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## FileYourTaxes.com EXPANDS THE FREE FILE TO COVER 50% OF AMERICAN TAXPAYERS IN GREATER NUMBER OF STATES

Today, Atilla M. Taluy announced that resident taxpayers in the states of Alabama, Arizona, California, Colorado, Delaware, Georgia, Illinois, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Michigan, Mississippi, Missouri, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, and Wisconsin, together with all taxpayers that were of age 18 and under on the last day of 2005 now qualify 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 the FreeTax by FileYourTaxes.com program. The IRS-Free File Alliance (FFA) agreement limits all FFA companies' offer to those taxpayers whose Adjusted Gross Income is not over \$50,000. FileYourTaxes.com is a member of the Alliance that is comprised of number of leading tax software companies, united with the goal of jointly making available free tax return services for up to seventy percent of the American taxpayer population.

Atilla said, "We were most pleased to have been a part of the Alliance which, in partnership with the IRS, served American taxpayers over the last three years and provided aggregate amount of approximately 11.4 Million free returns while sustaining a very healthy growth. The last year's growth rate alone was nearing 50% per year. This phenomenal growth could only be achieved with the public/private partnership of the IRS and an industry, described as 'innovative services' providers by IRS Commissioner Mark W. Everson. Such healthy growth rates are unequaled by any other eFiling programs.

We, as a small family owned business, now firmly believe that it is most appropriate and productive to work together with the public sector as partners to benefit the taxpayers, rather than having the government use precious tax dollars to build very expensive in-house businesses, competing, and potentially eliminating the small businesses, eroding the tax base, as the case may be in some states. This sentiment was also echoed recently by the US Senate. This partnership also helps maintain the accepted process of allowing the taxpayer to deal with the Government through third parties without intimidation, while benefiting the Government as the industry shoulders a great portion of the customer service burden associated with the filing process.

It is very important to note that, in addition to the state coverage, we have identified the youth as underserved in the tax arena. We feel that acting as a good corporate citizen, our contributed services will go a long way not only in mitigating the burden of cost for this demographic, but also by encouraging the young to partake in voluntary compliance through the electronic media, which we think will be mode of such processes rest of their lives. The fact that our offer does not contain abridged versions of software as may be the case of other companies, we feel that our site will have more universal appeal to the taxpayers.

Concurrent with our technical superiority, FileYourTaxes.com is very attentive and vigilant in protecting the privacy of taxpayer data be it financial or demographic in nature; continuously seeking higher levels of security and encryption methodologies. FileYourTaxes.com is one of the first few software providers/transmitters to use newly authorized, encrypted Telnet S transmission protocol to communicate with the IRS. Both the physical and electronic security is continuously enforced. FileYourTaxes.com is a certified participant of the BBB OnLine® Privacy Program, is in compliance with the PCI standards as tested with ScanAlert, Inc., and the website is secured by a VeriSign® SSL certificate.

Atilla concluded, saying "This season, as has been the case for about a decade in the past, we at FileYourTaxes.com look forward to benefit each and every American taxpayer with our comprehensive OnLine program with security, and guaranteed calculation accuracy."

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