

July 23, 2005

Internal Revenue Service
P.O. Box 192
Covington, KY 41012-0192

RE: Request for Group Exemption Letter

To Whom It May Concern:

The International Jugglers' Association, Inc. (IJA), hereby requests a group exemption letter for the subordinate organizations identified on the enclosed "List of IJA Subordinates." The person signing this letter is a principal officer of the IJA.

By this letter, the IJA acknowledges that to the best of the signing officer's knowledge and belief, all subordinates are:

- (i) currently affiliated with the IJA;
- (ii) subject to the IJA's general supervision or control;
- (iii) exempt under the same paragraph of IRC 501(c);
- (iv) not a private foundation as defined in section 509(a);
- (v) on the same accounting period as the IJA (January 1 – December 31);
- (vi) not organized or operated in a foreign country; and
- (vii) willing to be recognized as exempt only from the date of application.

The EIN Number for the International Jugglers' Association, Inc., is _____, and the letter recognizing the exemption is dated _____, and was issued by the IRS office located at _____. The character, purpose and method of operation of the International Jugglers' Association, Inc., has not changed since the exemption was recognized by the IRS.

Enclosed is Form 8718, User Fee for Exempt Organization Determination Letter Request, and our organization's check number _____ in the amount of \$500.00.

The purposes and activities of the subordinates are to educate and render assistance to fellow jugglers, to provide an accessible source of information pertaining to juggling to jugglers and the public, and to record and maintain the history of juggling. Enclosed is a sample copy of the Articles of Association, Articles of Incorporation, and Chapter Affiliation Agreement used by the subordinate organizations and on file with the IJA for each subordinate listed herein. To the best of the officer's knowledge, the purposes and activities of the subordinates are those identified in this letter and in the representative governing instruments.

A copy of the Receipts and Expenditures of each subordinate organization is enclosed.

Each subordinate has given written authorization to the IJA to be included in the group exemption letter, and the written authorization was signed by an authorized officer of the subordinate.

I believe this letter and the enclosures provide all of the information required by Publication 557, Central Organization Application Procedure. However, if you have any questions or require further information, please contact the undersigned at the address and/or telephone number listed below.

Very truly yours,

Signature

Title: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____