



HOPKINS

TAX & ACCOUNTING

What is Tax Audit Defense?

Audit Defense is included with every prepared return by our firm and it provides full audit representation from a licensed tax professional.

We provide this service to our clients with reassurance that everything will be handled on their behalf in the unlikely event of an audit.

What you'll get with Audit Defense

Audit Defense makes sure you never have to face the IRS alone. Your tax professional will:

- Defend your return from audits through the highest level of appeals, for 7 years;
- Schedule and attend all audit appointments;
- Review your tax return for additional problem areas;
- Review your documentation before the IRS sees it;
- Provide assistance with all other notices or letters.

Which returns are eligible for Audit Defense?

All timely-filed personal tax returns (including states) are eligible for Audit Defense, provided the client relationship was established prior to receiving the audit notice. For partnership or corporate returns, you can purchase a separate business membership by contacting info@hopkinstaxaccounting.com

Which returns are not eligible for Audit Defense?

Audit Defense will not cover returns that are:

- Not prepared by Hopkins Tax & Accounting
- For business entities with gross receipts exceeding \$5 million and/or have 10 partners, stockholders, beneficiaries, or members
- For publicly-traded businesses

Also, you cannot participate in Audit Defense if you've already received an audit notice.