



*Northern Lights Costumers Guild -Noelcg.org*

October 9, 2016

International Costumers' Guild

Attn: Bruce MacDermott, ICG GEL Administrator

Re: Group Exemption Letter

The Northern Lights Costumers Guild (N0eL) is an affiliated chapter of the International Costumers' Guild (ICG). As an affiliated chapter of the ICG, Northern Lights Costumers submits to the general supervision and control of its activities deemed representative of the ICG. Northern Lights Costumers is not a private Foundation, but is an educational organization making them eligible for 501(c)(3) status with the IRS. The Northern Lights Costumers' fiscal year is January 1 through December 31. Northern Lights Costumers was organized as a chapter of the ICG in May 1999, and admitted as an official Chapter at the annual ICG General Meeting held in April.

The Northern Lights Costumers Guild was organized specifically to serve as a common ground for fellow costumers who live in the New England states (MA, CT, VT, NH, ME, RI). We hold monthly meetings at various locations in MA and the surrounding New England states and conduct workshops at our meetings. Meetings are open to newcomers. Our meeting minutes are available to the public through our website. Northern Lights Costumers' income consists primarily of membership dues. Expenses include our website, supplies, and ICG membership dues.

The Northern Lights Costumers Guild's financial office is located at the following address:

Northern Lights Costumers Guild  
1 Glen Meadow Road  
Franklin, MA 02038

The Northern Lights Costumers Guild operates under the EIN: 81-3962672

This letter is to be viewed as official notice that the Northern Lights Costumers Guild agrees to be included in the Group Exemption Letter from the IRS.

Respectfully,

Judy Mitchell  
Northern Lights President

Susan Smith  
Northern Lights Treasurer