# **Beneficial Ownership Information Form**

Synovus Contact Person
Synovus Contact Phone

### **GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS**

#### What is this form?

To help the government fight financial crime, Federal regulation requires certain financial institutions to obtain, verify, and record information about the beneficial owners of legal entity customers. Legal entities can be abused to disguise involvement in terrorist financing, money laundering, tax evasion, corruption, fraud, and other financial crimes. Requiring the disclosure of key individuals who own or control a legal entity (i.e., the beneficial owners) helps law enforcement investigate and prosecute these crimes.

#### Who has to complete this form?

This form must be completed and returned to Synovus Bank by the person opening a new account on behalf of a legal entity.

Note: A copy of the Synovus approved ID(s) recorded on this form must be provided.

For the purposes of this form, a **legal entity** includes a corporation, limited liability company, or other entity that is created by a filing of a public document with a Secretary of State or similar office, a general partnership, and any similar business entity formed in the United States or a foreign country. **Legal entity** does not include sole proprietorships, unincorporated associations, or natural persons opening accounts on their own behalf.

#### What information do I have to provide?

This form requires you to provide the name, address, date of birth and Social Security number (or passport number or other similar information, in the case of Non-U.S. persons) for the following individuals (*i.e.*, the **Beneficial Owners** and **Control Person**):

- Beneficial Owner Each individual, if any, who owns, directly or indirectly, 25 percent or more of the equity interests of the legal entity customer (e.g., each natural person that owns 25 percent or more of the shares of a corporation); and
- ii) **Control Person** An individual with significant responsibility for managing the legal entity customer (e.g., a Chief Executive Officer, Chief Financial Officer, Chief Operating Officer, Managing Member, General Partner, President, Vice President, or Treasurer).

The number of individuals that satisfy this definition of "beneficial owner" may vary. Under section (i), depending on the factual circumstances, up to four individuals (but as few as zero) may need to be identified. Regardless of the number of individuals identified under section (i), you must provide the identifying information of one individual under section (ii). It is possible that in some circumstances the same individual might be identified under both sections (e.g., the President of Acme, Inc. who also holds a 25% equity interest). Thus, a completed form will contain the identifying information of at least one individual (under section (ii)), and up to five individuals (i.e., one individual under section (ii) and four 25 percent equity holders under section (i)). The financial institution may also ask to see a copy of a driver's license or other identifying document for each beneficial owner listed on this form.

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A. CUSTOMER INFORMATION			
Name of Legal Entity for which the account is being open	ned:		
Type of Legal Entity:	1	egal Entity Tax ID	Number:
Physical Address of Legal Entity for which the account is	being opened:		
B. PRINCIPAL INFORMATION			
Please Check All That Apply			
	rol Person Certify	ing Person (natu	ral person opening the account)
Title (if control person or certifying person)			
Full Name			
Date of Birth			
Address (Residential or Business Street Address, City,	State, & Zip)		
Social Security Number			
Primary Form of identification	Document ID Numbe	r:	Date of Issuance:
Driver's License Other <sup>1</sup> :	Place of Issuance	e:	Expiration Date:
Non-US Person		ID Type:	·
Passport Number and country of issuance, social security		Number:	
number, or other similar identification number <sup>1</sup>	Cour	ntry of Issuance:	
Please Check All That Apply  Beneficial Owner %Ownership Cont	and Dayson Contif	in a Danson (mater	
'	rol Person Certify	ing Person (natu	ral person opening the account)
Title (if control person or certifying person)			
Full Name			
Date of Birth			
Address (Residential or Business Street Address, City,	. State, & Zip)		
Social Security Number			
Primary Form of identification	Document ID Numbe	r:	Date of Issuance:
Driver's License Other¹:	Place of Issuance		Expiration Date:
Non-US Person		ID Type:	

Number:

Country of Issuance:

Passport Number and country of issuance, social security

number, or other similar identification number<sup>1</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In lieu of a passport number, Non-U.S. Persons may also provide a Social Security Number, an alien identification card number, or number and country of issuance of any other government-issued document evidencing nationality or residence and bearing a photograph or similar safeguard.

## **B. PRINCIPAL INFORMATION**

Please Check All That Apply

Beneficial Owner%Ownership C	ontrol Person	trol Person Certifying Person (natural person opening the acco			count)
<b>Title</b> (if control person or certifying person)					
Full Name					
Date of Birth					
Address (Residential or Business Street Address, C	City, State, & Zip)				
Social Security Number					
Primary Form of identification Driver's License Other¹:	Document ID	Number:		Date of Issuance:	
	Place of	Issuance:		Expiration Date:	
Non-US Person			ID Type:		
Passport Number and country of issuance, social securit	ty		Number:		
number, or other similar identification number <sup>1</sup>		Country o	f Issuance:		

Please Check All That Apply

Beneficial Owner%Ownership Co	ntrol Person	<b>Certifying Person</b>	(natural person opening the account)
<b>Title</b> (if control person or certifying person)			
Full Name			
Date of Birth			
Address (Residential or Business Street Address, Ci	ty, State, & Zip)		
Social Security Number			
Primary Form of identification	Document ID I	Number:	Date of Issuance:
Driver's License Other¹:	Place of I	ssuance:	Expiration Date:
Non-US Person		ID Ty	/pe:
Passport Number and country of issuance, social security	/	Numl	per:
number, or other similar identification number <sup>1</sup>		Country of Issuar	nce:

Please Check All That Apply

Beneficial Owner%Ownership Co	ontrol Person	Certifying Person (nat	ural person opening the account)		
Title (if control person or certifying person)					
Full Name					
Date of Birth					
Address (Residential or Business Street Address, City, State, & Zip)					
Social Security Number					
Primary Form of identification	Document ID N	lumber:	Date of Issuance:		
Driver's License Other¹:	Place of Is	suance:	Expiration Date:		
Non-US Person		ID Type:			
Passport Number and country of issuance, social security	/	Number:			
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