Injured Spouse Instructions

This information applies only to taxes intercepted by the Office of State Debt Collection (OSDC)

If you are married, filed a joint return, and you had your state tax refund taken by the OSDC for a debt that your spouse individually owes, you may claim your part of a state tax refund if ALL of the following apply:

1. You received and reported income, such as wages, taxable interest, etc., on the joint return,
2. You had Utah income tax withheld from your wages; and
3. You were not married to your spouse when the debt was incurred.

The OSDC requires the following information from you to apply for injured spouse relief. If ALL of the above conditions apply and you want your share of the overpayment shown on the joint return refunded, you must:

• attach a completed form 8379 (Injured Spouse Allocation)
• attach a copy of your marriage license
• attach copies of your complete federal and state tax income tax returns
• attach copies of W-2, 1099 and other forms showing all Utah withholding amounts
• include a copy of the letter from OSDC that informed you that your tax refund was intercepted

Injured Spouse Printed Name ________________________________________________

Unsigned forms will be rejected.

Injured Spouse Signature and Date ____________________________________________

Mail or Fax all of this information to:
Office of State Debt Collection
P.O. Box 141001
Salt Lake City UT 84114-1001
Phone: 801-957-7700 Fax: 385-465-6011

Note: This information must be received by the OSDC within 20 days from the date your tax refund was intercepted. Any requests not received within 20 days will be rejected. The OSDC reserves the right to reject any request for injured spouse relief. If injured spouse relief is granted, the refund will be allocated and your share will be refunded. Please allow 3 to 4 weeks for processing.

This notice is from a state agency that collects debts. Any information obtained may be used for the purpose of collecting debt.