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Social security number: []
Tax year: []
Telephone number: []
A Control number: []

Dear []

We received your Form [], federal individual income tax return for the tax year listed above, but need more information to process the return.

Next Steps

- Please call the telephone number listed above between [] and [] within 30 days from the date of this letter. Have the return you filed last year available when you contact us.

The IRS may use a third-party credit reporting company to help us confirm your identity and protect your privacy. We do this to make sure that your tax information is coming from and going out to only you. The credit reporting company uses information from your credit report to generate questions for you to answer. The action creates an entry on your credit report called a "soft inquiry" by the U.S. Treasury Department. However, the IRS can't view or access your credit report, and the credit reporting company can't view or access your tax information.

A soft inquiry:

- Doesn't affect your credit score and isn't reported to lenders
- Only appears on your version of the company credit report that did the identity verification, AND
- Is generally removed from your credit report within 2 years

If you choose to be represented by an authorized power of attorney or a third party designee, we encourage you to be available with your representative when calling.

We won't be able to process your [] tax return until we hear from you.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

Enclosures:
Copy of this letter

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