



ERO MUST RETAIN THIS FORM.  
DO NOT SUBMIT THIS FORM TO  
GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE  
UNLESS REQUESTED TO DO SO.

**GA-8453P**  
**2019**

**IRS DCN OR SUBMISSION ID**

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**GEORGIA PARTNERSHIP TAX RETURN DECLARATION FOR ELECTRONIC FILING  
SUMMARY OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN TAXPAYER AND ERO OR PAID PREPARER**

Beginning 20\_\_ and Ending 20\_\_

- Original Return  
  Amended Return  
  Amended Due to IRS Audit  
  Name Change  
  Address Change  
  Final Return  
  Composite Return Filed

FEI Number		Name			Number of K-1s	
					Resident	Non-Resident
GA Withholding Tax Acct. Number		Business Address		Country		Telephone Number
Payroll WH Number	Nonresident WH Number					
GA Sales Tax Reg. Number		City or Town		State		Zip Code
NAICS Code		Type of Business		Location of Books for Audit (City & State)		

**PART I TAX RETURN INFORMATION**

1. Total Income for Georgia purposes (Schedule 2, Line 1) ..... 1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. Total Georgia net income (Schedule 2, Line 7) ..... 2. \_\_\_\_\_

**PART II DECLARATION OF PARTNER**

Under the penalty of perjury, I declare that I am a general partner or limited liability company member of the above taxpayer and the information I have provided to my Electronic Return Originator (ERO) and/or Online Service Provider and/or Transmitter and the amounts shown in Part I agree with the amounts shown on the corresponding lines of the electronic portion of my 2019 Georgia Partnership Tax Return. I declare that I have examined my tax return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, my return is true, correct and complete. I consent that the electronic portion of my return may be sent to the IRS by my ERO/Online Service Provider/Transmitter.

**SIGN**

HERE \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Partner or LLC Member                      Date                      E-mail Address

**PART III DECLARATION OF ELECTRONIC RETURNS ORIGINATOR AND PAID PREPARER**

I DECLARE THAT I HAVE REVIEWED THE ABOVE TAXPAYER'S RETURN AND THAT THE ENTRIES ON THE GA-8453P ARE COMPLETE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE.

<b>ERO'S USE ONLY</b>	ERO's Signature _____	Date _____
	Firm's Name _____	Check also if paid preparer <input type="checkbox"/>
	Address _____	FEIN/PTIN _____
	City, State & Zip Code _____	SSN/TIN _____

IF PREPARED BY A PERSON OTHER THAN THE TAXPAYER, THIS DECLARATION IS BASED ON ALL THE INFORMATION OF WHICH THE PREPARER HAS KNOWLEDGE.

<b>PAID PREPARER'S USE ONLY</b>	Paid Preparer's Signature _____	Date _____
	Firm's Name _____	FEIN/PTIN _____
	Address _____	SSN/TIN _____
	City, State & Zip Code _____	

# General Instructions

## PURPOSE OF FORM

The GA-8453P is a signature form summarizing the agreement between the taxpayer and ERO or paid preparer. It may also be used by the Georgia Department of Revenue (GADOR) to authenticate the electronic portion of Form GA 700. A partner or LLC member must review and sign this form. **This form should not be mailed**, but should be kept for a period of 3 years from the end of the year of which the return is filed.

## LINE INSTRUCTIONS

Enter either the DCN or Submission ID.

**IRS DCN** – This is the IRS’s Declaration Control Number. This is a 14 digit number assigned to each return by the electronic returns originator (ERO). This number will be the same as on the Federal return.

**SUBMISSION ID** – This is a distinct number assigned to every electronic return that is transmitted to Georgia. This 20 character ID can be used in tracking the return.

**PARTNERSHIP INFORMATION** – This information must reflect and be the same as the information transmitted on the return.

## PART I – TAX INFORMATION

Enter the required data from the Georgia tax return. All lines must reflect the amounts transmitted on the return.

## PART II – DECLARATION OF PARTNER

**After the return has been prepared and before the return is transmitted, a general partner, or LLC member must verify the information on the return, and sign and date the completed GA-8453P. The ERO must provide the taxpayer(s) with a copy of this form.** If an ERO makes changes to the electronic return after the GA-8453P has been signed by the taxpayer, but before transmittal, the ERO must have the taxpayer complete and sign a corrected GA-8453P.

## PART III – DECLARATION OF ELECTRONIC RETURNS ORIGINATOR AND PAID PREPARER

The Georgia DOR requires that the ERO sign this form and keep it with the required attachments for three (3) years. A preparer must sign the GA-8453P in the space provided for the preparer. If the preparer is also the ERO, do not complete the Preparer Section; instead, check the box labeled “Check also if paid preparer” in the ERO section.

**TAXPAYER(S)’ COPY:** The ERO must provide a copy of the completed GA-8453P and all other relevant and required information to the taxpayer(s).

## TELEPHONE ASSISTANCE:

Questions	1-877-423-6711
Compliance Issues	404-417-6391
Composite Return Issues	1-877-423-6711
Secretary of State	404-656-2817

## E-MAIL ASSISTANCE:

Partnership Tax Questions [corpissues@dor.ga.gov](mailto:corpissues@dor.ga.gov)

Georgia Tax Center (GTC) <https://gtc.dor.ga.gov>

For Rules and Regulations, Frequently Asked Questions and forms, please visit our website at [dor.georgia.gov](http://dor.georgia.gov)

## REPORTING FRAUD

[dor.georgia.gov/webform/fraud-referral-form](http://dor.georgia.gov/webform/fraud-referral-form)

*A fraud hotline has been established for practitioners and taxpayers to report tax-related activities that they believe are illegal or incorrect. The hotline can be used to report suspected illegal activity for all tax types. Persons submitting reports may remain anonymous.*

**KEEP THIS FORM FOR YOUR RECORDS**