



INSPECTOR GENERAL  
for TAX  
ADMINISTRATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20005

DELEGATION ORDER No. 32  
EFFECTIVE DATE: July 23, 2003

**WAIVING CLAIMS AGAINST TREASURY INSPECTOR GENERAL FOR  
TAX ADMINISTRATION EMPLOYEES FOR ERRONEOUS PAYMENTS**

Authorities: Inspector General Act of 1978, 5 U.S.C. app. § 3 (2000), The General Accounting Office Act of 1996 § 103(d), 5 U.S.C. §5584 (2000), Installment Deduction for Indebtedness to the United States, 5 U.S.C. §5514 (2000), Interest and Penalty on Claims, 31 U.S.C. § 3717 (2000), Administration Offset, 31 U.S.C. §3716 (2000), Collection and Compromise, 31 U.S.C. § 3711 (2000), Collection by Offset from Indebted Government Employees, 5 C.F.R. Part 550, subpart K (2003), Treasury Department Regulations, 31 C.F.R. Part 5, subpart B (2003), , and Treasury Directive 34-01.

1. The Chief Financial Officer and the Deputy Chief Financial Officer are delegated the authority to waive, in whole or in part, a claim of the United States against an employee for an erroneous payment of pay and allowances, travel, transportation, and relocation expenses and allowances, aggregating less than \$5,000 per claim, in accordance with the limitations and standards in 5 U.S.C. § 5584.
2. The authority granted to the Chief Financial Officer and the Deputy Chief Financial Officer may not be re-delegated.

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