## STATE OF NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION



#### **CONSTRUCTION**

# **CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS**

Includes

any person who acts solely in a professional capacity to improve real property by Structin HOJ Alleling Repairing NAC 372.190

# **CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS**

## The following are included in this group:



# **CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS**

### The term does NOT include:

- An employee
- A licensed architect
- A licensed professional engineer
- A manufacturer of
  - Modular homes
  - Sectionalized housing
  - Prefabricated homes





## CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS Construction Contract

A construction contract for improvement to real property is a contract for erecting constructing affixing a structure to real property affixing other improvement on or to real property remodeling NAC 372.190(2) Altering Adding or repairing an improvement to real property

## CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS Construction Contract



»May be formal or informal
»Advertised contracts
»Negotiated contracts

- Fixed price contracts
- Cost reimbursable contracts
- Lump-sum contracts
- Time and material contracts



NAC 372.190(2)

## CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS Application of Tax

- A construction contractor is considered a consumer of all tangible personal property purchased for use in improving real property.
- A construction contractor is required to pay the tax on all material purchases that will be used in the construction job.

NAC 372.200



## CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS Government Contracts



#### » Tangible personal property purchased by a contractor for use in a government job is subject to the tax.

NAC 372.200(1)





## CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS Government Contracts

- A contractor may not enter into a contract for a public work claiming to be a constituent part of the governmental entity which sponsors or finances the public work.
- A contract for a public work may be entered into provided that the contract requires the payment of any state/local taxes that would normally be due had the contract not been with a tax-exempt entity.



(AB 332, 2015 Legislation Session, effective 7/1/2015)

## CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS Government Contracts

 If the public body is going to perform the public work itself, it is not required to pay any local or state taxes for the purchase and use of construction materials or goods.



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### CONSTRUCTION **CONTRACTORS Consumer Use Tax Return**

#### NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION TID No:002-TX-CONSUMER USE TAX RETURN This return is for use by consumers of tangible personal property not sellers. For Department Use Only If you are a seller, you must apply for a Sales Tax Permit. MAIL ORIGINAL TO: STATE OF NEVADA - SALES/USE PO BOX 52609 PHOENIX AZ 85072-2609 Return for Ending 08/31/15 month 09/30/15 Due on or before Date paid 09/11/15 IF POSTMARKED AFTER DUE DATE, PENALTY

If the name or address as shown is incorrect, if the ownership or business location has changed, or if you are out of business, you must notify a Nevada Department of Taxation District Office Immediately

#### A RETURN MUST BE FILED EVEN IF NO TAX LIABILITY EXISTS

ENTER AMOUNTS IN COUNTY OF USE	AMOUNT SUBJECT TO	USE TAX	TAX RATE		CALCULATED TAX
TAX CALCULATION FORMULA	COLUMN A		X COLUMN B		- COLUMN C
01 CHURCHILL			7.600%		
02 CLARK			8.100%		
03 DOUGLAS			7.100%		
04 ELKO			6.850%		
05 ESMERALDA			6.850%		
06 EUREKA			6.850%		
07 HUMBOLDT			6.850%		
08 LANDER			7.100%		
09 LINCOLN			7.100%		
10 LYON			7.100%		
11 MINERAL			6.850%		
12 NYE			7.600%		
13 CARSON CITY			7.600%		
14 PERSHING			7.100%		
15 STOREY			7.600%		
16 WASHOE		•	7.725%		
17 WHITE PINE			7.725%		
TOTAL		<u></u>			
	INCLUDING ANY ACCOMPANYING SCHEDULE AND	18. NET USE TAX (SUM OF COLU	MNC)	18.	
TATEMENTS HAS BEEN EXAMINED BY ME AND TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF SA TRUE, CORRECT AND COMPLETE RETURN. RETURN MUST BE SIGNED.		19. PENALTY (LINE 18 x 0%)		19.	
SX TRUE, CORRECT SALD COMPLETE RE	TOTAL REPORT MOOT DE GIONED.	20. INTEREST (See instructions fo	r current rate and calculation)	20.	
ENTER NAME OF PERSON SIGNING RETURN		21. PLUS LIABILITIES ESTABLISH	ED BY THE DEPARTMENT	21.	
SIGNING RELOW		22. LESS CREDIT(S) APPROVED	BY THE DEPARTMENT	22.	
		23. TOTAL AMOUNT DUE AND PA	YABLE	23.	
SIGNATURE OF TAXPAYER OR AUTHORIZED	AGENT	24. TOTAL AMOUNT REMITTED V	WTH RETURN	24.	
TITLE	PHONE NUMBER (WITH AREA CODE)	)	MAKE CHECKS PA	VARI	= TO-
		NE	VADA DEPARTMEN		

FEDERAL TAX ID NUMBER (EIN OR SSN)



DATE

#### NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION

To e-mail, save this form to your computer and e-mail the attachment to nevadaoit@tax.state.nv.us with the subject of 'Consumer Use Tax Return'. Your e-mail, including attachments, cannot exceed10 MB.

AND INTEREST WILL APPLY

er Use Tax Return TXR-02.01s Revised 01/07/15

Print Form

## CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS Change in Sales Tax Rate

- Construction contractors bid future jobs which include the current sales tax rate
- When the sales tax rate changes....

the construction contractor can apply for an exemption from the increased tax rate. Contractors must complete a Contract Summary Form and submit to the Department. Once approved, the contractor will be required to self-report the use tax at the former tax rate. Complete instructions and the form are available on the Department of Taxation's website under "Common Forms".

NRS 377B.110(6)

## CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS Resale Certificates

- A construction contractor may be registered as a retailer
- As a <u>retailer</u>, the contractor may use a resale certificate for purchases, and report the tax when the materials are used in a job or sold at retail.
- A retailer construction contractor may NOT use a resale certificate for purchases of tools or supplies which are used in the trade.

### **RESALE CERTIFICATE**

property. I further certify the retention, demonstration of business, it is understood the	; and that the tangible personal property described in h of this certificate, which I purchase from: , will be resold by me in the form of tangible personal hat in the event any of the property is used for any purpose other than display while I am holding it for sale in the regular course of hat I am required by chapters 372, 374 and 377 of the Nevada Revised the tax measured by the purchase price of the property. to be purchased:
	Purchaser
	Address
	Signature of Authorized Purchaser
Dated	
at	

## CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS Fabrication Labor

- Fabrication labor is labor which results in the creation of tangible personal property.
- Fabrication labor is taxable in a <u>retail sale</u> where no installation to real property is involved.
- A contract for improvement to real property which includes fabrication and installation is not considered a retail transaction; the contractor is liable for tax on the materials only in such a transaction.

NAC 372.380

## CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS Purchases out of State

- Materials purchased out of state and delivered to Nevada for a Nevada job are subject to Nevada tax.
- Tax legitimately paid to other state is honored by Nevada; however, if the other state tax rate is lower than the Nevada rate, the difference is due to Nevada

NRS 372.185, NAC 372.055

### **RECORDS TO BE KEPT**

- Purchase invoices
- Sales journals
- General ledgers
- Job files
- Other records





»Must keep records for four (4) years

NRS 372.735



# Written Response

Most tax issues can be addressed by the Department of Taxation. Please be advised that any responses to inquires made to the Department are only binding if put in writing, such as Nevada Revised Statutes, Administrative Code, Nevada Tax Notes, or in written correspondence.



## DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION Contact Information

Our offices are open Monday-Friday 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

Contact our Call Center at 1-866-962-3707



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