8821 vs 2848 & Important CAF Updates

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- Starting a case: Investigation & Compliance.
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- Managing your tax resolution case.
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CAF Updates & 8821 Vs 2848

By Angelene Wierzbic, EA, CTRS



Circular 230 § 10.3 Who may practice.

(3) A registered tax return preparer may represent taxpayers before revenue agents, customer service representatives, or similar officers and employees of the Internal Revenue Service (including the Taxpayer Advocate Service) during an examination if the registered tax return preparer signed the tax return or claim for refund for the taxable year or period under examination. Unless otherwise prescribed by regulation or notice, this right does not permit such individual to represent the taxpayer, regardless of the circumstances requiring representation, before appeals officers, revenue officers, Counsel or similar officers or employees of the Internal Revenue Service or the Treasury Department.

What is Representation?

- Stepping into the client's shoes
- First point of contact when IRS needs anything
- Gives ability to:
 - · Obtain records
 - Speak to the IRS & Treasury Department personnel
 - Negotiate Settlements on behalf of taxpayer
 - Exercise Legal Rights



But What If the Taxpayer is Dead?

- The Fiduciary has stepped into the t/ p's shoes
- Fiduciary files Form 56
 - Notice of Fiduciary Relationship
- Fiduciary does not need a POA
- Fiduciary can claim a refund using Form 1310
- Fiduciary has the ability to:
 - Appoint a representative
 - May sign a 2848 or 8821
 - Send Form 56 with POA



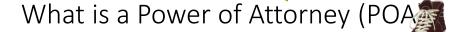
Who Can Represent?

- Circular 230 dictates who can represent
- Attorneys
- Certified Public Accountants (CPAs)
- Enrolled Agents (EAs)
- Limited audit representation by Annual Filing Season Program (AFSP) Preparers
 - Must be Return they prepared
 - Must have 3rd Party Authorization Checkbox filled out on return
- Done with a Power of Attorney











- Gives legal authority to represent a client before IRS & Treasury staff
- Client grants you authority to act on their behalf
- Filed with the IRS Central Authorization Unit (CAF Unit)
- Records kept at the CAF Unit
- Gives ability to correspond with the IRS at any level

What is the Scope of My Authority?

- Forms and periods where the client authorizes
- POA only works those periods
 - No ability to get records/represent outside of the scope
- Client signs to gives authority
- Examples:

FORM	TAX TYPE
FORM 1120	INCOME TAX
FORM 941	EMPLOYMENT TAX

PERIODS/YEARS

2020-2022 3/31/2020-12/31/2022 ALL QUARTERS

What Range Can I Use?

- Into the future
 - IRS allows 3 years into the future
 - Important to monitor compliance for collection cases
- Into the past
 - Stick with the years being reviewed for an audit
 - Go 3 years farther back than the client's issues in collection cases
 - To look for potential penalty relief

How Do I Fill Out the POA?

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Part 1: Client Information

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Cape Canaveral, FL 32920
hereby appoints the following representative(s) as attorney(s)-in-fact:

Part 2 Representative Information

Name and address	CAF No. 10000000R
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987 Taxpayer Center	Telephone No. (407) 555-0000
Orlando, FL 32000	Fax No. (407) 555-5555
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Part 3: Acts Authorized

3 Acts authorized (you are required to complete line 3). Except for the acts described in line 5b, I authorize my representative(s) to receive and inspect my confidential tax information and to perform acts I can perform with respect to the tax matters described below. For example, my representative(s) shall have the authority to sign any agreements, consents, or similar documents (see instructions for line 5a for authorizing a representative to sign a return).

Description of Matter (Income, Employment, Payroll, Excise, Estate, Gift, Whistleblower, Practitioner Discipline, PLR, FOIA, Civil Penalty, Sec. 4980H Shared Responsibility Payment, etc.) (see instructions)	Tax Form Number (1040, 941, 720, etc.) (if applicable)	Year(s) or Period(s) (if applicable) (see instructions)
Income	Form 1040	2016-2022

Part 4 & 5 Non CAF Use & Additional Acts

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Part 7 Taxpayer Signature

- Taxpayer declaration and signature. If a tax matter concerns a year in which a joint return was filed, each spouse must file a separate power of attorney even if they are appointing the same representative(s). If signed by a corporate officer, partner, guardian, tax matters partner, partnership representative (or designated individual, if applicable), executor, receiver, administrator, trustee, or individual other than the taxpayer, I certify I have the legal authority to execute this form on behalf of the taxpayer.
 - ▶ IF NOT COMPLETED, SIGNED, AND DATED, THE IRS WILL RETURN THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY TO THE TAXPAYER.

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Part 8 Preparer Signature

Part II Declaration of Representative

Under penalties of perjury, by my signature below I declare that

- I am not currently suspended or disbarred from practice, or ineligible for practice, before the Internal Revenue Service;
- I am subject to regulations in Circular 230 (31 CFR, Subtitle A. Part 10), as amended, governing practice before the Internal Revenue Service;
- I am authorized to represent the taxpayer identified in Part I for the matter(s) specified there; and
- . I am one of the following:
- a Attorney-a member in good standing of the bar of the highest court of the jurisdiction shown below.
- b Certified Public Accountant a holder of an active license to practice as a certified public accountant in the jurisdiction shown below
- c Enrolled Agent enrolled as an agent by the IRS per the requirements of Circular 230.
- d Officer-a bona fide officer of the taxpayer organization.
- e Full-Time Employee -- a full-time employee of the taxpayer.
- f Family Member a member of the taxpayer's immediate family (spouse, parent, child, grandparent, grandchild, step-parent, step-child, brother, or sister).
- g Errolled Actuary—enrolled as an actuary by the Joint Board for the Enrollment of Actuaries under 29 U.S.C. 1242 (the authority to practice before the IRS is limited by section 10.3(d) of Circular 230).
- h Unenrolled Return Preparer Authority to practice before the IRS is limited. An unenrolled return preparer may represent, provided the preparer (1) prepared and signed the return or claim for refund (or prepared if there is no signature space on the form); (2) was eligible to sign the return or claim for refund; (3) has a valid PTIN; and (4) possesses the required Annual Films Season Program Record of Completion(s). See Special Rules and Requirements for Unenrolled Return Preparers in the instructions for additional information.
- k Qualifying Student or Law Graduate—receives permission to represent taxpayers before the IRS by virtue of his/her status as a law, business, or accounting student, or law graduate working in a LITC or STCP. See instructions for Part II for additional information and requirements.
- r Enrolled Retirement Plan Agent enrolled as a retirement plan agent under the requirements of Circular 230 (the authority to practice before the Internal Revenue Service is limited by section 10.3(e)).

▶ IF THIS DECLARATION OF REPRESENTATIVE IS NOT COMPLETED. SIGNED, AND DATED, THE IRS WILL RETURN THE POWER OF ATTORNEY. REPRESENTATIVES MUST SIGN IN THE ORDER LISTED IN PART I, LINE 2.

Note: For designations d-f, enter your title, position, or relationship to the taxpayer in the "Licensing jurisdiction" column,

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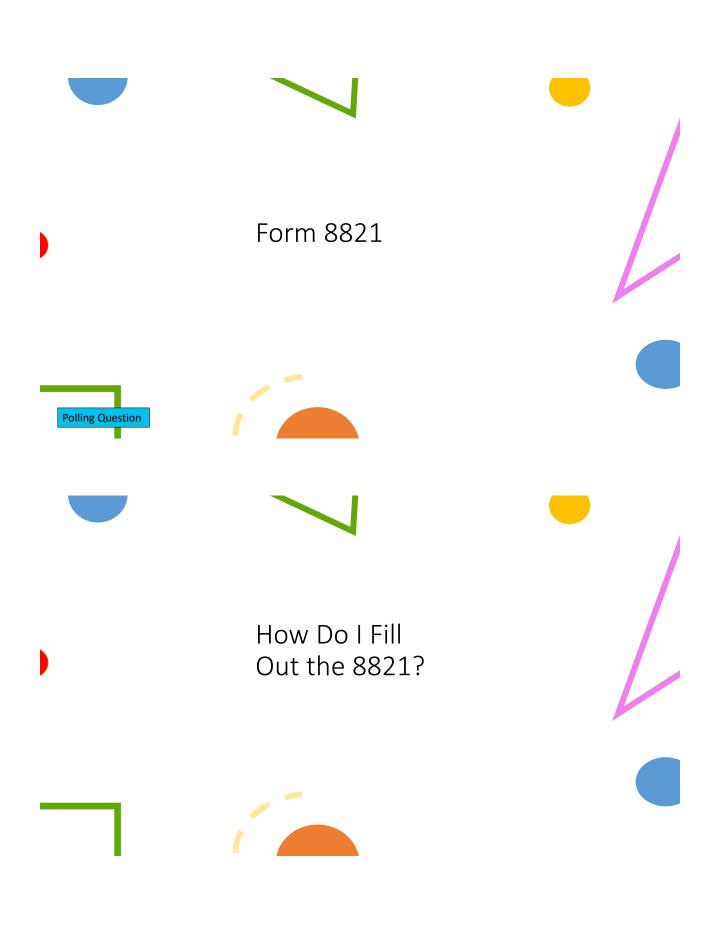
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What if I Only Need Records?

- FORM 8821 Tax Information Authorization
- Ability to obtain Transcript Records
 - Account Transcripts
 - · Wage and Income
 - Tax Return Transcripts
 - Record of Account
 - Internal Transcripts
 - Get copies of notices
- · Great for review prior to engaging into a case
- Records kept at the CAF Unit



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Part 1: Client Information

Form **8821**

(Rev. January 2021)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Tax Information Authorization

▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form8821 for instructions and the latest information.
 ▶ Don't sign this form unless all applicable lines have been completed.
 ▶ Don't use Form 8821 to request copies of your tax returns or to authorize someone to represent you. See instructions.

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Cape Canaveral, FL 32920		

Part 2: Designee Information

2 Designee(s). If you wish to name more than two designees, designees is attached ▶ □	, atta	ch a list to this form. Check here if a list of additional
Name and address		CAF No. 20000000R
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Part 3: Tax Information

- 3 Tax information. Each designee is authorized to inspect and/or receive confidential tax information for the type of tax, forms, periods, and specific matters you list below. See the line 3 instructions.
 - $\overline{\mathbf{X}}$ By checking here, I authorize access to my IRS records via an Intermediate Service Provider.

(a) Type of Tax Information (Income, Employment, Payroll, Excise, Estate, Gift, Civil Penalty, Sec. 4980H Payments, etc.)	(b) Tax Form Number (1040, 941, 720, etc.)	(c) Year(s) or Period(s)	(d) Specific Tax Matters
Income	Form 1065	2014-2023	N/A
Employment	Form 941	03/2014-12/2023	N/A
Employment	Form 940	2014-2023	N/A

Part 4 & 5: Non CAF Uses & Retention/Revocation of Prior 8821

4	Specific use not recorded on the Centralized Authorization File (CAF). If the tax information authorization is for a specific use not recorded on CAF, check this box. See the instructions. If you check this box, skip line 5 ▶ [
5	Retention/revocation of prior tax information authorizations. If the line 4 box is checked, skip this line. If the line 4 box isn't checked, the IRS will automatically revoke all prior tax information authorizations on file unless you check the line 5 box and attach a copy of the tax information authorization(s) that you want to retain	

Part 6: Taxpayer Signature

6	Taxpayer signature. If signed by a corporate officer, partner, guardian, partnership representative (or designated
	individual, if applicable), executor, receiver, administrator, trustee, or individual other than the taxpayer, I certify that I have
	the legal authority to execute this form with respect to the tax matters and tax periods shown on line 3 above.

▶ IF NOT COMPLETED, SIGNED, AND DATED, THIS TAX INFORMATION AUTHORIZATION WILL BE RETURNED.

► DON'T SIGN THIS FORM IF IT IS BLANK OR INCOMPLETE.

Marcus Apollo	6-3-2023
Signature	Date
Marcus Apollo	President
Print Name	Title (if applicable)

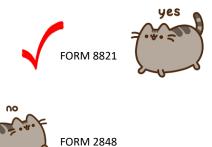
For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the instructions.

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Form **8821** (Rev. 01-2021)



Ms. Kittens has not filed her return from last year since she cannot locate her W-2 form. She normally receives refunds and has never had any tax problems. What form should you file to help her?





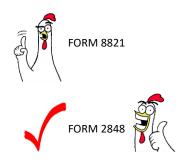
- Why file an 8821?
 - Just gathering information
 - Expects to get a refund
- Why not a 2848?
 - Do not need to represent
 - No history of tax issues
 - Makes you responsible if audit issues arise





What Form Should We Use? Scenario 2

Mr. Cluck has a big tax problem. There is a Revenue Officer (RO) attempting to collect from him. Mr. Cluck brought the letter from the RO and there are only 2 more days to request a hearing before the IRS levies Mr. Cluck and takes his bank accounts and wages. What form should you file?



- Why not use an 8821?
 - · Extremely close deadline
 - · Not just obtaining records
- Why use a 2848?
 - Need to represent
 - Need to exercise rights (Ask for appeal)
 - No time to investigate the case





What Form Should We Use? Scenario 3

 Mr. & Mrs. Fox have a tax issue. They haven't filed in 4 years. Mr. Fox is self-employed photographer and Mrs. Fox is a wage earning veteranarian. He can provide his income and expense records, but she has lost most of her W-2s and investment statements. They also owe \$40K from the last tax return they filed. What Is the best form to file to help them?

FORM 8821



FORM 2848

- Why file the 8821:
 - · To obtain the missing income records
 - To investigate the prior year balances
 - To decide if you want to take the case
- When to file the 2848:
 - If your investigation correlates to client conversations
 - If you feel you have knowledge to represent

FORM 8821



FORM 2848





IRS CAF Unit





What Does the CAF Unit Do?

- Centralized Authorization File (CAF) Unit
- Three different offices Memphis, Ogden & Philadelphia
- Inputs records of 3rd party authorizations
 - Power of Attorney Form 2848
 - Tax Information Authorization Form 8821
- · Maintains the digital records of authorizations
- Accessed by all divisions of IRS

How Do I File With the CAF Unit?

- 3 Offices of the CAF unit Filed Where Client Lives
- Memphis Office Fax (855) 214-7519
 - Alabama, Arkansas, Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Mississippi, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Tennessee, Vermont, Virginia, and West Virginia
- Ogden Office Fax (855) 214-7522
 - Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Dakota, Texas, Utah, Washington, Wisconsin, and Wyoming
- Philadelphia Office Fax (855) 772-3156
 - All APO and FPO addresses, American Samoa, the Commonwealth of the northern Mariana Islands, Guam, the US Virgin Islands, Puerto Rico, a foreign Country or otherwise outside of the United States

- When other IRS offices obtain your POA, it may be forwarded to the CAF unit if not on record
- Pre-Covid, CAF Unit had A 5 business day window to post in most scenarios

with the CAF Unit?

- Who Else Files Pre-Covid, CAF Unit had a 24 Hour window to post Taxpayer Advocate hardship cases
 - Post-Covid, There are generally delays within the system of weeks
 - Practitioner Tip: Don't assume the IRS has your POA on file, send a copy to whomever you are working with

How Do They Input the Data?

- Third Party Authorization is first reviewed for duplication
- Representative's CAF information is verified
- Information is posted into the client's record
- Practitioner's assigned CAF Number is then marked as associated with the client
- Acts Practitioner is authorized are entered based on 2848/8821
 - All data is entered with numbers
 - Master File Transaction (MFT) Codes denote the form type
 - Each period/year on the form is entered individually
- Once the form is completed the original is mailed to a Kansas City Office for file retention

Removing Authorizations

Why Should We Remove POAs & 8821s?

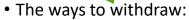
TO MAKE SURE WE DON'T HAVE ZOMBIE CASES



How Do I Obtain my CAF Records?

- Previously we had to use a Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request
- New addition to IRS Tax Pro Accounts
 - Link our CAF Number
 - Can review 3rd party authorizations
 - · Withdraw online

How Can I Withdraw From a Case?



- With your Tax Pro Account
 - · Select the client
 - Mark the check box at the bottom
 - · Click to confirm
- With the CAF Unit
 - Mark the top of the original POA/8821 "withdraw" sign, and date on the form
 - Fax the POA/8821 to the appropriate CAF Unit
- If the case is with IRS staff (example: directly with a Revenue Officer)
 - Mark the top of the original POA "withdraw" sign, and date on the form
 - Fax the POA to the Revenue Officer or other IRS staff
 - They will forward the withdraw to the CAF unit, but we also recommend sending it yourself

What if I Don't Have the POA Anymore?

- · Can withdraw through Tax Pro Account or
- You can withdraw using a letter
 - Must Include
 - · Client name
 - Taxpayer ID
 - Tax type authorized on original POA/8821
 - · Forms authorized
 - · Tax periods/years authorized
 - · Current date
 - Your Signature

Withdrawal Letter Sample

Lottie Problems SS#: 000-00-0001 April 27, 2024

Dear IRS,

I am withdrawing from representation in a matter in which a power of attorney has been filed regarding the taxpayer referred to above for the Form 1040 Income tax returns for the years ended December 31, 2012-2023. I am sending a withdrawal statement/POA revocation to you and to each office and service center of the IRS including the Centralized Authorization File where I originally filed the power of attorney form as contemplated by the procedural regulation which follows:

601.505(b) BY THE RECOGNIZED REPRESENTATIVE -

(1) REVOCATION OF POWER OF ATTORNEY.

A recognized representative may withdraw from representation in a matter in which a power of attorney has been filed by filing a statement with those offices of the Internal Revenue Service where the power of attorney to be revoked was filed. The statement must be signed by the representative and must identify the name and address of the taxpayer(s) and the matter(s) from which the representative is withdrawing. Please note your records as to my withdrawal and inform all IRS personnel who should be aware of my withdrawal.

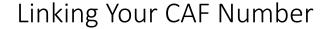
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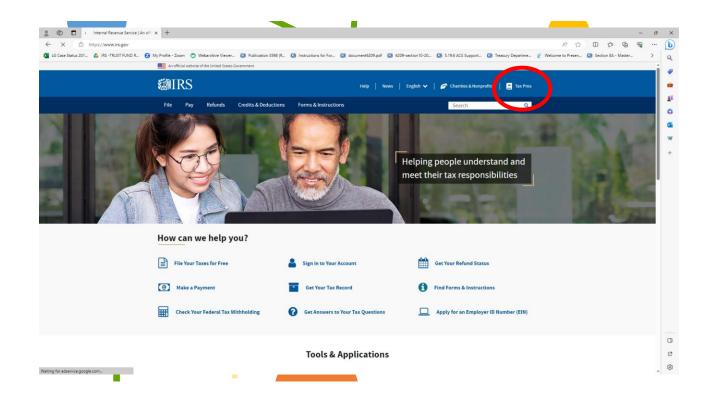
Responsible Representative, CPA

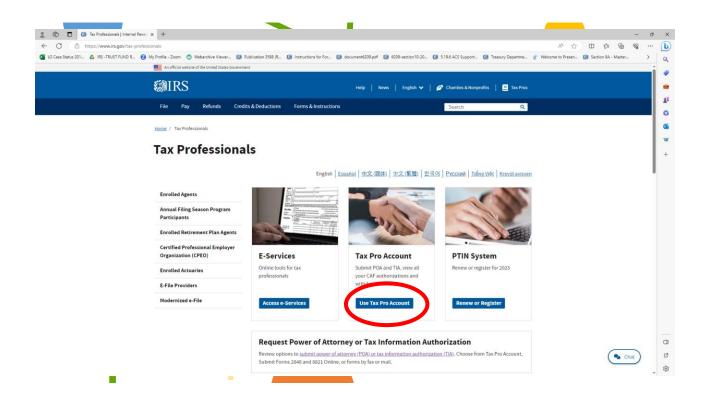
How Do I Know I'm No Longer POA?

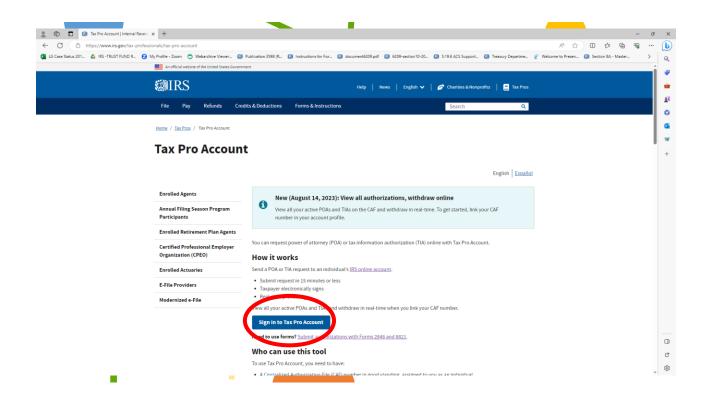
The IRS will send letters

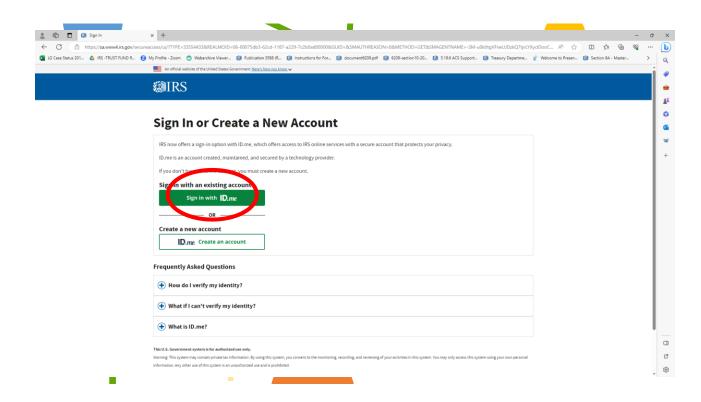
- The client will be informed you have withdrawn
- The representative will get a copy of the client letter

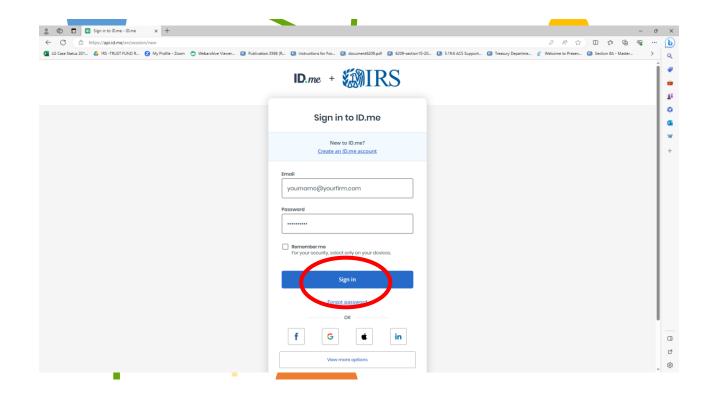


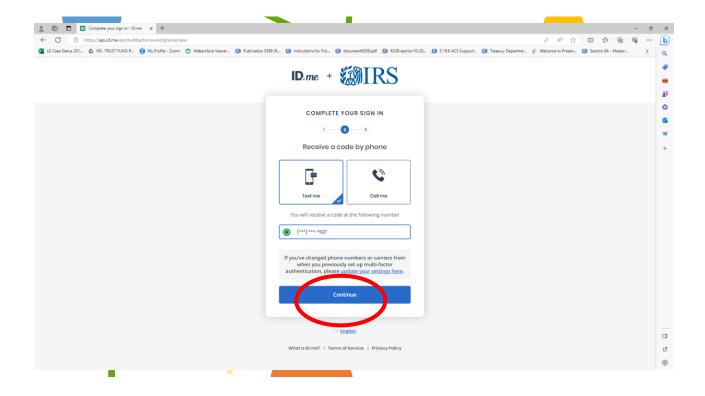


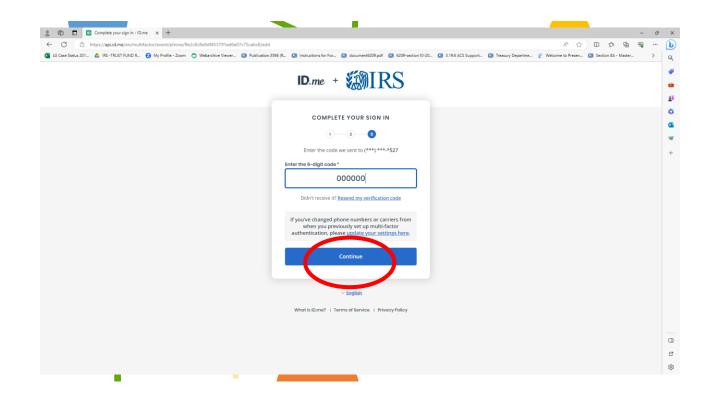


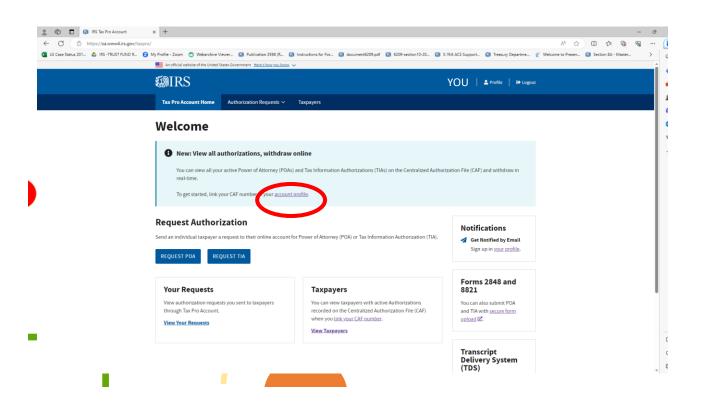


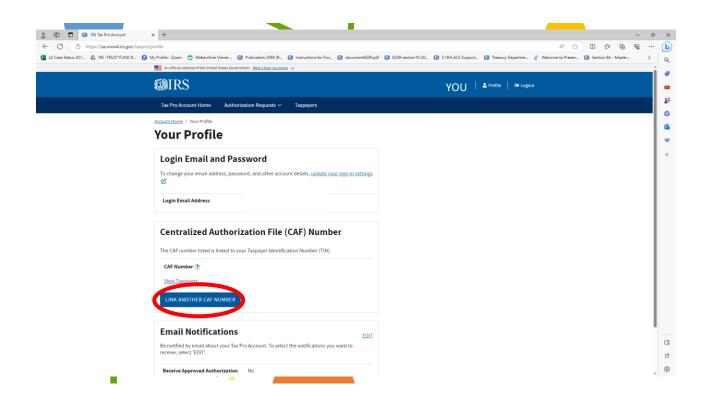


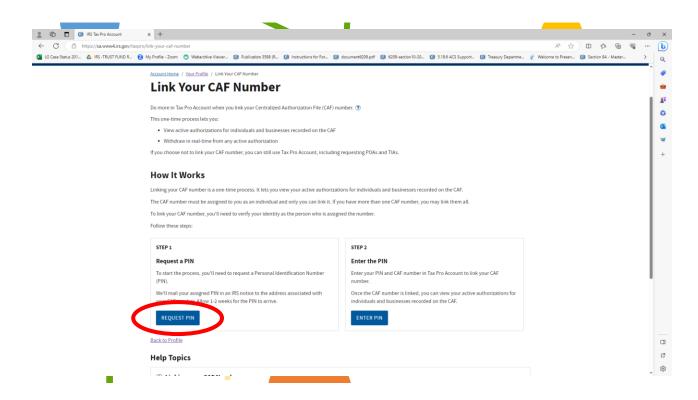


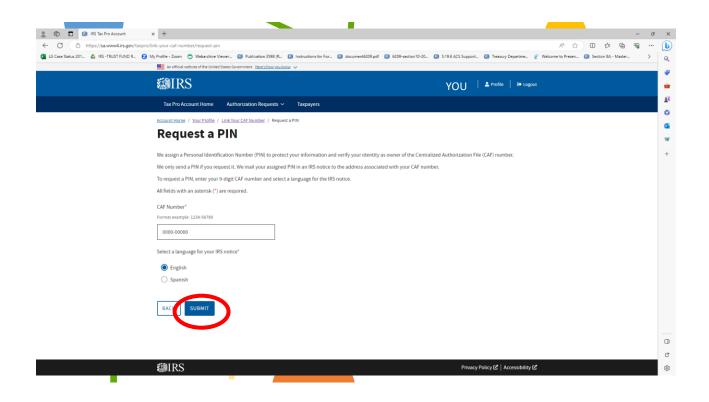


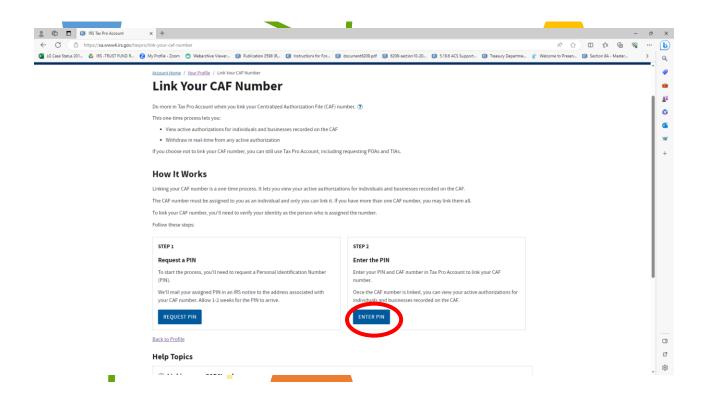


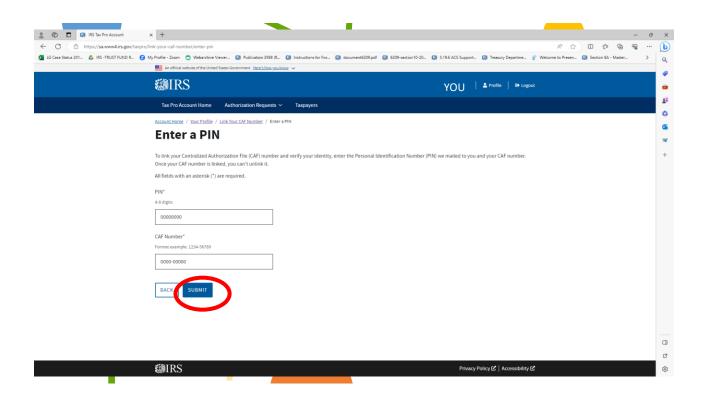


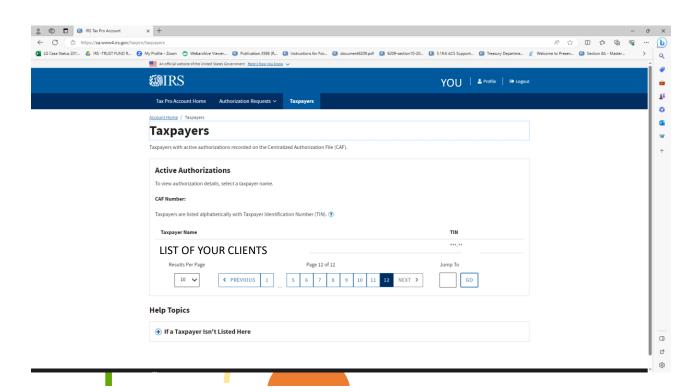


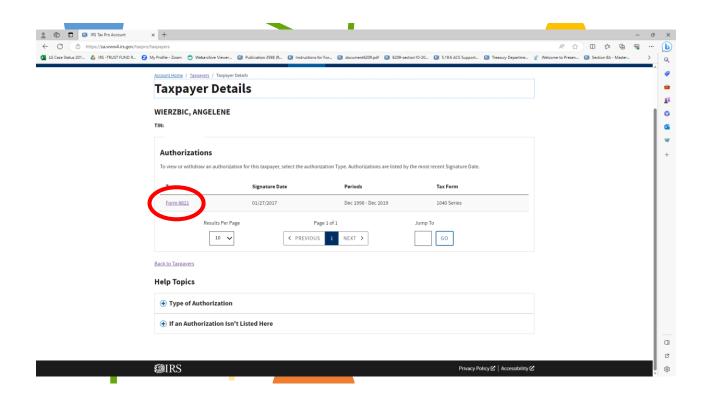


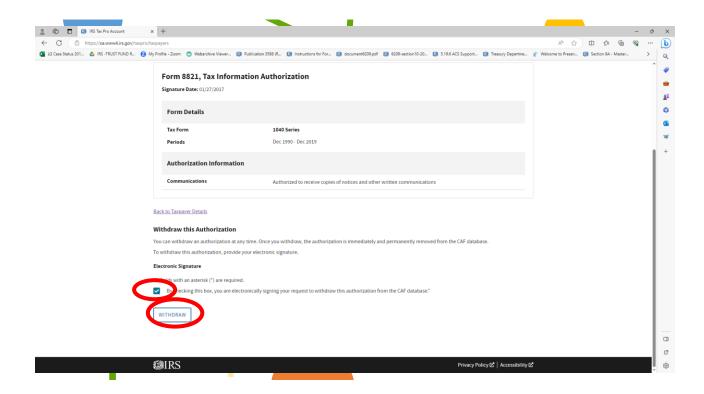


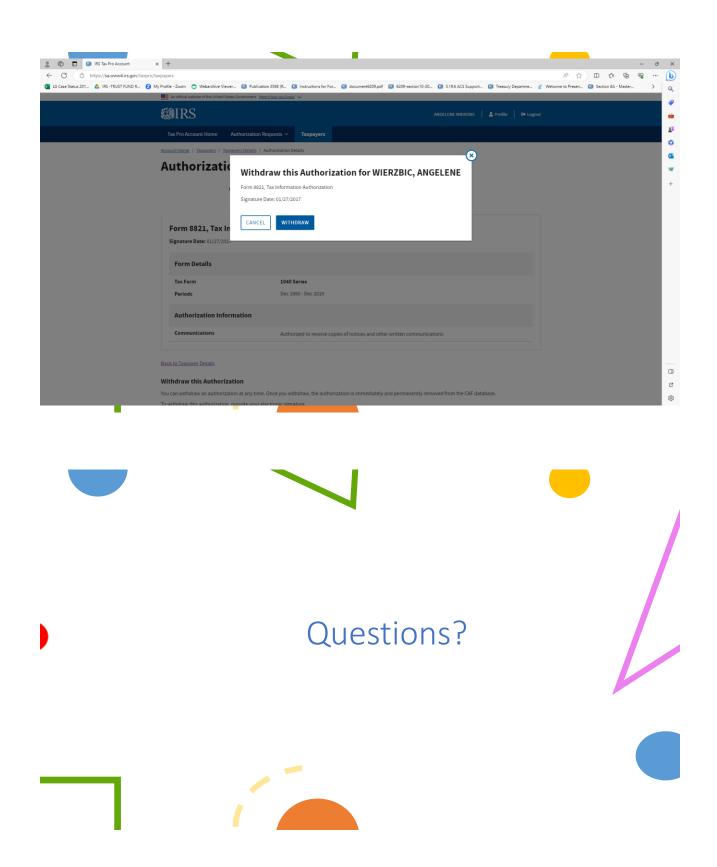














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