

5801 SOUTH ELLIS AVENUE, SUITE 501 CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60637

KINERET S. JAFFE Secretary of the Board of Trustees

CERTIFICATE

I, the undersigned, KINERET S. JAFFE, Do Hereby Certify that I am the duly elected and qualified Secretary of the Board of Trustees of The University of Chicago, an Illinois not-for-profit corporation, and the keeper of the corporate seal and records of the said corporation.

I do further certify that the attached copy of a letter from the U.S. Treasury Department to The University of Chicago, dated October 26, 2006, regarding the University's tax-exempt status, is a true and correct copy of the original letter on file in the office of the Secretary of the Board of Trustees of said corporation.

I do further certify that each of the rulings described herein is still in full force and effect, that there has been no change in the purpose, character, or method of operation of the said corporation that would adversely affect its tax-exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code or its nonprivate foundation status under Section 509(a) of the Code, and that the said corporation is presently classified under Section 509(a)(1) of the Code as an organization described in Section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii) of the Code.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the said corporation, this 17th day of January, 2007.

KINERET S. JAFFE

Secretary of the Board of Trustees THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO Internal Revenue Service

Date: October 26, 2006

UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO 1225 E 60TH ST CHICAGO IL 60637 Department of the Treasury
P. O. Box 2508
Cincinnati, OH 45201

Person to Contact:
Cheryl Skaggs 31-04010
Correspondence Specialist/Screener
Toil Free Telephone Number:
877-829-5500
Federal Identification Number:
38-2177139

Dear Sir or Madam:

This is in response to your request of October 26, 2006, regarding your organization's tax-exempt status.

In October 1951 we issued a determination letter that recognized your organization as exempt from federal income tax. Our records indicate that your organization is currently exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Our records indicate that your organization is also classified as a school under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(ii) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Our records indicate that contributions to your organization are deductible under section 170 of the Code, and that you are qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, devises, transfers or gifts under section 2055, 2106 or 2522 of the internal Revenue Code.

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

Sincerety,

Janua K. Skufea.

Janna K. Skufca, Director, TE/GE Customer Account Services

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I do further certify that the attached copy of a letter from the U.S. Treasury Department to The University of Chicago, dated October 25, 1951, which contains the ruling that the said corporation is exempt from Federal income tax under the provisions of Section 101(6) of the Internal Revenue Code (now section 501(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986), and corresponding provisions of prior Revenue Acts, is a true and correct copy of the original letter on file in the office of the Secretary of the Board of Trustees of said corporation.

I do further certify that the attached copy of a letter dated October 20, 1970, from the Internal Revenue Service to The University of Chicago, which contains the ruling that the said corporation is classified as an organization that is not a private foundation as defined in Section 509(a) of the Internal Revenue Code, is a true and correct copy of the original letter on file in the Office of the Secretary of the Board of Trustees of the said corporation.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the said corporation, this 26th day of July, 2000.

KINERET S. JAFFE

Secretary of the Board of Trustees

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the said corporation, this 11th day of November, 1998.

KINERET S. JAFFE

Secretary of the Board of Trustees
THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO



NEIL F. HARTIGAN

ATTORNEY GENERAL STATE OF ILLINOIS CHICAGO

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October 2, 1986

The University of Chicago and The College of The University of Chicago Attn; Richard A. Zansitis, Office of Legal Counsel 5801 Ellis Avenue Chicago, Illinois 60637

RE: EXEMPT STATUS OF The University of Chicago and The College of The University of Chicago under the Illinois Charitable Trust Act and Illinois Solicitation Act

Dear Mr Zansitis:

Based on the information supplied and assuming your operation will be as stated, you are not required to register with the Attorney General under the Illinois Solicitation Act. The reason for this exemption is that the organization is actually and exclusively involved in the operation of an educational institution and has the necssary accreditation.

This exemption is applicable only for the above-named educational organization. Any other organization that represents to the public that any part of its funds are devoted to a charitable purpose must contact the Attorney General for a determination of its status under the Illinois Charitable Organization Laws.

Please keep this determination letter in your permanent records and attach a copy to your bingo or charitable games license application.

If you have further questions, please contact Mr. Richard Jones, of this Division, at 312-917-2595.

Very trply yours,

CHRISTINE HEHMEYER ROSSO, Chief Charitable Trusts and Solicitations Division 100 W. Randolph St., 12th Floor Chicago, Illinois 60601

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District Director

Internal Revenue Service

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Puniversity Of Chicago 5801 South Ellis Avenue Chicago, Ellinois 6063

Gentlemen:

On the basis of your statement and the information recently submitted regarding the admissions policy of your institution, and the publicating thereof, and with the understanding that such policies will remain in effect, we confirm the exempt status of your institution under Internal Revenue Code, Section 501(a), as an organization described in Section 501(c)(3).

This confirmation does not preclude a recvalisation of your admissions policy at a later date. It also does not preclude an examination of the operations of your institution to determine if the policy as described in your statement is being implemented.

Yeary truly yours,

Matrict Director



internal Revenue Service Washington, DG 20224

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In reply refer to:

THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO 5801 SOUTH ELLIS AVENUE CHICAGO + ILL

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Gentlemen:

Based on the information you recently submitted, we have classified you as an organization that is not a private foundation as defined in section 509(a) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Your classification is based on the assumption that your operations will be as stated in your notification. Any changes in your purposes, character, or method of operation must be reported to your District Director so he may consider the effect on your status.

Sincerely yours,

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Chief, Rulings Section
Exempt Organizations Branch

FORM M-0714 (8-70) (CONTINUOUS)



U. S. TREASURY DEPARTMENT WASHINGTON 25

COMMISSIONER OF INTERNAL REVENUE

ASSESSED REPLY TO CONTRACT OF STEEDING REVENUE.

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The University of Chicago 5801 Ellis Avenue Chicago 37, Illinois

Gentlemen:

It is the opinion of this office, based upon the evidence presented, that you are exempt from Federal income tax under the provisions of section 101(6) of the Internal Revenue Code and corresponding provisions of prior revenue acts, as it is shown that you are organized and operated exclusively for educational purposes.

Accordingly, you will not be required to file income tax returns unless you change the character of your organization, the purposes for which you were organized, or your method of operation. Any such changes should be reported immediately to the collector of internal revenue for your district in order that their effect upon your exampt status may be daterained.

Contributions made to you are deductible by the donors in computing their taxable net income in the manner and to the extent provided by section 23(o) and (q) of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, and corresponding provisions of prior revenue acts.

Bequests, legacies, devises or transfers, to or for your use are deductible in computing the value of the net estate of a decedent for estate tax purposes in the manner and to the extent provided by sections 812(d) and 861(a)(3) of the Code and/or corresponding provisions of prior revenue acts. Gifts of property to you are deductible in computing net gifts for gift tax purposes in the manner and to the extent provided in section 1004(a)(2)(B) and 1004(b)(2) and (3) of the Code and corresponding provisions of prior revenue acts.

It will not be necessary for you to file the annual return of information, Form 9904, generally required of organizations except under section 101 of the Internal Revenue Orde, as you come within the specific exceptions contained in section 54(f) of the Code.

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Treasury . Internal Revenue, Washington, D.C.

The University of Chicago

In the event you have not filed a waiver of exemption certificate in accordance with the provisions of section 1426(1) of the Code, no liability is incurred by your organization for the taxes imposed under the Federal Insurance Contributions Act. Tax liability is not incurred by your organization under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act by virtue of the provisions of section 1607(c)(8) of such Act.

The collector of internal revenue for your district is being advised of this action.

Bureau rulings of July 15, 1933 and April 18, 1938 are hereby affirmed.

This ruling is also applicable to the University of Chicago Trustees Fund which is one of the funds held by you for the carrying out of your corporate purposes.

By direction of the Commissioner.

Very truly yours,

Deputy Commissioner

Form 6991-2 (912-M-1 Rev. Dec. 1950)

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