### 2012

## FORM 2070AC 0007

DIVISION OF REVENUE 820 North French St. P.O. Box 8911 Wilm., DE 19899-8911

# APPLICATION AND COMPUTATION SCHEDULE FOR CLAIMING DELAWARE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT TAX CREDITS

FORM 2070AC MUST BE COMPLETED AND SUBMITTED ON OR BEFORE SEPTEMBER  $15^{\mathrm{TH}}$  AFTER THE END OF THE TAXABLE YEAR DURING WHICH THE QUALIFIED RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES WERE MADE.

PART A NAME AND ADDRESS  1. Federal Employer Identification Number: 1 -				TAX PERIOD ENDING DATE (MM/DD/YY)	
••	OR Social Security Number: 2 -			//	
2.	Name of Taxpayer				
3.	Address				
4.	Delaware Address (if different from above				
5.	Contact Person	Telephone Number	Fax Number	E-mail Address	
PA	RT B – DELAWARE RESEARCH & DEVELO	OPMENT ELECTION AND COM	PUTATION		
CC TH AT	ELECT A METHOD TO COMPUTE THE DE DMPUTE THE CREDIT. THE METHOD USE IE ELECTION IS INDEPENDENT OF THE TACH A COPY OF FEDERAL FROM 676 EASE ATTACH A PROFORMA FORM 6765	D TO COMPUTE THE DELAWA METHOD USED TO COMPUT 5 TO THIS APPLICATION. IF	ARE RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENTE THE FEDERAL RESEARCH & CONSOLIDATED CORPORATE	NT CREDIT IS AN ANNUAL ELECTION.  LE DEVELOPMENT CREDIT. PLEASE	
METHOD A – Ten percent of the excess of the taxpayer's total Delaware qualified research and development expenses for the taxable year over the taxpayer's Delaware base amount.					
1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9.	Total Delaware qualified R&D expenses for Total Delaware gross receipts for the 4 year Delaware Fixed Based Percentage. Divide Average annual gross receipts for the 4 year Delaware Base Amount. Multiply Line 3 by Total Delaware qualified R&D expenses for Subtract Line 5 from Line 6 Multiply Line 6 by 50% Enter the smaller of Line 7 or Line 8	rs preceding the credit year Line 1 by Line 2 ars preceding the credit year Line 4 the credit year	year	\$% \$% \$% \$	
	_ METHOD B – Fifty percent of Delaware alternative incremental cre methodology.			pment tax credit calculated using the of 1986, using federal definitions and	
1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6.	Federal Alternative Incremental Credit from Delaware qualified R&D expenses for the credit Total qualified R&D expenses for the credit Divide Line 2 by Line 3 Multiply Line 1 by Line 4 Delaware R&D Credit. Multiply Line 5 by 5	redit year year		\$ \$% \$%	
ST	TOP: IF THE BUSINESS ENTITY FOR C CORPORATION – Enter the Delaware R. S. CORPORATION – Multiply the Delaware Delaware Income Tax Credit Schedule, Line PARTNERSHIP – Multiply the Delaware R8 Credit Schedule, Line 10(c).  INDIVIDUAL & SOLE PROPRIETOR – Enter	&D Credit on Form 700, Delaware re R&D Credit by the percentage 10(b). &D Credit by the percentage owner.	e Income Tax Credit Schedule, Line ge of stock owned by each share ership of each partner. Enter the re	holder. Enter the result on Form 700, sult on Form 700, Delaware Income Tax	
	NAME	TITL	LE	DATE	

## GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETION OF FORM 2070AC 0007

The Delaware Division of Revenue must first approve any taxpayer electing to qualify for the Delaware Research & Development Tax Credits. After receiving tax credit approval from the Delaware Division of Revenue, the amount of approved credit on Delaware Form 2070AC must be transferred to the appropriate line on Delaware Form 700. Delaware Forms 700 and 2070AC must be attached to each annual income tax return approved for the credit. If you need assistance completing this form, please contact Steve Seidel, DE Division of Revenue, 820 N. French Street, Wilmington, DE 19801, 302-577-8455, <a href="mailto:stephen.seidel@state.de.us">stephen.seidel@state.de.us</a>.

### SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS

SELECT A METHOD TO COMPUTE THE DELAWARE RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT CREDIT. ONLY ONE METHOD MAY BE SELECTED TO COMPUTE THE CREDIT. PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF FEDERAL FORM 6765 TO THIS APPLICATION. IF A CONSOLIDATED CORPORATE INCOME TAX RETURN IS FILED, PLEASE ATTACH A PROFORMA FEDERAL FORM 6765 FOR THE CORPORATE APPLICANT.

METHOD A – TEN PERCENT OF THE EXCESS OF THE TAXPAYER'S TOTAL DELAWARE QUALIFIED RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES FOR THE TAXABLE YEAR OVER THE TAXPAYER'S DELAWARE BASE AMOUNT.

- Line 1. Enter the total Delaware qualified research & development expenses for the four years immediately preceding the credit year.
- Line 2. Enter the total Delaware gross receipts for the four years immediately preceding the credit year.
- Line 3. Divide Line 1 by Line 2. This is the Delaware Fixed Base Percentage.
- Line 4. Enter the average annual gross receipts for the four years immediately preceding the credit year.
- Line 5. Multiply Line 3 by Line 4. This is the Delaware Base Amount.
- Line 6. Enter the total Delaware qualified research & development expenses for the credit year.
- Line 7. Subtract Line 5 from Line 6. If the result is zero or less, enter zero.
- Line 8. Multiply Line 6 by 50%.
- Line 9. Enter the smaller of Line 7 or Line 8.
- Line 10. This is your Delaware Research & Development Credit. Multiply Line 9 by 10%.

METHOD B – FIFTY PERCENT OF DELAWARE'S APPORTIONED SHARE OF TAXPAYER'S FEDERAL RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT TAX CREDIT CALCULATED USING THE ALTERNATIVE INCREMENTAL CREDIT METHOD UNDER SECTION 41(C)(4) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986, USING FEDERAL DEFINITIONS AND METHODOLOGY.

- Line 1. Enter the Federal Alternative Incremental Credit from Line 39, Federal Form 6765.
- Line 2. Enter the Delaware qualified research & development expenses for the credit year.
- Line 3. Enter all qualified research & development expenses for the credit year.
- Line 4. Divide Line 2 by Line 3.
- Line 5. Multiply Line 1 by Line 4.
- Line 6. This is your Delaware Research & Development Credit. Multiply Line 5 by 50%.

#### STOP: IF THE BUSINESS ENTITY FOR WHICH THE CREDIT HAS BEEN APPROVED IS:

- C CORPORATION Enter the Delaware R&D Credit on Form 700, Delaware Income Tax Credit Schedule, Line 10(a).
- <u>S CORPORATION</u> Multiply the Delaware R&D Credit by the percentage of stock owned by each shareholder. Enter the result on Form 700, Delaware Income Tax Credit Schedule, Line 10(b).
- <u>PARTNERSHIP</u> Multiply the Delaware R&D Credit by the percentage ownership of each partner. Enter the result on Form 700, Delaware Income Tax Credit Schedule, Line 10(c).
- INDIVIDUAL & SOLE PROPRIETOR Enter the Delaware R&D Credit on Form 700, Delaware Income Tax Credit Schedule, Line 10(d).

THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF CREDITS APPROVED BY THE DIRECTOR WITH RESPECT TO ALL APPLICANTS FOR THE RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT TAX CREDITS SHALL NOT EXCEED \$5,000,000 IN ANY FISCAL YEAR. IF THE AMOUNT OF RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT TAX CREDITS FOR WHICH ALL TAXPAYERS APPLIED IN ANY FISCAL YEAR EXCEEDS \$5,000,000, THEN THE RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT TAX CREDITS TO BE RECEIVED BY EACH APPLICANT SHALL BE THE PRODUCT OF \$5,000,000 MULTIPLIED BY A FRACTION, THE NUMERATOR OF WHICH IS THE ELIGIBLE RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT TAX APPLIED FOR BY THE APPLICANT AND THE DENOMINATOR IS THE TOTAL OF ALL ELIGIBLE RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT TAX CREDITS APPLIED FOR BY ALL APPLICANTS.