

Lions Clubs and Reinstatement of Tax Exempt Status

Lions Clubs are required to file an annual return with the IRS. Failure to do so for 3 consecutive years results in the automatic revocation of the club's tax exempt status. This means that all income received by the club is subject to income tax. A club may apply for reinstatement as a tax-exempt organization to the IRS by filing Form 1024-A including attachments and the required fee. The fee will be \$600.

Instructions for Reinstatement

1. Go to www.IRS.gov
2. Download and print forms:
 - a. Forms 1024-A
 - b. Instructions for Form 1024-A
 - c. Form 8717
3. Read the instructions, fill out the 2 forms and file.