

This is a multi-state form. Not all states allow all exemptions listed on this form. Purchasers are responsible for knowing if they qualify to claim exemption from tax in the state that would otherwise be due tax on this sale. The seller may be required to provide this exemption certificate (or the data elements required on the form) to a state that would otherwise be due tax on this sale.

The purchaser will be held liable for any tax and interest, and possibly civil and criminal penalties imposed by the member state, if the purchaser is not eligible to claim this exemption. A seller may not accept a certificate of exemption for an entity-based exemption on a sale made at a location operated by the seller within the designated state if the state does not allow such an entity-based exemption.

1. Check if you are attaching the Multi-state Supplemental form.
 If not, enter the two-letter postal abbreviation for the state under whose laws you are claiming exemption.
2. Check if this certificate is for a single purchase and enter the related invoice/purchase order # _____.

3. **Please print** Border States Industries, Inc; Border States Electric Supply of MN, Inc DBA Minnesota Electric Supply; Border States Electric Supply of TN, Inc DBA Harris Electric Supply & Border States Electric Supply of TX, Inc.

Business Address		City	State	Zip Code
105 25th Street North		Fargo	ND	58102
Purchaser's Tax ID Number		State of Issue	Country of Issue	
See Attached			USA	
If no Tax ID Number	FEIN	Driver's License Number/State Issued ID Number		Foreign diplomat number
Enter one of the following:		State of Issue:	Number	
Name of seller from whom you are purchasing, leasing or renting				
Seller's address		City	State	Zip code


4. **Type of business.** Circle the number that describes your business

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|---|---------------------------------------|
| 01 Accommodation and food services | 11 Transportation and warehousing |
| 02 Agricultural, forestry, fishing, hunting | 12 Utilities |
| 03 Construction | 13 Wholesale trade |
| 04 Finance and insurance | 14 Business services |
| 05 Information, publishing and communications | 15 Professional services |
| 06 Manufacturing | 16 Education and health-care services |
| 07 Mining | 17 Nonprofit organization |
| 08 Real estate | 18 Government |
| 09 Rental and leasing | 19 Not a business |
| 10 Retail trade | 20 Other (explain) _____ |

5. **Reason for exemption.** Circle the letter that identifies the reason for the exemption.

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| A Federal government (department) _____ | H Agricultural production # _____ |
| B State or local government (name) _____ | I Industrial production/manufacturing # _____ |
| C Tribal government (name) _____ | J Direct pay permit # _____ |
| D Foreign diplomat # _____ | K Direct mail # _____ |
| E Charitable organization # _____ | L Other (explain) _____ |
| F Religious or educational organization # _____ | |
| G Resale # _____ | |

6. **Sign here.** I declare that the information on this certificate is correct and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature of Authorized Purchaser	Print Name Here	Title	Date
	Brian Becker	VP of Finance	06/11/09

Name of Purchaser

STATE	Reason for Exemption	Identification Number (If Required)
AR	Resale	0119497-76-001
IA	Resale	2-00-116462
IN	Resale	004560434-001-7
KS	Resale	005-450275004F-001
KY	Resale	082244
MI	Resale	ME-0128413
MN	Resale	9547216
NC	Resale	9010010146868
ND	Resale	See Below
NE	Resale	02-1916831-1
NJ	Resale	450-275-004/000
NV	Resale	217317450
OH	Resale	99-023565
OK	Resale	792296
RI		
SD	Resale	1013-9395-STMC
TN	Resale	See Below
UT	Resale	11920372-002-STC
VT	Resale	450-111052611-01
WA		
WV		
WY	Resale	25-002194

SSUTA Direct Mail provisions are not in effect for Tennessee.

The following nonmember states will accept this certificate for exemption claims that are valid in their respective state. SSUTA Direct Mail provisions do not apply in these states.

XX	PA-Resale	99-639-728
XX	WI-Resale	456-0000029282-03
XX	MO-Resale	140-43751
XX	CA-Resale	SC OH 99131909
XX	MD-Resale	05756339
XX	IL-Resale	0143-2192
XX	VA-Resale	12-450275004F-001
XX	ND-Resale	1279800, 6565800, 6593300, 7516500
XX		10142900, 16395800
XX	TN-Resale	105372205, 105372287, 105372349,
XX		105372232, 105372303, 105372134,
XX		105372161, 100967859
XX		
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