Petition to Use Alternative Method of Allocation

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For use by corporations, partnerships and S corporations

Complete this form to request permission from the Department of Revenue to allocate all, or any part of, taxable net income in a manner other than the apportionment provisions of Minnesota Statutes 290.191 (three-factor formula) or Revenue Notice 08-04. Permission will be granted only if you can show that the three-factor formula does not properly and fairly reflect your Minnesota income, and that the alternative formula you have chosen does.

	Name of business			FEIN
Print or Type	Address of principal office or place of business			Minnesota tax ID number
	City	State	Zip code	If a corporation, enter state of incorporation
	Check one: This is a request to use an alternative method of allocation for:			
	Form M3, Partnership Return Form M4, Corporation Franchise Tax Form M8, S Corporation Return			
	For tax year(s) beginning (mo/yr) and ending (mo/yr)			
	Describe your business activity during the tax years covered by this request.			
Business Activity				
Reason for Petition	Explain why the apportionment formula of Minnesota Statutes, 290.17 and 290.191 would unfairly reflect your business's Minnesota income, and why the proposed alternative method of allocation provides an accurate computation. If this request covers more than one year, also explain why you must continue to use the proposed method. Attach additional sheets if necessary.			
Alternative Formula Example	Provide an example of how your Minnesota income would be computed under the proposed formula. Attach additional sheets if necessary.			
- (1)	I declare that the information in this request is correct and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.			
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