

New York State Department of Taxation and Finance

# **Fuel Use Tax Refund for B20 Fuel**

IFTA-116

International Fuel Tax Agreement (IFTA)

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**Certification:** I, the claimant, or an officer or authorized representative of the claimant, do hereby make application for refund of the fuel use tax. I certify that this refund claim and any attachments are to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, correct, and complete, and that no refund of any part of this claim has been claimed from another jurisdiction. I make these statements with the knowledge that knowingly making a false or fraudulent statement on this document is a misdemeanor under section 210.45 of the Penal Law, punishable by imprisonment for up to a year and a fine of up to \$5,000.

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# Instructions

#### **General information**

Use this form only if you have an International Fuel Tax Agreement (IFTA) license.

You may use this form to apply for a refund of fuel use tax for purchases of B20 in other jurisdictions that are consumed in New York. For purchases of B20 within New York on or after September 1, 2006, you may be required to adjust your *Tax-paid gallons* on your IFTA report for New York. See TSB-M-06(4)M, IFTA Reporting Requirements for the Consumption of B20 in New York State, for additional information.

Attach a copy of the IFTA tax return(s) for each applicable quarterly period and a copy of the sales invoices or, preferably, monthly statements of B20 purchased in jurisdictions for which you are claiming a refund.

You must keep the original invoices for a minimum of four years.

#### **Definitions**

*B20* means a mixture consisting by volume of 20% biodiesel, and the remainder of which is diesel motor fuel.

Biodiesel means either qualified biodiesel or unqualified biodiesel.

Qualified biodiesel means a diesel motor fuel substitute produced from nonpetroleum renewable resources that meets the registration requirements for fuels and fuel additives established by the Environmental Protection agency under section 211 of the Clean Air Act (42 USC 7545) and that meets the ASTM International active standard D6751 for biodiesel fuel.

Unqualified biodiesel means a diesel motor fuel substitute produced from nonpetroleum renewable resources that does not meet the ASTM International active standard D6751 for biodiesel fuel.

## When and where to file

Your claim for refund must be filed within 49 months following the end of the reporting period for which you are claiming a refund.

Mail to: NYS TAX DEPARTMENT

TDAB/IFTA

W A HARRIMAN CAMPUS

**ALBANY NY 12227** 

## Private delivery services

If you choose, you may use a private delivery service, instead of the U.S. Postal Service, to mail in your return and tax payment. However, if, at a later date, you need to establish the date you filed your return or paid your tax, you cannot use the date recorded by a private delivery service unless you used a delivery service that has been designated by the U.S. Secretary of the Treasury or the Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. (Currently designated delivery services are listed in Publication 55, Designated Private Delivery Services. See Need help? below for information on obtaining forms and publications.) If you have used a designated private delivery service and need to establish the date you filed your return, contact that private delivery service for instructions on how to obtain written proof of the date your return was given to the delivery service for delivery.

#### Line instructions

#### Computation of refund

We presume that B20 is consumed in the jurisdiction where the B20 was purchased. If you purchased B20 in a greater amount

than the total gallons of diesel fuel used in that jurisdiction during any quarter, the excess amount of B20 purchased is presumed to be used in other jurisdictions and must be prorated to each jurisdiction.

**Line 2** — Enter the quarter ending date (mm/dd/yyyy). Each quarter must be determined and reported separately.

**Line 3** — Enter the number of B20 gallons purchased in the jurisdiction on line 1. Attach a copy of the invoices to this refund application.

**Line 4** — Enter the number of gallons of diesel fuel consumed in the jurisdiction on line 1 as shown on your IFTA tax return. Attach a copy of the IFTA tax return(s) to this refund application. If line 4 exceeds line 3, you are not eligible for a refund.

**Line 14** — Enter the New York diesel rate for the quarterly period for which you are requesting a refund. You may obtain this rate from the IFTA, Inc. Web site at www.iftach.org.

**Line 15** — For the quarter July 1, 2006, through September 30, 2006, enter 0.0234; for all other quarters, enter 20% (0.2) of line 14.

### Paid preparer

If you pay someone to prepare Form IFTA-116, the paid preparer must also sign it and fill in the other blanks in the paid preparer's area. If someone prepares Form IFTA-116 for you and does not charge you, that person should not sign it.

Note to paid preparers — When signing Form IFTA-116, you must enter your New York tax preparer registration identification number (NYTPRIN) if you are required to have one. (Information on the New York State Tax Preparer Registration Program is available on our Web site.) Also, you must enter your federal preparer tax identification number (PTIN) if you have one; if not, you must enter your social security number (SSN). (PTIN information is available at www.irs.gov.)

#### **Privacy notification**

The Commissioner of Taxation and Finance may collect and maintain personal information pursuant to the New York State Tax Law, including but not limited to, sections 5-a, 171, 171-a, 287, 308, 429, 475, 505, 697, 1096, 1142, and 1415 of that Law; and may require disclosure of social security numbers pursuant to 42 USC 405(c)(2)(C)(i).

This information will be used to determine and administer tax liabilities and, when authorized by law, for certain tax offset and exchange of tax information programs as well as for any other lawful purpose.

Information concerning quarterly wages paid to employees is provided to certain state agencies for purposes of fraud prevention, support enforcement, evaluation of the effectiveness of certain employment and training programs and other purposes authorized by law.

Failure to provide the required information may subject you to civil or criminal penalties, or both, under the Tax Law.

This information is maintained by the Manager of Document Management, NYS Tax Department, W A Harriman Campus, Albany NY 12227; telephone (518) 457-5181.

# Need help?



Internet access: www.tax.ny.gov

(for information, forms, and publications)



Miscellaneous Tax Information Center: (518) 457-5735

To order forms and publications: (518) 457-5431



#### **Text Telephone (TTY) Hotline**

(for persons with hearing and speech disabilities using a TTY):

(518) 485-5082