

Reasonable Cause Statement for Late Filing of Form 4868

To: Internal Revenue Service
RE: Reasonable Cause for Late Filing - Form 4868

Dear Sir or Madam,

I am writing to respectfully request consideration for a reasonable cause waiver regarding my late submission of Form 4868 for tax year 2024.

I, (NAME), am a U.S. single-member LLC owner residing full-time in Istanbul, Turkey. Due to my residence outside the United States and the absence of an SSN or ITIN, I am unable to file my tax documents electronically. I attempted to prepare and mail my extension request as early as possible; however, international postal delays beyond my control made it impossible to ensure delivery before the April 15th deadline.

Additionally, I had no income, no business activity, and no tax liability in the 2024 tax year. My intention is solely to remain compliant by filing a zero-activity Schedule C and Form 1040.

I sincerely hope this explanation will be sufficient to avoid any penalty or misunderstanding. I appreciate your understanding and cooperation.

Respectfully,

NAME SURNAME

(FULL ADDRESS)

Phone

Mail

Date: _____

Signature: _____