

Civil behavior in trying times

Some observers have noted that civility is decreasing in our society as our lives become more complex. We know that you may find yourself frustrated with the difficulties of the tax law or pressed for time when dealing with our staff. Still, we ask that you treat our employees just as you would like to be treated in a business situation. Any statement or gesture made to a Board of Equalization employee that seems remotely like a threat—even a statement made in jest—will be referred to our Internal Security and Audit Division for investigation.