

### TEXAS SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION CERTIFICATION

Name of purchaser, firm or agency <b>William Marsh Rice University</b>	
Address (Street & number, P.O. Box or Route number) <b>6100 Main Street, MS-75</b>	Phone (Area code and number) <b>713-348-4812</b>
City, State, ZIP code <b>Houston, TX 77005</b>	

I, the purchaser named above, claim an exemption from payment of sales and use taxes (for the purchase of taxable items described below or on the attached order or invoice) from:

Seller: \_\_\_\_\_

Street address: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, ZIP code: \_\_\_\_\_

Description of items to be purchased or on the attached order or invoice:

**ANY AND ALL**

Purchaser claims this exemption for the following reason:

We are an Education Institute and qualify for the Exemptoin under Rule 3-322, paragraph (b), Section (2) of the Texas Tax Guide.

**TAX EXEMPT ID#: 74-1109620**

I understand that I will be liable for payment of sales or use taxes which may become due for failure to comply with the provisions of the Tax Code: Limited Sales, Excise, and Use Tax Act; Municipal Sales and Use Tax Act; Sales and Use Taxes for Special Purpose Taxing Authorities; County Sales and Use Tax Act; County Health Services Sales and Use Tax; The Texas Health and Safety Code; Special Provisions Relating to Hospital Districts, Emergency Services Districts, and Emergency Services Districts in counties with a population of 125,000 or less.

*I understand that it is a criminal offense to give an exemption certificate to the seller for taxable items that I know, at the time of purchase, will be used in a manner other than that expressed in this certificate and, depending on the amount of tax evaded, the offense may range from a Class C misdemeanor to a felony of the second degree.*

sign here →	Purchaser	Title	Date
	<i>Teresa Blumentritt</i>	Disbursements Manager	January 3, 2005

NOTE: This certificate cannot be issued for the purchase, lease, or rental of a motor vehicle.

**THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT REQUIRE A NUMBER TO BE VALID.**

Sales and Use Tax "Exemption Numbers" or "Tax Exempt" Numbers do not exist.

This certificate should be furnished to the supplier. Do not send the completed certificate to the Comptroller of Public Accounts.