Ask a Tax Expert Service Agreement

Please review the terms and conditions in this Ask a Tax Expert Service Agreement and the Ask a Tax Expert FAQs (together, the "Agreement"), <u>before selecting</u> the Ask a Tax Expert service (the "Service"). By checking "I agree" you are accepting the terms and conditions in this Agreement between you and Intuit Canada. <u>Once</u> you have added the Service to your order, you will not be able to change your order and remove the Service.

You understand that as part of the Service, an Intuit tax advisor will answer your questions related to Canadian Federal and Provincial tax laws for individual Form T1 returns. Our tax advisor can also help you enter the information related to your question in the right place within your TurboTaxproduct. The Service does not cover questions related to the other areas listed in the Ask a Tax Expert FAQ's, and the Service will be available for a limited period of time until May 2, 2011.

Be advised that any federal or provincial tax advice given to you, including anything provided to you in writing, was not intended or written to be used, and it cannot be used, by any person or entity for the purpose of avoiding penalties imposed under the Canada Income Tax Act.

After receiving your question via the web, an Intuit tax advisor will send you a confirming e-mail. The tax advisor will research your issue then attempt to contact you by phone within the amount of time specified on the submission website. When you speak with the tax advisor, your question will be confirmed; and the advisor will respond to the question you have submitted. Should the tax advisor be unable to contact you after two (2) attempts during our hours of operation, an e-mail response will be sent to you and your case will be closed.

NOTE: As the tax filing deadline approaches the volume of calls to Intuit will significantly increase, therefore, we may deliver your response via email instead of by phone. Intuit will make every effort whether by phone or email to have your question answered by one of its tax advisors.

The tax advice provided to you by the tax advisors will be based on information you provide to the advisor. You understand and agree that the advisor is not able to verify the information you provide, and that if you provide incorrect or incomplete information the advice provided to you may not be accurate. You understand and agree that the tax advisor will not review your tax return and will not sign your tax return.

If your tax question is not answered to your satisfaction, we will refund the amount you paid for the Service. Simply, contact our Customer Service team at (1 780 665 8630or email us at turbotaxsupportcanada@intuit.com or soutienimpotrapide@intuit.com within 60 days of your receipt of the original confirmation e-mail to request your refund.

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The limitations of damages or liability and the disclaimers of warranties set forth in this Agreement are fundamental elements of the basis of the bargain between Intuit and you. You acknowledge and agree that Intuit would not be able to provide the Service on an economic basis without such limitations and that Intuit has set its prices for the Service in reliance upon such limitations of damages and liability and disclaimers of warranties.

The details of Intuit's online privacy promise are available here.

Miscellaneous. This Agreement is a complete statement of the agreement between you and Intuit, and sets forth the entire liability of Intuit and its advisors and your exclusive remedy with respect to the Service. The Intuit advisors and employees are not authorized to make modifications to this Agreement, or to make any additional representations, commitments, or warranties binding on Intuit. Any waiver of the terms herein by Intuit must be in a writing signed by an authorized officer of Intuit and expressly referencing the applicable provisions of this Agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is invalid or unenforceable under applicable law, then it shall be, to that extent, deemed omitted and the remaining provisions will continue in full force and effect. This Agreement will be governed by Alberta law as applied to agreements entered into and to be performed entirely within Alberta, without regard to its choice of law or conflicts of law principles, and applicable federal law. The parties hereby consent to the exclusive jurisdiction and venue in the Provincial and federal courts in Edmonton County, Alberta. Intuit may assign or transfer this Agreement without your consent to (a) an Affiliate, (b) another company through a sale of assets by Intuit or (c) a successor by merger. Headings are included for convenience only, and shall not be considered in interpreting this Agreement.

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