VOLUNTARY COMPLIANCE PROGRAM SUBMISSION KIT Late Amender – EGTRRA Restatement

In its desire to play a constructive rather than punitive role, the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) has established a system of programs to provide retirement plans a chance to proactively and voluntarily correct certain plan defects, thereby avoiding IRS sanctions. One such program is the Voluntary Compliance Program (VCP). By submitting an application and user fee to the IRS, the employer can obtain a Compliance Statement from the IRS providing reliance that plan failure(s) submitted and approved will not be subject to sanction if later discovered by the IRS under examination. The IRS user fees associated with a VCP submission are less costly than the normal IRS sanction and have less negative impact than would be the case if the defect was discovered by the IRS during an examination.

If a plan has not timely restated its document for the Economic Growth and Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2001 (EGTRRA) by April 30, 2010, the forms included in this VCP Submission Kit can be completed by the employer and submitted to the IRS, along with a check for the applicable fee and a copy of the plan's executed EGTRRA plan document, the most recent previously executed plan document (GUST), and all interim amendments. The IRS will then review the submission for approval and provide a Compliance Statement indicating that the plan has successfully completed the correction program.

The following forms are required to be submitted to the IRS (in the order provided below) to correct a missed EGTRRA restatement.

- ✓ Check made payable to the U.S. Treasury (see fee schedule below to determine amount due)
- ✓ Appendix F Streamlined VCP Submission
- ✓ Appendix F, Schedule 1 Interim and Certain Discretionary Nonamender Failures (only applicable if any interim amendments were not timely executed see Appendix F, Schedule 1 for the list of required interim amendments)
- ✓ Appendix F, Schedule 2 Nonamender Failures (other than those to which Schedule 1 applies)
- ✓ Appendix E Acknowledgement Letter
- ✓ Copy of the EGTRRA plan document opinion letter, executed adoption agreement, and basic plan document; most recent previously executed adoption agreement and basic plan document (GUST), and all interim amendments (not included in this kit obtain from your prototype sponsor).

If employers have a legal or tax advisor to represent them in connection with this submission, a Power of Attorney (IRS Form 2848) or Tax Information Authorization (IRS Form 8821) would also need to be included and placed just after Appendix E in the submission. This submission kit does not contain either of those forms.

After making a copy of the submission, including the check, mail the VCP submission via certified mail to:

Internal Revenue Service Attention SE:TE:EP:RA:VC P.O. Box 27063 Washington, D.C. 20038-7063

If you or your legal or tax advisor have questions regarding the VCP submission process, contact the IRS at the IRS' TE/GE Customer Account Services toll-free at 877-829-5500 from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Eastern Time, by email at RetirementPlanQuestions@irs.gov, or by mail at the following address: Internal Revenue Service, TE/GE Division, Correspondence Unit, P.O. Box 2508, Cincinnati, OH 45201.

Fee Schedule

Number of Participants	Fee Submission filed on or before 4/30/2011	Fee Submission filed after 4/30/2011
20 or fewer	\$375	\$750
21 to 50	\$500	\$1,000
51 to 100	\$1,250	\$2,500
101 to 500	\$2,500	\$5,000
501 to 1,000	\$4,000	\$8,000
1,001 to 5,000	\$7,500	\$15,000
5,001 to 10,000	\$10,000	\$20,000
Over 10,000	\$12,500	\$25,000

The Employer acknowledges and agrees that by providing this VCP Submission Kit, neither Ascensus nor UBS Financial Services Inc. is providing legal, investment, or tax advice to the Employer. The Employer agrees to and acknowledges that it has obtained from its own legal and tax advisors such legal and tax advice as the plan may require in order to complete and file this VCP Submission Kit. The Employer also acknowledges that neither Ascensus nor UBS Financial Services Inc. will be responsible for any additional user fee or, sanctions that could result from the discovery of other plan failures as a result of this submission.

VOLUNTARY COMPLIANCE PROGRAM SUBMISSION KIT

Late Amender - EGTRRA Restatement

Line-By-Line Instructions

Appendix F

1. Part I. Plan Information

- a. Complete items 1–7. Item 6, Plan No, is the 3-digit Plan Sequence Number used to identify the plan on Form 5500 (e.g., 001).
- b. Item 8, Type of Submission, has been pre-checked as a regular submission. If another option applies, check that option instead.
- c. Complete items 9–12.
- d. Items 13–18 need only be completed if you have a legal or tax advisor to represent you. If so, a Form 2848 or 8821 would also need to accompany the submission.

2. Part II. Applicant's Enclosures

- a. All of the appropriate enclosures have been pre-checked under the assumption that the plan has only missed the EGTRRA restatement. Input the amount of the applicable fee. If interim amendments were also not timely executed, check the box for Schedule 1. If other plan failures exist, this kit may no longer be applicable. Please consult your legal or tax advisor as needed.
- b. If you have a legal or tax advisor to represent you, check the *Power of Attorney* (Form 2848) or *Tax Information Authorization* (Form 8821) box, in addition to the pre-checked boxes.

3. Part III. Applicant's Representations

- a. Read through all of the representations and verify that they apply to your plan.
- b. Check either one of the two boxes under B, Abusive tax avoidance transaction, as it applies to your plan.
- c. Sign and date the bottom of this section. Print your name and title.
- 4. Part IV. Enforcement Resolution This section is completed by the IRS.

Appendix F, Schedule 1

If the plan did not timely execute one or more interim amendments, complete Schedule 1. If all interim amendments were timely executed, do not complete Schedule 1 and skip to Schedule 2.

- 1. **Part I. Identification of Failures** Check all of the interim amendments that were not timely executed. If other plan failures exist, this kit may no longer be applicable. Please consult your legal or tax advisor as needed.
- Part III. Change in Administrative Procedures This section was completed with a description of the amendment service your prototype sponsor provides.
- 3. Part IV. Enclosures Include a copy of the missed interim amendments.

Appendix F, Schedule 2

- 1. **Part I. Identification of Failures** This section was pre-checked under the assumption that the plan has only missed the EGTRRA restatement. If previous restatements were not completed by the applicable deadlines, this kit may no longer be applicable. Please consult your legal or tax advisor as needed.
- 2. **Part III. Change in Administrative Procedures** This section was completed with a description of the amendment service your prototype sponsor provides.
- 3. **Part IV. Enclosures** Include a copy of the opinion letter for the EGTRRA plan document, a copy of the signed and dated EGTRRA adoption agreement, a copy of the EGTRRA basic plan document, a copy of your previously executed adoption agreement and basic plan document (GUST), and a copy of all interim amendments. For a list of interim amendments since the last restatement (GUST) in 2002 see Appendix F, Schedule 1, A. Interim Amendments. A determination letter application is not required for prototype plans.

Appendix E, Acknowledgement Letter

- 1. Complete the company and plan information in the top part of this Appendix.
- 2. The IRS will enter the Control No. and Received Date.

The Employer acknowledges and agrees that by providing this VCP Submission Kit, neither Ascensus nor UBS Financial Services Inc. is providing legal, investment, or tax advice to the Employer. The Employer agrees to and acknowledges that it has obtained from its own legal and tax advisors such legal and tax advice as the plan may require in order to complete and file this VCP Submission Kit. The Employer also acknowledges that neither Ascensus nor UBS Financial Services Inc. will be responsible for any additional user fee or, sanctions that could result from the discovery of other plan failures as a result of this submission. The line-by-line instructions provided in this VCP Submission Kit do not constitute legal or tax advice, but are instead provided as a general guide to assist in the completion of the VCP Submission Kit, and should not be relied upon as a determination that the failure to timely restate for EGTRRA is the sole plan failure that should be included in the VCP submission or that the VCP Submission Kit is sufficient to file for all plan failures.

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Pla	n Name:				EIN:		Plan #:	
PAI	PART I. PLAN INFORMATION							
1.	APPLICANT	'S NAME						
2.	APPLICANT	'S ADDRESS						
3.	APPLICANT	'S TELEPHONE NO			4.	FAX NO		
		'S EIN						
7.	PLAN NAM	E						
8.	TYPE OF SU	IBMISSION						
	REG	GULAR SUBMISSION]	
	REG	GULAR SUBMISSION – AN	ONYMC	OUS				
	REG	GULAR SUBMISSION – M	ULTI-EM	PLOY	ER PLAN			
	REG	GULAR SUBMISSION – M	ULTIPLE	EMPL	OYER PLAN			
9.	TYPE OF PL	AN (CHECK ONE ONLY):					-	
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	<u> </u>	PROFIT SHARING		09	CASH BALANCE			
	<u> </u>	401(k)		10	GOVERNMENTAL	PLAN (§ 414(d))		
	<u> </u>	MONEY PURCHASE		11	SEP			
	<u> </u>	DEFINED BENEFIT		12	SARSEP			
	<u> </u>	ESOP		13	SIMPLE			
	<u> </u>	TARGET BENEFIT			STOCK BONUS			
	<u> </u>	403(b)		15	KSOP			
	08	457		16	OTHER (specify):			
10.	DATE (mon	th and day) ON WHICH P	LAN YEA	R EN	DS		_	
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11.	11. NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS IN THE PLAN AS PROVIDED ON THE MOST RECENTLY FILED FORM 5500 SERIES (See Rev. Proc. 2008-50, section 12.07.):							
12.	12. ASSETS IN THE PLAN AS PROVIDED ON THE MOST RECENTLY FILED FORM 5500 SERIES (ROUND TO NEAREST DOLLAR): \$							

See Rev. Proc. 2008-50, section 12.07.

Plan Name:	EIN:	Plan #:
If the Applicant is being represented by so someone to receive information from us in Form 8821 and complete items 13 through	n connection with this matter, sub	
13. NAME OF APPLICANT'S REPRESENTATIVE	/E	
14. NAME OF REPRESENTATIVE'S FIRM NA	ME	
15. REPRESENTATIVE'S ADDRESS:		
16. REPRESENTATIVE'S PHONE NO.	17. FAX	NO
18. REPRESENTATIVE'S E-MAIL ADDRESS _	(optio	nal)
	(cp	,
PART II. APPLICANT'S ENCLOSURES		
The Applicant encloses the following docur		
VCP fee of \$ made payable of treating Transferred Assets as a separate enclose a description of the related emand the date the assets were transferred.	arate plan, pursuant to section 12.0 ployer transaction, including the d	7 of Rev. Proc. 2008-50, please
A written request if the application is n waiver of the VCP fee.	nade for a terminating Orphan Plar	and the Applicant is applying for a
Power of Attorney (Form 2848) or Tax	Information Authorization (Form 8	821), if applicable.
If the plan is being considered for an ur	nrelated determination letter appli	cation, a statement to that effect.
Appendix E (optional)		
Completed Appendix F schedule(s). (Ch	eck the schedules that apply)	
Schedule 1 – Interim and Certain D	iscretionary Nonamender Failures	
Schedule 2 – Nonamender Failures	(other than those to which Schedu	ıle 1 applies)
Schedule 3 – SEPs and SARSEPs		
Schedule 4 – SIMPLE IRAs		
Schedule 5 – Plan Loan Failures		
Schedule 6 – Employer Eligibility Fa	illure	
Schedule 7 – Failure to Distribute E	lective Deferrals in Excess of the §	402(g) Limit
Schedule 8 – Failure to Pay Require	ed Minimum Distributions Timely u	nder § 401(a)(9)
Schedule 9 – Correction by Plan An	nendment (in accordance with App	endix B)
☐ Information required by each schedule	as set forth in each applicable Par	t entitled "Enclosures."

Plan Name:		ame:	EIN:	Plan #:				
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		II. APPLICANT'S REPRESENTATIONS						
A.	<u>Un</u>	der Examination						
	То	the best of my knowledge:						
	1)	 The subject plan is not currently under examination of either an Employee Plans Form 5500 series return or other Employee Plans examination, 						
	2)	2) The Plan Sponsor is not under an Exempt Organizations examination (that is, an examination of a Form 990 series return or other Exempt Organizations examination),						
	3)	Neither the Plan Sponsor nor any of its the Tax Exempt and Government Entitic impending examination or of any imper litigation for any issues raised in such an	es Division of the Internal Reve nding referral for such examina	enue Service ("Service") of an				
	4)	The subject plan is not currently under Revenue Service.	investigation by the Criminal II	nvestigation Division of the Internal				
В.	<u>Ab</u>	usive tax avoidance transaction (check be	ox that applies)					
Neither the plan nor the Plan Sponsor has been a party to a defined in section 4.13(2) of Rev. Proc. 2008-50.				busive tax avoidance transaction as				
		The plan or the Plan Sponsor has been a transaction(s) are provided in a separat						
C.	Co	mpliance Fee						
	cor	e Applicant will neither attempt to amort mpliance fee paid in connection with this count of payment of such compliance fee	compliance statement nor re-	•				
D.	Pei	nalties of Perjury						
	do	nder penalties of perjury, I declare that I he cuments and representations. To the bese esented in support of this submission are	t of my knowledge and belief,					
Sig	ned	:	Dat	e:				
Na	me ((printed):	Title	2:				

Pla	n Name:	EIN:	Plan #:
PAI	RT IV: ENFORCEMENT RESOLUTION (to be compl	eted by IRS only)	
401 sch cor pur calc on	e Internal Revenue Service will not pursue the sanct L(a), 403(b), 408(k), or 408(p) of the Internal Revenuedules submitted pursuant to this Appendix F. This rection method(s) and the revision(s) of administration submitted to this Appendix F submission and does not equilations or other material submitted with the appliance for the purpose of concluding that the plan or Plan abusive tax avoidance transaction. The compliance of party under any other law, including Title I of the Experience.	ue Code on account of compliance statement tive procedures describe express an opinion as to ication. In no event ma Sponsor (as defined in statement should not leave to the content of t	the failure(s) described in the considers only the acceptability of the bed in the schedules submitted to the accuracy or acceptability of any this compliance statement be relied Rev. Proc. 2008-50) was not a party to be construed as affecting the rights of
cor	s compliance statement is conditioned on (1) there in ection with the submission and (2) the completion chis Appendix F submission within one hundred fifteen	on of all corrections de	escribed in the applicable schedule(s)
In a	addition: (paragraph applies only if checked by the	Service)	
	For failure(s) described in Schedule 1 of Appendix been adopted timely for the purpose of making a forth in Revenue Procedure 2007-44, 2007-28 I.R statement does not constitute a determination a complies with the applicable change in qualification	vailable the extended .B. 54, or its successor s to whether any such	remedial amendment period set rs. However, this compliance
	For failure(s) described in Schedule 3 of Appendix	c F, the Service will no	t pursue the following:
	Excise tax under § 4972.		
	Excise tax under § 4979.		
	For failure(s) described in Schedule 4 of Appendix	c F, the Service will no	t pursue excise tax under § 4972.
	For loan failure(s) described in section of S deemed distributions to be reported on Form 109 failure(s). The repayments made pursuant to the participant having additional basis in the plan for subsequent distributions from the plan to such participants.	99-R with respect to the correction of such loa the purpose of deterr	he participant(s) affected by the in(s) will not result in an affected
	For loan failure(s) described in section of S deemed distributions to be reported on Form 109 failure(s). However, the plan will be permitted to correction instead of the year of the failure.	99-R with respect to th	he participant(s) affected by the
	For minimum distribution failure(s) described in Stax under § 4974.	Schedule 8 of Appendi	x F, the Service will waive the excise
	Approved:		
	Joyce Kahn, Manager Employee Plans Voluntary Compli Tax Exempt and Government Enti		
	Date:		

APPENDIX F, SCHEDULE 1 Interim and Certain Discretionary Nonamender Failures

Plan N	lame:	EIN:	Plan #:
PART	I. IDENTIFICATION OF FAILURES		
	terim Amendments		
·	ne plan identified above was not amo	ended timely for (check all failures	that apply)
	("EGTRRA") required under Notice	nts <u>required</u> for the plan to comply with EG	01-57). If the Plan Sponsor failed to timely
	The increased limit on annual not incorporate § 415(c) by re		o defined contribution plans that do
	Modification of top heavy rule contribution plans)	es under § 416 (applies to both defi	ned benefit and defined
		oloyer matching contributions unde ing contributions that do not vest as 2))	
		to eligible rollover distributions und es to both defined benefit and defi	
	Repeal of the multiple use tes that were formerly subject to	t under Treasury Regulations § 1.40 the multiple use test)	01 (m)-2 (applies to § 401(k) plans
	Suspension period following herequirements of § 401(k)(12)	nardship distribution (required for p or § 401(m)(11))	lans subject to the safe harbor
		ans to any owner-employee or share rticipants but prohibit the making on ployees)	
	The automatic rollover provision udefined benefit and defined contr	under § 401(a)(31)(B), as described ibution plans)	in Notice 2005-5 (applies to both
	contribution plans; defined benefi	ns under § 401(a)(9) (interim amen it plans have until the end of the ex e Rev. Procs. 2002-29 and 2003-10.)	tended EGTRRA remedial
		ed mortality table under § 415(b)(2) described in Rev. Rul. 2001-62 (ap	
		r the plan to comply with a law cha	ssors. If the plan failed to adopt one nge, then check the box on the left
		gulations (plans with 401(k) and 40: beginning on or after January 1, 20	
	Retroactive annuity starting d	ities in an ESOP maintained by a S-C ate provisions pursuant to Treasury oactive annuity starting dates)	Corp. pursuant to § 409(p) Regulations § 1.417(e)-1 (required

APPENDIX F, SCHEDULE 1 Interim and Certain Discretionary Nonamender Failures

Plan Name:	EIN: Plan #:
	Final regulations under regarding low normal retirement age (§ (1.401(a)-1(b)(2))
	Amendments to § 1.411(d)-3 of the final regulations
	Final regulations under § 415
	Other (i.e., any other interim amendment that complies with the requirements in Rev. Proc. 2007-44 or its successors). Please list:
·-	entation of Applicable Optional Law Changes (defined in section 6.05(3) of Rev. Proc. 2008-50)
	n identified above was not amended timely for (check all failures that apply)
Spo	cional good faith EGTRRA amendments under Notice 2001-42 (for details, see Notice 2001-57). If the Plan is not implemented any of the optional law changes and failed to adopt good faith amendments timely to conform the plan to its ration, then check the box on the left and check the applicable amendments below:
	Increasing the limit on compensation (under \S 401(a)(17)) that is taken into account for the purpose of determining allocations in a defined contribution plan or benefits in a defined benefit plan
	Disregarding amounts attributable to rollovers in determining the value of an employee's vested accrued benefit subject to involuntary distribution pursuant to § 411(a)(11)(D).
	Increasing the contribution limit for elective deferrals on account of the increased limitation under $\$ 402(g) or, in the case of a SIMPLE 401(k) plan, $\$ 408(p)(2)
	Adding types of rollovers accepted by the plan pursuant to EGTRRA §§ 641, 642, and 643 (available for rollovers accepted after December 31, 2001)
	Providing for catch-up contributions pursuant to § 414(v)
	Adding "severance from employment" as a distributable event pursuant to §§ 401(k)(2) and 401(k)(10)
	Increasing the limit on a participant's benefit pursuant to § 415(b)
	al §§ 401(k) and 401(m) regulations (optional for plan years beginning before January 1, 2006, the liest possible plan year in which regulations could be effective: plan year ending after December 29, 14)
Per	mitting participants to designate elective deferrals as Roth contributions pursuant to § 402A
Per	mitting deemed individual retirement accounts pursuant to § 408(q)
Fin	al regulations under § 409(p) regarding ESOPs holding S-Corp stock.
Oth	er amendments relating to implementation of optional law changes. Please list

APPENDIX F, SCHEDULE 1 Interim and Certain Discretionary Nonamender Failures

Plan Name:	EIN:	Plan #:
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PART II. DESCRIPTION OF METHOD OF CORRECTION

The Plan Sponsor has adopted amendments that satisfy the requirements of all of the items checked in Part I of this Appendix F, Schedule 1 retroactively to the effective dates of the specific provisions contained in the amendments. The executed amendments have been enclosed with this submission.

PART III. CHANGE IN ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES

The Applicant has taken the following step(s) to ensure that the failure(s) will not recur:

The Plan Administrator has arranged to have an outside provider assist in ensuring that the Plan is updated for future tax law changes. Updated adoption agreements and plan amendments will be provided to the Plan Administrator on a timely basis. The Plan Administrator will review and sign such documents within a reasonable time after receipt and within the time required by law.

PART IV. ENCLOSURES

In addition to the applicable enclosures listed on Appendix F, the Plan Sponsor encloses copies of the signed and dated amendments used to correct the failure(s) identified in Part I of this Appendix F, Schedule 1.

APPENDIX F, SCHEDULE 2 Nonamender Failures (other than those to which Schedule 1 applies)

Plan Name:	EIN:	Plan #:
PART I. IDENTIFICATION OF FAILURES		
The plan identified above was not amended to corregulatory requirements by the applicable deadling		3 3
☐ The Employee Retirement Income Security A	ct of 1974 (ERISA)	
☐ The Tax Equity and Fiscal Responsibility Act of	of 1982 (TEFRA)	
☐ The Deficit Reduction Act of 1984 (DEFRA)		
☐ The Retirement Equity Act of 1984 (REA)		
☐ The Tax Reform Act of 1986 (TRA '86)		
☐ The Unemployment Compensation Amendm	ents of 1992 (UCA)	
☐ The Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 19	993 (OBRA)	
GUST (includes The Uruguay Round Agreemer Rights Act of 1994, the Small Business Job Pro Revenue Service Restructuring and Reform Ac	tection Act of 1996, the Taxp	ayer Relief Act of 1997, the Internal
☐ The changes required by the 2005 Cumulativ	e List (Notice 2005–101, 200	05–2 C.B. 1219)
☐ The changes required by the 2006 Cumulativ	e List (Notice 2007–3, 2007-	-1 C. B. 255)
☐ The changes required by the 2007 Cumulativ	e List (Notice 2007–94, 2007	7–2 C.B. 1179)
Other (specify the legal requirement and app	olicable Cumulative List):	
The Economic Growth and Tax Relief Recor	nciliation Act of 2001 (EGTRF	RA)

PART II. DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED METHOD OF CORRECTION

The Plan Sponsor has adopted (or will adopt) amendments that satisfy the requirements of all of the items checked in Part I of this Appendix F, Schedule 2 retroactively to the effective dates of the specific provisions contained in the amendments. The amendments and restated plan documents (where applicable) are enclosed with this submission.

PART III. CHANGE IN ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES

The Plan Sponsor has taken the following step(s) to ensure that the failure(s) will not recur:

The Plan Administrator has arranged to have an outside provider assist in ensuring that the Plan is updated for future tax law changes. Updated adoption agreements and plan amendments will be provided to the Plan Administrator on a timely basis. The Plan Administrator will review and sign such documents within a reasonable time after receipt and within the time required by law.

PART IV. ENCLOSURES

In addition to the applicable enclosures listed on Appendix F, the Plan Sponsor encloses the following with this submission:

- Copies of all amendments used to correct the failure(s), either as adopted or in proposed form,
- A copy of the plan document in effect prior to any of the amendments used to correct the failure(s),
- A copy of the most recent determination letter issued with respect to the plan (if applicable), and
- A determination letter application (Form 5300, 5307, or 5310 along with Form 8717 and the applicable user fee payment made payable to the U.S. Treasury).

APPENDIX E ACKNOWLEDGEMENT LETTER

Company Name:					
Address:					
				Zip Code:	
Applicant's Name: _					
Plan Name:					
Plan No.:					
Control No.:		(To be complete	od by IBC)		
Received Date:	(To be completed by IRS)	, ,	eu by iks)		

The Internal Revenue Service, Employee Plans Voluntary Compliance, has received your VCP submission for the above-captioned plan. Your request has been assigned the control number listed above. This number should be referred to in any communication to us concerning your submission.

You will be contacted when the case is assigned to an agent. If you need to inquire about the status of your case prior to that date, please call (626) 312-4921 (not a toll-free number). Please leave a message with the name of the plan, the Control Number, your name, and a phone number where you can be reached.

Thank you.