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Constitutional rights protecting taxpayers against self-incrimination.

- Submitting a claim for a refundable credit when there is no basis in law for the credit, such as a credit for reparations for slavery, or frivolous Forms 2439, 1099, or 4136 (fuel tax credit), or showing excessive withholding on your return.
- Submitting a document that purports to be a tax return but is not properly signed or contains an altered jurat (the written declaration that verifies that a return, declaration, statement or other document is made under penalties of perjury).

These are just some examples. For more information on positions identified as frivolous under section 6702, see Notice 2010-33, 2010-17 I.R.B., April 26, 2010, pp. 609-12, which can be found on the Internal Revenue Service's website at [www.irs.gov](http://www.irs.gov) (See Notice 2010-33 at [http://www.irs.gov/irb/2010-17\\_IRB/ar13.html](http://www.irs.gov/irb/2010-17_IRB/ar13.html)). If you do not have a computer, you can access Notice 2010-33 in the Internal Revenue Bulletin (I.R.B.), which is the IRS's authoritative publication of rulings and statements of procedure. Consult a law library to obtain the I.R.B. You can find additional information in a publication titled The Truth About Frivolous Arguments, available on-line only at [http://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-utl/friv\\_tax.pdf](http://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-utl/friv_tax.pdf)

As stated above, we are proposing to assess a \$5,000 penalty against you for each frivolous tax return or purported tax return that you filed.

#### WHAT YOU NEED TO DO

To avoid the penalty, send us a corrected return for each taxable period in the heading of this letter within 30 days of the date of this letter. If you send us corrected returns, we will disregard the previous documents that you filed and not assess the frivolous tax return penalty for each corrected return filed.

Please attach this letter to your corrected return(s) and mail to the address shown at the top of this letter. We have enclosed a copy of this letter for your records and an envelope for your convenience.

#### WHAT IF YOU DO NOT SEND A CORRECTED RETURN?

If you do not file the corrected return(s) within 30 days of the date of this letter, or if you submit additional documents

