



U.S. Department of Commerce  
National Technical Information Service  
Alexandria, VA 22312

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## Limited Access Death Master File Certification Form

- The undersigned hereby certifies that access to the NTIS Limited Access Death Master File, (LADMF) (as defined in 15 CFR § 1110.2) is appropriate because the undersigned (a) has (i) a legitimate fraud prevention interest, or (ii) a legitimate business purpose pursuant to a law, governmental rule, regulation, or fiduciary duty, (b) has systems facilities, and procedures in place to safeguard such information, and experience in maintaining the confidentiality, security, and appropriate use of such information, pursuant to requirements reasonably similar to the requirements of section 6103(p)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, and (c) agrees to satisfy such similar requirements.
- In making the certification in paragraph (1) above, the undersigned states the following specific basis (must check each basis relied upon and must specify):

**Fraud Prevention Interest** (explain what kind of fraud is being prevented):

**Business Purpose:**

**Law** (cite the Law, e.g., 000 U.S.C. 0000, or applicable state or local law):

**Governmental Rule** (cite the Rule):

**Regulation** (cite the Regulation):

**Fiduciary Duty** (explain what the fiduciary duty is):

- The undersigned further certifies that with respect to LADMF of any deceased individual at any time during the three calendar year period beginning on the date of the individual's death, which is received by the undersigned, the undersigned shall not: (i) disclose any information contained on the LADMF with respect to any deceased individual to any person other than a person who meets the requirements of each of (a), (b), and (c) in paragraph (1); (ii) disclose any information contained on the LADMF with respect to any deceased individual to any person who uses the information for any purpose other than a legitimate fraud prevention interest or a legitimate business purpose pursuant to a law, governmental rule, regulation, or fiduciary duty; (iii) disclose any information contained on the LADMF with respect to any deceased individual to any person who further discloses the information to any person other than a person who meets the requirements of each of (a) and (b) in paragraph (1); or (iv) use any information contained on the LADMF with respect to any deceased individual for any purpose other than a legitimate fraud prevention interest or a legitimate business purpose pursuant to a law, governmental rule, regulation or fiduciary duty.

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4. In making the certification in paragraph (3), the undersigned states the following (must check basis relied upon and specify in the space provided):

- A The undersigned shall not disclose any information contained on the DMF with respect to any deceased individual at any time during the three-calendar-year period beginning on the date of the individual's death, which is received by the undersigned, to any other person; or**
- B The undersigned will disclose information contained on the DMF with respect to an individual during the three-calendar-year period beginning on the date of the individual's death, which is received by the undersigned, to another person(s) in the following manner only (for a disclosure to another person other than a Certified Person as defined in 15 CFR § 1110.2, must also check and complete *i.* & *ii.* below)**

***i.* The undersigned shall ensure compliance by such other person(s) with the requirements of each of (i),**

**(ii) and (iii) of the paragraph above as follows:**

***ii.* The undersigned shall ensure that such other person(s) is made aware that the penalty provisions of 15 CFR § 1110.200 apply to such person(s) as follows:**

5. The undersigned acknowledges that failure to comply with the provisions of paragraph (3) may subject the undersigned to penalties under 15 CFR §1110.200 of \$1,000 for each disclosure or use, up to a maximum of \$250,000 in penalties per calendar year.
6. The undersigned hereby consents to the performance by a third party auditor of periodic and unscheduled audits of the undersigned to determine the compliance by the undersigned with the certifications made herein.
7. If the undersigned makes this certification on behalf of a corporation, company, association, firm, partnership, society, joint stock company, other private organization, or state or local government department or agency, then the undersigned hereby represents and warrants that the undersigned is authorized to make this certification on behalf of, and to bind, such corporation, company, association, firm, partnership, society, joint stock company, other private organization, or state or local government department or agency.
8. The undersigned hereby declares that all certifications and statements made herein of the undersigned's own knowledge are true and that all certifications and statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these certifications and statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. §1001. The undersigned hereby acknowledges that any willful false certification or statement made herein is punishable under 18 U.S.C. §1001 by fine or imprisonment of not more than five (5) years, or both.
9. The undersigned acknowledges that, if approved, their Certification will be effective on the effective date indicated in the approval email from NTIS and will expire one year thereafter on the expiration date indicated in the same email.



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Authorized Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of corporation, company, association, firm, partnership, society, joint stock company, other private organization, or state or local government department or agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Death Master File Subscription: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

NTIS Invoice/Order Confirmation Number for Processing Fee: \_\_\_\_\_

NTIS Customer Number (Customer Number assigned to you by NTIS if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

State Incorporation/Registration Number: \_\_\_\_\_ EIN (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

URL (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

**Check if applicable:**

- We are a state or local government department or agency.
- We are not submitting a written attestation under 15 CFR §1110.101 (b) because we are renewing our certification and;
  - have submitted a written attestation within three years of the date of this application.
  - were subject to a satisfactory audit under 15 CFR §1110.201 within three years of the date of this application.

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