



Sonoma County Transient Occupancy Tax Program

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CLAIM FOR EXEMPTION FROM TRANSIENT OCCUPANCY TAX FOR GOVERNMENT AGENCIES

NOTICE TO OPERATORS: Operators should not accept this exemption form unless the person presenting it shows satisfactory credentials. A separate exemption form is required for each occupancy and for each representative or employee. Prepare two copies of this form, submit one copy with the TOT/BIA Return and retain the other copy for your records. For complete definitions of Exemptions, see Sonoma County Ordinance No. 5823 Section 12-12. The County reserves the right to audit these records per Section 12-18.

Property Name:

TOT CERT NO.

The undersigned claims exemption from paying the 12% Transient Occupancy Tax (TOT) and, if applicable, the 2% Business Improvement Area (BIA) Assessment based on the following:

- ☐ The occupant is an officer or employee of a Federal or State of California Agency or Federal Credit Union on official business.
- ☐ The occupant is an officer or employee of a foreign government who is exempt by reason of express provision of federal law or international treaty.
- ☐ It is beyond the power of Sonoma County to impose this tax on the Occupant.

Amount of Rent Collected:

Dates of Occupancy (MM/DD/YY) - (MM/DD/YY)

I certify, under penalty of perjury, the information contained herein is true, correct, and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Occupant's Signature:

Date:

Occupant's Printed Name:

Occupant's Title:

Government Agency's Name:

Address of Home Office: