

Resident withholding tax - refund request

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- Complete a separate form for each payer (eg bank or other payer of investment income).
- Fill in all relevant boxes in the recipient's details section and sign the declaration.
- The bank or other payer must fill in the bottom panel.

Recipient's details

1. Your name									
 Your IRD number Name of your bank or other payer of interest or dividends 	(8 digit numbers start in the second box. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8)								
4. Account information									
Bank Branch Account number	Suffix	Period	Gross interest or dividend	Tax deducted					
			\$	\$ ·					
			\$ -	\$ ·					
			\$ -	\$ ·					
			\$ ·	\$ ·					
The period(s) shown above should cover the actual month in which each payment had resident withholding tax deducted.									
5. Issue refund to:									
Recipient - use myIR to check your bank account details are up-to-date									
Payer									
Declaration									

Declaration

I declare that the information in this application is true and correct.

Signature	/ / Date	Contact name Contact phone number	()	
Payer's details Payer's IRD number					
Declaration <i>I declare that the information in this a</i> Signature	pplication is tru / / Date	e and correct. Contact name Contact phone number	()	
Bank authority (stamp and initial)					

Notes

Resident withholding tax (RWT) can be refunded if it was over-deducted due to an error by the payer or by the payee.

Payer corrected errors

If the RWT over-deduction is discovered before 20 April after the end of the tax year, the RWT refund does not have to be requested from Inland Revenue. If the amount has not already been refunded by Inland Revenue, the payer may correct the over-deduction by paying the excess amount to the recipient before 20 April after the end of the tax year. The payer must notify Inland Revenue when it refunds the recipient.

Other cases

If the payer will not be making any further payments to the recipient, or if the over-payment is for an earlier tax year, complete this IR454 form to request a refund.

Inland Revenue can refund the RWT to the payer for them to pass on, or pay it directly to the recipient. If the recipient wants to receive it directly, they need to make sure their bank account details are up-to-date in myIR.

Non-residents

If a resident and a non-resident hold a joint account, RWT must be deducted from gross interest paid on the account.

The non-resident may claim a refund from Inland Revenue by completing either a non-resident income tax return or a **New Zealand NRWT Refund request or certification of NRWT paid - IR386**.

When RWT is mistakenly deducted instead of non-resident withholding tax (NRWT), the payer and recipient will need to jointly complete an IR386 form.

Completing the IR454

If your interest payer is a bank or financial institution, carefully enter the account number for each account that pays interest or dividends (all cheque and savings accounts, and term deposits etc).

- Show the period in which the over-deduction of RWT was made. Fill in the period for each separate deduction of RWT.
- The payer must fill in their IRD number and sign and stamp this form.

If you need any further help to fill in this form, please phone us on 0800 227 774 if you are a personal customer, 0800 377 774 if you are a business customer, or 0800 443 773 if you are a Significant Enterprises customer.

Send the completed form in myIR under "Send a message" or post to the following address:

Inland Revenue PO Box 39090 Wellington Mail Centre Lower Hutt 5045

More information

If you need more information about RWT please read our booklet **RWT on interest - payers guide - IR283**. You can view forms and guides at **ird.govt.nz/forms-guides**.

ird.govt.nz

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