



Frequently Asked Questions: Fingerprinting Requirements

1. Is the IRS conducting fingerprint checks as part of the PTIN application process? (revised 6/9/11)

The IRS is not currently conducting fingerprint checks as part of the PTIN application process, but certain applicants will be fingerprinted in the future. All applicants currently must include an explanation of any felony convictions in the past 10 years.

Additional information on fingerprint checks will be posted at www.irs.gov/ptin when it becomes available.

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