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Social security number:

Tax year: 2016

Telephone number: 1-800-830-5084

Control number:

Dear TAXPAYER

We received a federal income tax return, Form 1040, for the tax year above with your name and social security number. To protect you from identity theft, we need to verify your identity before we process the return and issue a refund or apply the overpayment to next year's estimated tax.

If we don't hear from you, we will not process this return and issue a refund or apply the overpayment to next year's estimated tax. Please call the telephone number above between 7 AM and 7 PM Local Time within 30 days from the date of this letter.

To expedite the process when you call, you MUST have:

- This letter
- Your prior year tax return (if you filed one)
- Your current year tax return (if you filed one)
- Any supporting documents for each year's return (such as W-2's, 1099's, Schedule C, Schedule F, etc.)

If you didn't file a tax return for the tax year above, you should still call us to confirm if you may be a victim of identity theft. We'll take steps to assist you when you complete the identity verification process.

If you choose to have an authorized power of attorney represent you before the IRS (typically by filing Form 2848), we encourage you to be available with your authorized representative on the call. If you choose to have someone else assist you, including someone you named on your tax return as a third party designee, you must call us together and you must participate on the call.

Again, we won't be able to process this Dec. 31, 2016 return and issue a refund or apply the overpayment to next year's estimated tax until we hear from you.

To learn more about this letter, go to www.irs.gov, keyword search "4883C".