

3. Social Security or Tax Identification Number Certification and Signature

If your request/transaction requires certification of the Social Security/Tax Identification Number, please complete the following:

Social Security or Tax ID Number

Under penalty of perjury, I certify that:

1. The taxpayer identification number (TIN) shown above is correct, (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me), and
2. The TIN is not subject to backup withholding because (a) it is exempt from backup withholding, or (b) it has not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that it is subject to backup withholding as a result of failure to report all interests or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified the taxpayer that it is no longer subject to backup withholding, and
3. Each owner of the account is a U.S. person (including a U.S. resident alien).

Signature and Title of Owner, Custodian, Trustee, POA, Executor, etc.

Date

4. Signature(s)

All investors must sign exactly as their name appears in the registration, Order of Appointment, Trust Agreement, etc., including any capacity (e.g., Trustee, Guardian, Executor, Administrator, etc.).

Signature and Title of Owner, Custodian, Trustee, POA, Executor, etc.

Date

Daytime Phone Number

Signature and Title of Joint Owner, Co-Trustee, Co-Executor, etc.

Date

Daytime Phone Number

An **original** STAMP2000 Medallion Guarantee ("MSG") is required. Please contact the guarantor *in advance* to confirm signature and document requirements. An MSG is designed to protect the account from fraud and may be obtained from any of the following institutions:

- bank or trust company;
- savings association;
- credit union; or
- broker, dealer, or securities exchange member.

Original Medallion Guarantee or
Signature Validation Program Stamp

Signature verification by a notary public is not an acceptable substitute. The signature Validation Program Stamp may be used for non-financial transactions.

5. Mailing Instructions

Please mail this form and any additional documentation to **The Federated Hermes Funds:**

Regular Mail:

P.O. Box 219318
Kansas City, MO 64121-9318

Overnight Delivery:

801 Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 219318
Kansas City, MO 64105-1307

Client Services 1-800-341-7400, Option 4

For more information, visit our website at [FederatedHermes.com/us](https://www.FederatedHermes.com/us)

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