 5330 and attach your payment to this form.

Make your check or money order payable to the "United States Treasury." Do not send cash. On all checks or money orders, write your name, Filer's identifying number (EIN or SSN), Plan number, Form 5330 Section number, and the tax year to which the payment applies.

If you changed your mailing address after you filed your last return, use Form 8822, *Change of Address,* to notify the IRS of the change. You can get Form 8822 by calling 1-800-829-3676 or you can access the IRS website at *www.irs.gov* 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Line 3. The IRS will grant a reasonable extension of time (not to exceed 6 months) for filing Form 5330 if you file a timely application showing that you are unable to file Form 5330 because of circumstances beyond your control. Clearly describe these circumstances. Generally, an application will be considered on the basis of your own efforts to fulfill this filing responsibility, rather than the convenience of anyone providing help in preparing the return. However, consideration will be given to any circumstances that prevent your practitioner, for reasons beyond his or her control, from filing the return by the normal due date, and to circumstances in which you are unable to get needed professional help in spite of timely efforts to do so.



If we grant you an extension of time to file Form 5330 and later find that the statements made on this form are false or misleading, the extension will be null and void. A late filing penalty associated with the form for which you filed this extension will be charged.

Signature. If you are filing Form 5558 for an extension to file Form 5330, the form must be signed. The person who signs this form may be an employer, plan sponsor, plan administrator, a disqualified person required to file Form 5330, an attorney or certified public accountant qualified to practice before the IRS, a person enrolled to practice before the IRS, or a person holding a power of attorney.

Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice

We ask for the information on this form to carry out the Internal Revenue laws of the United States. We need it to determine if you are entitled to an extension of time to file Form 5500, 5500-EZ, or 5330. If you want an extension, you are required to give us the information. Section 6109 requires you to provide your taxpayer identification number (SSN or EIN). If you fail to provide this information in a timely manner, you may be liable for penalties and interest.

You are not required to provide the information requested on a form that is subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act unless the form displays a valid OMB control number. Books or records relating to a form or its instructions must be retained as long as their contents may become material in the administration of any Internal Revenue law. Generally, tax returns and return information are confidential as required by Code section 6103.

However, section 6103 allows or requires the Internal Revenue Service to disclose or give the information shown on your tax return to others as described in the Code. For example, we may disclose your tax information to the Department of Justice to enforce the tax laws, both civil and criminal, and to cities, states, the District of Columbia, U.S. commonwealths or possessions, and certain foreign governments to carry out their tax laws. We may also disclose this information to other countries under a tax treaty, to federal and state agencies to enforce federal nontax criminal law, or to federal law enforcement and intelligence agencies to combat terrorism.

The time needed to complete and file this form will vary depending on individual circumstances. The estimated average time: 24 minutes.

If you have comments concerning the accuracy of this time estimate or suggestions for making this form simpler, we would be happy to hear from you. You can write to the Internal Revenue Service, Tax Products Coordinating Committee, SE:W:CAR:MP:T:T:SP, 1111 Constitution Ave., NW, IR-6526, Washington, DC 20224. Do not send the tax form to this address. Instead, see *Where To File* on page 2.