



## **State of Florida**

Attached is a copy of the Consumer's Certificate of Exemption for the state of Florida. To obtain exemption from sales taxes, a copy of this certificate must be given to the supplier at the time of sale of property or services rendered.

Purchases must be paid for with either an IEEE Purchase Card or a check from IEEE, or IEEE Conference, Section, or other IEEE organizational unit bank account. Tax exempt purchases cannot be paid for with cash, personal checks, or personal credit cards.

If you have any further questions, please send an email to: [tax-compliance@ieee.org](mailto:tax-compliance@ieee.org)



## Consumer's Certificate of Exemption

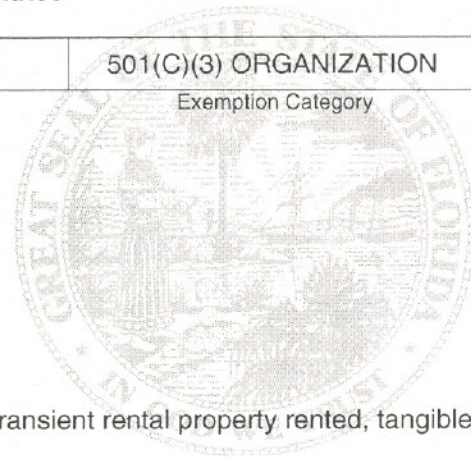
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85-8013343251C-9	08/31/2005	08/31/2010	501(C)(3) ORGANIZATION
Certificate Number	Effective Date	Expiration Date	Exemption Category

This certifies that

THE INSTITUTE OF ELECTRICAL AND  
ELECTRONIC ENGINEERS INC  
3 PARK AVE FL 17  
NEW YORK NY 10016-5902



is exempt from the payment of Florida sales and use tax on real property rented, transient rental property rented, tangible personal property purchased or rented, or services purchased.



## Important Information for Exempt Organizations

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1. You must provide all vendors and suppliers with an exemption certificate before making tax-exempt purchases. See Rule 12A-1.039, Florida Administrative Code (FAC).
2. Your *Consumer's Certificate of Exemption* is to be used solely by your organization for your organization's customary nonprofit activities.
3. Purchases made by an individual on behalf of the organization are taxable, even if the individual will be reimbursed by the organization.
4. This exemption applies only to purchases your organization makes. The sale or lease to others by your organization of tangible personal property, sleeping accommodations or other real property is taxable. Your organization must register, and collect and remit sales and use tax on such taxable transactions. Note: Churches are exempt from this requirement except when they are the lessor of real property (Rule 12A-1.070, FAC).
5. It is a criminal offense to fraudulently present this certificate to evade the payment of sales tax. Under no circumstances should this certificate be used for the personal benefit of any individual. Violators will be liable for payment of the sales tax plus a penalty of 200% of the tax, and may be subject to conviction of a third degree felony. Any violation will necessitate the revocation of this certificate.
6. If you have questions regarding your exemption certificate, please contact the Exemption Unit of Central Registration at 850-487-4130. The mailing address is 5050 West Tennessee Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0100.