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## CERTIFICATE OF EXEMPTION

WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY ONE BROOKINGS DRIVE ST. LOUIS, MO 63130

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE-NAMED INSTITUTION HAS QUALIFIED FOR EXEMPTION PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE RHODE ISLAND SALES AND USE TAX ACT, CHAPTER 18, TITLE 44, OF THE GENERAL LAWS OF 1956, AS AMENDED, AND IS ACCORDINGLY EXEMPT FROM THE PAYMENT OF THE SALES TAX ON SALES MADE TO IT AND FROM THE USE TAX ON THE STORAGE, USE OR OTHER CONSUMPTION OF TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY BY IT.

R. GARY CLARK
TAX ADMINISTRATOR

BY:

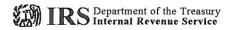
LLOYD J. MENARD, JR. CHIEF REVENUE AGENT

FIELD AUDIT SERVICES

CERTIFICATE NUMBER: 10251

DATE ISSUED : October 26, 2004

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Employer Identification Number: 43-0653611
Person to Contact: MS. MARTIN
Toll Free Telephone Number: 1-877-829-5500

Dear Taxpayer:

This is in response to your Sep. 04, 2014, request for information regarding your tax-exempt status.

Our records indicate that you were recognized as exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code in a determination letter issued in August 1933.

Our records also indicate that you are not a private foundation within the meaning of section 509(a) of the Code because you are described in section(s) 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(ii).

Donors may deduct contributions to you as provided in section 170 of the Code. Bequests, legacies, devises, transfers, or gifts to you or for your use are deductible for Federal estate and gift tax purposes if they meet the applicable provisions of sections 2055, 2106, and 2522 of the Code.

Please refer to our website www.irs.gov/eo for information regarding filing requirements. Specifically, section 6033(j) of the Code provides that failure to file an annual information return for three consecutive years results in revocation of tax-exempt status as of the filing due date of the third return for organizations required to file. We will publish a list of organizations whose tax-exempt status was revoked under section 6033(j) of the Code on our website beginning in early 2011.

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If you have any questions, please call us at the telephone number shown in the heading of this letter.

Sincerely yours,

Kim D. Bailey

Operations Manager, AM Operations 3