

Tax credits and Child Benefit Authority for an intermediary to act on your behalf

Who should fill in this form

Fill in this form if you want an intermediary, such as a relative or Citizens Advice, to act on your behalf about your tax credits/Child Benefit. Don't use it to authorise an accountant or other paid professional advisor to act on your behalf. This authority doesn't allow your intermediary to request personal information held about you under the subject access provisions of the Data Protection Act 1998. For a joint tax credits claim, both applicants need to fill in and sign this form.

Your details	Your partner's details
Title	Title
Last name or family name	Last name or family name
First name and middle name(s)	First name and middle name(s)
First name	First name
Middle name(s)	Middle name(s)
Address	Address (if different from your partner)
Postcode	Postcode
Date of birth DD MM YYYY	Date of birth DD MM YYYY
National Insurance number (if any)	National Insurance number (if any)
ntermediary's details fill in all relevant box	xes
Name and address	Name of organisation (if applicable)
First name	
Last name or family name	Organisation reference number (if applicable)
Address	
	Name of caseworker (if any)
Postcode	
Phone number	Case reference (if any)
What is the intermediary's relationship to you? Complete all the boxes that apply to you	You must now complete the authority on page 2
Relative Friend	
Employer Third party organisation	

Tax credits/Child Benefit authority I have read the Data Protection Act message below and agree that HM Revenue and Customs may give information to, and talk to, the organisation/person named on this form about my: (tick the appropriate box below to show which claim or claims your authority applies to) Child Tax Credit/Working Tax Credit (if you claimed tax credits as a couple, your partner must also sign below) (enter your Child Benefit number in the box below) В The authority will last for 12 months from the date you sign this form unless you enter an earlier or later end date in this box. End date DD MM YYYY Your signature Your partner's signature We don't accept scanned or photocopied signatures Date signed DD MM YYYY Date signed DD MM YYYY **Data Protection Act** How we use your information

HM Revenue and Customs is a Data Controller under the Data Protection Act 1998. We hold information for the purposes specified in our notification to the Information Commissioner, including the assessment and collection of tax and duties, the payment of benefits and the prevention and detection of crime, and may use this information for any of them.

We may get information about you from others, or we may give information to them. If we do, it will only be as the law permits to:

- check the accuracy of information
- · prevent or detect crime
- protect public funds

We may check information we receive about you with what is already in our records. This can include information provided by you, as well as by others, such as other government departments or agencies and overseas tax and customs authorities. We won't give information to anyone outside HM Revenue and Customs unless the law permits us to do so.

For more information, go to www.gov.uk/data-protection

Your rights and obligations

Your Charter explains what you can expect from us and what we expect from you.

 ${\mathfrak S}{\mathfrak l}$ For more information, go to www.gov.uk/hmrc/your-charter

What to do now

When you have filled in this form send it to:

Tax Credits Office

IAA Team 2, Area E

St Mark's House

St Mary's Street

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PR1 4AT