LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT of REVENUE

Solar Energy Income Tax Credit for Individuals and Businesses

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Name of Taxpayer/Entity claiming credit Social Security No./Entity Lu		Social Security No./Entity Louis	siana F	Revenue A	ccount No.
Name of Taxpayer's spouse (if joint individual income tax return) Spouse's Social			f joint in	dividual inc	ome tax return)
Taxpayer residence address (if individual income tax return) or Business address					
Cit	City State ZIP				
	Total Avail	able Credit			
1	Complete a worksheet, from page 2A or 2B, for each solar ener amounts from Line 6 or Line 14 (Purchased Systems) or Line 14 whichever is applicable. If multiple worksheets are used, enter t	4 (Leased Systems),	1		
2	Share of qualifying tax credit from partnerships, trusts or small (Number of units) Name of Entity:) Louisiana Revenue Acct No:		2		
3	Total Credit Available to the taxpayer (Add Lines 1 and 2.)		3		

LSA-R.S. 47:6030 provides for a credit against income tax for the purchase and installation of a solar electric system hereinafter referred to as "system". The credit may be claimed by an individual at a single-family detached residence located in this state or by a third-party owner through a lease with the owner of a single-family detached residence located in this state. The credit may also be claimed in cases where the resident individual purchased a newly constructed home located in Louisiana that had such a system already installed. However, only one tax credit with respect to each residence is allowed and no other tax credit will be allowed for any other system installed at that residence. See Revenue Information Bulletin No.13-026 and 15-026 and LAC 61:I.1907 for additional information regarding additional requirements and restrictions.

System components purchased on or after July 1, 2013 must be compliant with the "Buy American" requirements of the federal American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA). See Revenue Information Bulletin 13-013 for more information.

The tax credit for a purchased system is equal to 50% of the first \$25,000 of the cost of a solar electric system if installed before July 1, 2015. If the system was purchased and installed on or after July 1, 2015, the credit is equal to the lesser of \$2.00 per watt, 50% of the first \$25,000 of the purchase and installation costs or \$10,000.

The tax credit for a **leased system** installed in 2015 is equal to 38% of the first \$20,000 of eligible cost. For the purpose of determining the cost basis of the credit for a leased system, the eligible cost is \$3.50 per watt limited to 6 kilowatts for a system purchased and installed on or after July 1, 2014 and before July 1, 2015 and \$2.00 per watt limited to 6 kilowatts for a system purchased and installed on or after July 1, 2015 and before July 1, 2015 and \$2.00 per watt limited to 6 kilowatts for a system purchased and installed on or after July 1, 2015 and before July 1, 2018.

If you received this credit through an interest in a partnership, trust, or small business corporation, please retain copies of the Schedule K-1 or other document that support your share of the distributed credit amount entered on line 2 above.

This credit may be used in addition to any federal credits earned for the same system, but the taxpayer is prohibited from using any other state tax benefit for property for which the credit is claimed.

Declaration	
I declare that to the best of my knowledge of all available information, this refund clastatutes, rules and regulations, and any other policy pronouncements related to the solar	
Signature of Taxpayer, Entity Officer or Other (for other, attach power of attorney)	Date (mm/dd/yyyy)
Signature of Spouse (if joint return)	Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

Please complete a separate worksheet and supplemental information sheet for each solar energy system for which you are requesting credit. Attach each worksheet to page 1.



Solar Energy Income Tax

Purchased Systems (Credit Code 64F) Worksheet

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Name of Taxpayer/Entity claiming credit	Social Security No.	Social Security No. /Entity Louisiana Revenue Account No.		
Name of Taxpayer's spouse (if joint individual income tax return)	Spouse's Social Security No. (if joint individual income tax return)		ncome tax return)	
Physical address of location where system installed	City	State	ZIP	
		LA		
□ Solar Electric System □ Solar A/C*				
Date the installation of the energy system was completed (mm/dd/yyyy) in a Louisiana residence.				
Contractor's Name Contractor's Louisiana License Number				

	Computation of the Credit			
1	Cost of new system equipment	1		
2	Cost of new system installation	2		
3	Taxes associated with new system	3		
4	Total (Add Lines 1 through 3.)	4		
5	Enter the smaller of \$25,000 or the amount on Line 4. If the system installation was completed on or after July 1, 2015, skip Line 6 and go to Line 7. If not, go to Line 6.	5		
6	Multiply Line 5 by 50% (.50). This is your credit.	6		
7	Enter the smaller of Line 4 or \$20,000.	7		
8	Multiply Line 7 by 50% (.50).	8		
9	Enter the sum of the nameplate kW of all of the photovoltaic panels in the system.	9		
10	Multiply Line 9 by 1,000.	10		
11	Multiply Line 10 by \$2.00.	11		
12	Enter the smaller of the amount on Line 8 or Line 11. This is your credit.	12		



Solar Energy Income Tax Leased Systems (Credit Code 74F) Worksheet

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Name of Taxpayer/Entity claiming credit	Social Security No. /Entity Louisiana Revenue Account No.			
Name of Taxpayer's spouse (if joint individual income tax return)	Spouse's Social Security No. (if joint individual income tax return)			
Physical address of location where system installed	City	State	ZIP	
		LA		
Solar Electric System Solar A/C*				
Date the installation of the energy system was completed(mm/dd/yyyy) in a Louisiana residence.			residence.	
Contractor's Name	Contractor's Louisiana License Number			

	Computation of the Credit			
1	Cost of new system equipment	1		
2	Cost of new system installation	2		
3	Taxes associated with new system	3		
4	Total (Add Lines 1 through 3.)	4		
5	Enter the smaller of \$20,000 or the amount on Line 4.	5		
6	Enter the sum of the nameplate kW of all of the photovoltaic panels in the system.	6		
7	Multiply Line 6 by 1,000.	7		
8	Enter the smaller of \$6,000 or the amount on Line 7.	8		
9	If the system installation was completed during the period from 01/01/2015 to 06/30/2015, enter \$3.50. If the installation was completed during the period from 07/01/2015 to 12/31/2018, enter \$2.00.	9		
10	Multiply Line 8 by Line 9.	10		
11	Enter the smaller of Line 5 or Line 10.	11		
12	Multiply Line 11 by 38% (.38). This is your credit.	12		



Solar Energy Income Tax Credit Supplemental Information

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Name of Taxpayer/Entity claiming credit	Social Security No./ Louisiana Revenue Account No.		nt No.
Physical address of location where system installed	City	State LA	ZIP
Name of Taxpayer's spouse (if joint return)	Spouse's Social Security No.		

System Information					
Solar Electric System	Total nameplate listed kW of all installed	panels:			
Provide the Make, Model and serial number of generators, alternators, turbines, photovoltaic panels and inverters for which a credit is being applied.					
Make	Model	Serial Number			

Attach Additional Sheets if Needed

Louisiana Administrative Code 61:I.1907 requires certain information about the system be provided to determine eligibility for the credit. Below is a list of additional information required about the solar system. Failure to provide this information may result in the disallowance of the credit.

- 1. A copy of the modeled array output report using the PV Watts Solar System Performance Calculator. The calculator was developed by the National Renewable Energy Laboratory and is available at the website *www.nrel.gov/rredc/pvwatts*. The analysis must be performed using the default PV Watts de-rate factor.
- 2. A copy of the solar site shading analysis conducted on the installation site using a recognized industry site assessment tool such as a Solar Pathfinder or Solmetric demonstrating the suitability of the site for installation of a solar energy system.
- 3. A copy of the receipt or paid invoice detailing the amount of purchase.



Solar Energy Income Tax Credit Residential Property Owner Declaration

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Name of Taxpayer/Entity claiming credit	Social Security No./	Social Security No./ Louisiana Revenue Account No.	
Physical address of location where system installed	City	State	ZIP
Name of Taxpayer's spouse (if joint return)	Spouse's Social Sec	Spouse's Social Security No.	

This page must be signed by the owner of the property on which the solar system is installed.

I, the undersigned residential property owner, am the purchaser/lessee of a solar energy system and may be entitled to claim the Louisiana solar energy income tax credit pursuant to R.S. 47:6030.

I understand and acknowledge my right to consult a tax professional prior to claiming any Louisiana state tax credit for which I may be eligible.

I understand and acknowledge that LAC 61:I.1907(F)(2) and (3) provide cost ineligible for inclusion under the tax credit. I understand that R.S. 47:6030(C)(1) explains that my "cost of purchase" or overall "costs" of a solar energy system cannot include any lease management fee or any inducement to purchase or lease a solar energy system.

I understand that an inducement is an incentive for me to purchase or lease a solar energy system. An inducement may be offered to me as a rebate, prize, gift certificate, trip, additional energy item or service, or any other thing of value given to me by the seller, installer, or equipment manufacturer as an incentive for me to purchase or lease a system.

Whenever marketing rebates or incentives are offered to me in return for a reduction in purchase or lease price of the system or as an inducement to make the purchase or lease, the eligible cost under LAC 61:I.1907(F)(1) will be accordingly reduced by the fair market value of the marketing rebate or incentive that I receive.

Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Last 4 digits of SSN	Signature



Sworn Statements by Licensed Dealer and Installer

Pursuant to Act 131, Department of Revenue Form R-1086 shall contain the following sworn statements by the licensed dealer who sold or leased the system and the licensed installer who installed the system. This page should be completed in its entirety and included with Form R-1086.

	operty where the Solar I	Energy System was Inst	alled	
Address	City		State	ZIP
The undersigned is an authorized principal i	n			, is licensed by the
Louisiana Board of Contractors as required I	by R.S. 47:6030, and certifie	s under penalty of law, par	ticularly R	.S. 14:202.2(A), that the
system sold or leased to the homeowner of th	e residence located at			has
a total nameplate value of	kilowatts, that no solar d	ealer, solar installer, or insta	ller affiliate	e financed the repaymen
obligations, and that a reasonable good faith	belief exists that the reside	nce is eligible for the credit	provided	for in this Section in the
amount claimed on a Louisiana income tax r	əturn.			
 Dealer's Name (printed)		Dealer's Na	me (signatu	re)
Dealer's Louisiana License Nun	ıber			
The undersigned is an authorized principal i	n			
is licensed by the Louisiana Board of Contrac	tors as required by R.S. 47:6	030, is a licensed installer,	as required	d by R.S. 37:2156.3, and
certifies under penalty of law, particularly R.S	. 14:202.2(A), that the system	installed at the residence lo	ocated at _	
	has a	total nameplate value of		kilowatts.
Installer's Name (printed)		Installer's Na	ame (signatu	ıre)