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Club Audit Form and Instructions

Tax
Year _____



Audit Instructions

To perform your audit, first prepare by accumulating the records required from your financial institutions and from your club bivio records.

Assemble the records needed to complete each of the 7 audit steps and assign each step to an independent committee to perform.

Perform the records comparison and note any discrepancies found. There are 7 steps to the audit process:

- 1) Verify cash balances and number of shares of stock—start of tax year
- 2) Verify cash balances and number of shares of stock—end of tax year
- 3) Verify income received
- 4) Verify expenses recorded
- 5) Verify stock transactions
- 6) Verify accuracy of member contributions
- 7) Verify accuracy of withdrawals

Discuss discrepancies with the club and the club treasurer, determine what is required to correct them and make the corrections agreed to.

Have everyone sign the forms in the correct places and file the completed forms with your club records.

Put your feet up and relax or have a party to celebrate!

Have fun in the upcoming year investing with your friends!

Records Required

From Financial Institution - *Paper copies or online access*

- Monthly statements
December of Previous tax year through December of Current tax year
- Trade Confirmation Records
Individual or Summary List
- Dividend and Interest Transaction Records
From Statements or Summary List
- Checks written
Copies or Summary List
- Deposits and Withdrawals
From Statements or Summary List
- Realized and Unrealized Gain/Loss Reports

From Club - *Paper copies or online access*

- Receipts for expenses
- Verification of member deposits by members
From club member review of year-end Member Contributions and Withdrawals report
- Monthly meeting minutes
Authorization of expenses, stock transactions, withdrawal discussions
- Partnership Agreement
Terms for Paying Withdrawals
Allocation of Expenses
- Club bivio records
 - Valuation reports-12/31/2021, 12/31/2022
 - Cash balances and Shares Owned
 - Transaction History Report-12/31/2022
 - Transactions grouped into categories
 - Income Statement-2022
 - Shows dividends by company, Interest and Expenses recorded
 - Withdrawal Reports 2022
 - For all members who withdrew during year
 - Transaction Lists (from Accounting>Accounts>transactions) 1/1/2022-12/31/2022
 - Dates and amounts in chronological order
 - Member Contributions and Withdrawals Report 2022
 - Transaction Ledger Report 1/1/2022-12/31/2022
 - Capital Gains/Losses Report 12/31/2022
 - Investment Lot Cost Basis Reports – dated right after the dates of any reorganizations

Audit Steps

Step 1 - Check end-of-year cash balances and number of shares for prior tax year

bivio Valuation report dated 12/31/2021

Brokerage statement 12/31/2021

Compare cash balance and number of shares of stock

- Records Agree
- Discrepancy Noted (Stop Audit and resolve issues)

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Step 2 - Check end-of-year cash balances and number of shares for current tax year

bivio Valuation report dated 12/31/2022

Brokerage statement 12/31/2022

Compare cash balance and number of shares of stock

- Records Agree
- Discrepancy Noted

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Step 3 - Verify Income Received

bivio Income Statement dated 2022

Brokerage Statement 12/31/2022

Compare total Dividends (Qualified + Money Market)

Compare Total Interest

bivio Transaction History report dated 12/31/2022

Brokerage dividend transaction list 1/1/2022-12/31/2022

Compare dividend transactions-date, amount and company

Records Agree

Discrepancy Noted

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Step 4 - Verify Expenses

bivio Income Statement Report dated 2022

Brokerage Summary List of Checks written or copies of checks

Verify expenses actually paid

Verify receipts for all expenses recorded

Verify all Expenses authorized by club in club meeting minutes

Verify expenses correctly recorded as deductible or non deductible.

bivio file storage (receipts, meeting minutes)

bivio Transaction History Report 12/31/2022

Club Partnership agreement

Verify expenses allocated as club requires

Records Agree

Discrepancy Noted

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Step 5 - Verify Stock Transactions

5a. Verify Purchases and Sales

bivio Transaction Ledger Report dated 12/31/2022.

Brokerage trade confirmation summary report 1/1/2022-12/31/2022

Confirm transaction dates, security name, number of shares of stock, purchase/sale price, total cost or proceeds

5b. Verify Capital Gains and Losses

bivio Capital Gain/Loss Report 12/31/2022

Brokerage Realized Gain/Loss Report 12/31/2022

Compare Acquisition dates, sale date, sales price, cost basis and gain/loss amount

Note any wash sales shown on brokerage report

bivio Investment transactions list for particular stock

For any sales where specific tax lots were sold (other than FIFO) confirm that the correct lots are included in the bivio records

5c. Verify Reorganizations

bivio Transaction History Report 12/31/2022

Brokerage statements for months any reorganization occurred

bivio Investment Lot Cost Basis Report – dated right after date of each reorganization entry

Brokerage Unrealized gain/loss report

Confirm reorganizations entered correctly. (contact bivio support if necessary)

Confirm cost basis of all shares involved agrees with what broker shows after reorganization

Records Agree

Discrepancy Noted (Stop Audit and resolve issues)

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Step 6 - Verify Member Contributions

bivio Member Contributions and Withdrawals report dated 2022

Club partnership agreement

Brokerage Deposit transaction summary list 1/1/2022-12/31/2022 or monthly statements

Verify Club members have confirmed amounts contributed-

Have members sign off on report

Verify Payments entered using correct Valuation Date

Verify Deposits made in brokerage account

bivio Transactions History report dated 12/31/2022

Verify entries have been recorded as payments, not fees or miscellaneous income.

Records Agree

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Step 7 - Verify Withdrawals Paid Correctly

bivio Withdrawal reports for year being audited

Club partnership agreement

Verify valuation date used to calculate withdrawal payment agrees with Partnership Agreement

Verify transaction date is date check was given to withdrawing partner

Verify records properly reconciled before processing withdrawal report (No post withdrawal adjustments)

bivio Investment lot cost basis report (s) – dated right after date of each stock withdrawal entry

Brokerage “Unrealized” and/or “Realized” gain/loss reports showing specific lot cost basis details

Confirm the number of shares, purchase dates and total cost basis of any lots remaining after stock withdrawal agree with similar details on the brokers “Unrealized” and “Realized” gain/loss reports if the club still owned any of the shares transferred after the withdrawal

Records Agree

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*(Stock transfer recording errors need to be fixed, but if a withdrawal entry shows other discrepancies in how it should have been recorded, it may be impossible to correct them after the fact, especially if you have given the member more in their payout than they should have gotten. Do not ask for any refunds without discussing the issue with bivio support. However, you should still note discrepancies as recommendations for future improvement)

Actions Taken to Correct Discrepancies:

Treasurer Signature and Date:

Audit Committee Signatures and Date:

Date submitted to the Club: _____