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RE: Preparation of 2019 Business Income Tax Returns

Dear Tax Client:

Happy New Year, and wishing you God's blessings in 2020. To those clients who are returning to us once again for tax preparation, we sincerely thank you for your past patronage and ask that you spread the word to your friends and family of our tax preparation services. To our new clients, we thank you in advance for your business and pledge to serve you with quality and professional customer service.

The IRS cutoff to file your 2019 federal business income tax return is as follows (contact our office directly to discuss dates to file your equivalent state returns):

1.) S-Corporations

Generally, an S-corporation must file its Form 1120-S income tax return and related K-1(s) to each shareholder by the 15th day of the 3rd month after the end of its tax year. For calendar-year filers, the cutoff date for 2019 S-corporation returns is **Monday, March 16, 2020** (the 15th in March 2020 falls on a Sunday).

2.) Partnerships & LLCs filing as Partnerships

Generally, a domestic partnership must file Form 1065 and related K-1(s) to each partner by the 15th day of the 3rd month following the date its tax year ended as shown at the top of Form 1065. For calendar-year filers, the cutoff date for 2019 partnership returns is **Monday, March 16, 2020** (the 15th in March 2020 falls on a Sunday).

3.) Corporations & LLCs filing as Corporations

Generally, a corporation must file its Form 1120 income tax return by the 15th day of the 4th month after the end of its tax year. For calendar-year filers, the cutoff date for 2019 corporation returns is **Wednesday, April 15, 2020**. However, a corporation with a fiscal tax year ending June 30 must file by the 15th day of the 3rd month after the end of its tax year.

4.) Sole Proprietors & LLCs filing as Sole Proprietors

Sole proprietors generally file schedule C as included in their 2019 Form 1040 personal income tax return which is due to be filed by **Wednesday, April 15, 2020**.

Please contact our office for preparation of your 2019 tax return at your earliest convenience, after you have received all necessary supporting documentation to prepare your return. Note that all federal and state tax returns prepared by our company will be electronically filed to the federal and state governments.

Please complete and submit the forms listed below with your documentation to prepare your return. These forms can be found on the following pages within the tab labeled "Documents" on our website **www.jptfinancial.com** :

1.) Client Data Form

Both new and existing clients are asked to complete the **Client Data Form** to ensure that we have complete up to date information for all our clients.

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2.) Engagement Contract

Please complete the required "Business Professional Services" **Engagement Contract**

3.) 2019 Tax Season Resources

Scroll to the section labelled **Business Client Resources** for required specific forms to be completed and submitted

4.) Direct Deposit & Electronic Funds Withdrawal Information

Complete this form to set up a direct deposit of your tax refund and/or electronic funds withdrawal from your bank account or credit card for the payment of any income tax liability if desired.

Your returns will be prepared solely on the basis of information submitted to us by you, the tax client.

IMPORTANT

In order for our firm to satisfy IRS requirements to sign-off and electronically file your return as a "paid preparer", it is **required** that clients remit payment for services prior to electronic transmission of your tax return. As such, payment to JPT Financial Solutions for your tax return **is due upon receipt or notification of the completed tax return**. A 1.5% monthly interest late fee will be reflected on all past due accounts over 15 days.

Thank you in advance for your kind assistance and for letting us be of service to you. If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact us.

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