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ANNOUNCES A FREE OPTION TO EFILE RETURNS ONLINE

Today, Atilla M. Taluy announced that resident taxpayers in the states of Arizona, Georgia, Michigan and Wisconsin will be able to use the OnLine facilities of FileYourTaxes.com to construct/prepare and eFile their Federal personal income tax returns free of charge as part of our program, FreeTax by FileYourTaxes.com. FileYourTaxes.com is a member of the recently formed Free File Alliance, LLC (Alliance) that is comprised of various tax software companies, united with the goal of making available free tax return services for at least sixty percent of the taxpayer population.

Atilla said, "As a good corporate neighbor, we are proud to be providing such an essential service to the taxpayers, even though we may be one of the smallest of businesses in the Alliance. The beneficiaries of the offer are free to use our OnLine system without restriction to enjoy the construction/preparation and eFiling functions to the fullest extent of our system. In the past, such services had been provided with the Government assistance and financial sponsorships. Whereas, these programs were targeting a certain limited demographic segment, the Alliance approach allows the nurturing of a more diverse coverage of the taxpayer spectrum."

Continuing, Atilla said, "FileYourTaxes.com is no stranger to providing free service. We were the first company ever to offer free tax return construction/preparation and eFiling services to nearly forty percent of the taxpayers of the state of California, through the innovative Direct Filing Portal. At this time, FileYourTaxes.com is the only company that provides free W-2 and 1099 filings to the small employers and limited free filings of California sales taxes and Federal quarterly wage reports to all filers. This is consistent with the free-Internet philosophy upon which the highly technical structure of FileYourTaxes.com was founded. FileYourTaxes.com may be the only remaining, truly OnLine company that participated in the original Internal Revenue Service OnLine Pilot program and has built this rapidly growing business specifically for the OnLine filer, rather than hastily modifying an existing product. In our growth and design, we are cognizant of the needs of all users. Therefore, our pages are virtually all html text based and can easily be translated for the purposes of individuals with special needs."

"Concurrent with the technical superiority of FileYourTaxes.com, we are very concerned and vigilant in protecting the privacy of taxpayer data, be it financial or demographic in nature. Both the physical and electronic security is continuously enforced. We are a certified participant of the BBBOnLine[®] Privacy Program and our site is secured by a VeriSign[®] SSL certificate."

Referring to the OMB Circular A-76, created by President Eisenhower and ratified thereafter by each president, Atilla added, "It pleases us that the Government shows adherence to A-76. In our opinion, Americans do not want the agencies of the Government to build their own small businesses, nestled in tax dollars, and unfairly competing with existing healthy industries. We hope all agencies, Federal and state, will adhere to such desirable guidelines. Further, we feel that this adherence is in full accord with the philosophy of Privatization articulated most timely by the current Bush Administration. We applaud and welcome this expression, not only from the standpoint of Government non-competition but also potentially as a strong, compelling parameter for our economic recovery."

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