



# Annette Ramirez

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## Application for Waiver of Special Inventory Tax Penalty

**This Act took effect September 1, 2011**

Per Texas Property Code Sec. 23.129 (b), a chief appraiser or collector may waive a penalty under Subsection (a) only if:

- (1) the taxpayer seeking the waiver files a **written application** for the waiver with the chief appraiser or collector, as applicable, **no later than the 30th day** after the date the declaration or statement, as applicable, was required to be filed;
- (2) the taxpayer's failure to file or failure to timely file the **declaration or statement** was a result of:
  - (A) a disaster that made it effectively impossible for the taxpayer to comply with the filing requirement; or
  - (B) an event beyond the control of the taxpayer that destroyed the taxpayer's property or records; and
- (3) the taxpayer is otherwise in compliance with this chapter.

**For questions, call (713) 274-8550.**

<b>Dealer Name:</b>	<b>Contact Name:</b>
<b>Dealer Number:</b>	<b>Contact Number:</b>
<b>HCAD Number:</b>	<b>E-mail Address:</b>

*A Request for Waiver of SIT Penalty is made for the following:*

<b>Type of Statement:</b>	<b>Month/Year of Statement:</b>	<b>Penalty Amount:</b>
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**REASON:**       **Natural Disaster**                       **Event beyond your control** *(such as: fire, theft, etc.)*

<b>Explanation:</b>

**Dealer Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*\*\* PLEASE PLACE THE DEALER NUMBER AND DEALER NAME ON ALL PAGES \*\*\*\***

Mail application to:  
**Harris County Tax Assessor-Collector  
& Voter Registrar  
P.O. Box 3486  
Houston, Texas 77253-3486  
or Fax to:  
713-368-2029**