



# RB-1-L Limited Bingo Tax Return

Do not write above this line.

## Step 1: Identify your organization

Bingo license no. **BL** \_\_\_\_\_ Event date: from \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Organization name \_\_\_\_\_ Total games held \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Is this an amended return?  yes  no  
Number and street

Sequence number \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

## Step 2: Identify your supplier

Did you purchase any bingo supplies or equipment for this event?  yes  no If "yes," complete the following information:

Supplier's license no. **BF** \_\_\_\_\_ Supplier's license no. **BF** \_\_\_\_\_

Supplier's name \_\_\_\_\_ Supplier's name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Number and street

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

## Step 3: Figure your tax due

	Value of prizes awarded	No. of players	Gross proceeds
1 Total prizes, players, and gross proceeds for your bingo event	_____	_____	1 _____
2 Multiply Line 1, Gross proceeds column, by 5% (.05). This is the bingo tax due.			2 _____
3 Total credit you wish to apply			
Credit number _____			
Credit amount _____			3 _____
4 Subtract Line 3 from Line 2. Please pay this amount. Make your check payable to "Illinois Department of Revenue."			4 _____

## Step 4: Sign below

Under penalties of perjury, I state that I have examined this return and that it is true, correct, and complete, and that the total value of the prizes or merchandise awarded on any day was not greater than \$2,250 (\$3,250 in Madison, Monroe, and St. Clair counties and the City of Red Bud.)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Officer's signature (\_\_\_\_\_) Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Paid tax preparer's signature (\_\_\_\_\_) Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### Mail this return and your payment to:

BINGO TAX  
ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE  
PO BOX 19019  
SPRINGFIELD IL 62794-9019

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# Form RB-1-L Instructions

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## General Information

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### What is the deadline for filing this return?

This return is due on or before the twentieth day following the last day of the event for which you are filing this return. For example, if this return is for an event that ended March 31, it is due on or before April 20.

### What if I fail to file this return and pay the amount I owe?

You owe a **late-filing penalty** if you do not file a processable return by the due date, a **late-payment penalty** if you do not pay the tax you owe by the date the tax is due, and a **bad check penalty** if your remittance is not honored by your financial institution. Interest is calculated on tax from the day after the original due date of your return through the date you pay the tax. We will bill you for penalties and interest. For more information about penalties and interest, see Publication 103, Uniform Penalties and Interest. To receive a copy of this publication, visit our web site at [tax.illinois.gov](http://tax.illinois.gov) or call us at **1 800 356-6302**.

In addition, we may suspend or revoke your bingo license.

### What if I have questions?

If you have questions about your return, call 217 782-6045 or 217 785-6602 weekdays between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

If you have questions about your license, call 217 524-4164 weekdays between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

You may also write to us at:

BINGO TAX  
ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE  
PO BOX 19019  
SPRINGFIELD IL 62794-9019

## Specific Instructions

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### Step 1: Identify your organization

Write your organization's license number, name, and address. Also, complete the information in the right-hand column.

### Step 2: Identify your supplier

Write the license number, name, and address of your supplier. If you have more than two, please attach a separate sheet of paper.

### Step 3: Figure your tax due

**Value of prizes awarded** – the amount of all cash prizes awarded, including door or attendance prizes, and the cash value of any merchandise or bingo cards awarded as prizes.

**Number of bingo players** – the total number of bingo players for each event.

**Gross proceeds** – the receipts from each event. According to the Bingo License and Tax Act, "gross proceeds" includes the charge, in whatever form, for playing bingo.

**Line 1** – Write the total number of prizes, players, and gross proceeds from your bingo event.

**Line 3** – If you have a credit you wish to apply toward your tax, write the amount of your credit on Line 3. For each credit memorandum, write the credit memorandum number and amount of credit on the line provided. Be sure to attach the original credit memorandum to your return. We will not accept photocopies.

**Line 4** – This is the total amount of tax you owe. If you do not file a processable return or pay the tax you owe by the due date, you will owe additional penalty and interest. We will bill you for penalties and interest. If you prefer to figure these amounts, see the most current Publication 103, Uniform Penalties and Interest, because application of penalties and interest may be different depending on when your return is due. Include the penalty and interest amounts on Line 4. Please identify how much is penalty and interest to the left of Line 4.