

Texas Sales and Use Tax Exemption Certification

This certificate does not require a number to be valid.

Name of purchaser, firm or agency	
Address (Street & number, P.O. Box or Route number)	Phone (Area code and number)
City, State, ZIP code	

I, the purchaser named above, claim an exemption from payment of sales and use taxes (for the purchase of taxable items described below or on the attached order or invoice) from:

Seller: Williams-Sonoma DTC Texas, Inc./Williams-Sonoma Stores, Inc.

Street address: 3250 Van Ness Avenue City, State, ZIP code: San Francisco, CA 94109


Description of items to be purchased or on the attached order or invoice:

Purchaser claims this exemption for the following reason:

I understand that I will be liable for payment of all state and local sales or use taxes which may become due for failure to comply with the provisions of the Tax Code and/or all applicable law.

I understand that it is a criminal offense to give an exemption certificate to the seller for taxable items that I know, at the time of purchase, will be used in a manner other than that expressed in this certificate, and depending on the amount of tax evaded, the offense may range from a Class C misdemeanor to a felony of the second degree.

I declare that the information provided herein is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. In addition, by signing this tax exemption form below, I am acknowledging and representing my understanding and acceptance of, and to be bound by, the additional tax terms and conditions set forth below:

	Purchaser	Title	Date

NOTE: This certificate cannot be issued for the purchase, lease, or rental of a motor vehicle.
THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT REQUIRE A NUMBER TO BE VALID.
Sales and Use Tax "Exemption Numbers" or "Tax Exempt" Numbers do not exist.

**This certificate should be furnished to the supplier.
Do not send the completed certificate to the Comptroller of Public Accounts.**

Tax Terms & Conditions

For purposes of these Terms and Conditions, "Customer" shall mean the buyer of the products referenced in this tax exemption form.

Taxes

Customer shall comply with all applicable state laws including sales and use tax.

Indemnification

Customer shall indemnify Williams-Sonoma DTC Texas, Inc. ("DTC TX") or Williams-Sonoma Stores, Inc. ("WSS"), or any of its affiliates, subsidiaries, parent companies, directors, officers, employees and agents for any tax, interest and penalties that are assessed by a taxing or other governmental authority arising from or related to any failure on the Customer's part to collect and remit legally required tax on tax-exempt purchases.

Invoicing – Sales Tax Billing Errors

If Customer is invoiced sales tax incorrectly, Customer shall claim a tax paid purchase (or similar) credit on their state specific sales tax return for those states which permit the claiming of such credits.

If Customer requires a sales tax refund related to any previous purchases from WSDTC or WSS, a written request including a statement of facts, along with all relevant supporting documentation (e.g., Resales Certificate, etc.), must be submitted within three (3) months of the original invoice date.

Audit Requirements

Customer shall comply with all reasonable requirements and requests of Williams-Sonoma, Inc. ("WSI"), including but not limited to the submission of the state sales tax registration numbers for those states where Customer is sales tax registered and doing business.

In the event that WSI, WSDTC, WSS or any of their affiliates is subjected to any tax audits related to previous sales to the customer on a tax-exempt basis, customer will fully cooperate with WSI in providing all appropriate information, as well as any required documentation, in an effort to meet the tax audit requirements of all tax authorities.

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