

Income Tax - Mailing of Incorrect Check

I mailed in my Federal (IRS) payment to the Department of Revenue by mistake. What can I do to get it back or correct the situation?

When a check comes into the Colorado Department of Revenue that is not meant for us, three possible scenarios could take place:

1. The check will be caught by our mailroom and the check will be sent to the IRS.
2. The check will be caught by our mailroom and the check will be returned to the sender.
3. The check will NOT be caught by our mailroom and will be processed.

If the check is processed the amount owed to the state will be taken out on the check and the remaining balance will be placed into the taxpayer's estimated payments for the next filing year. If the taxpayer wishes to receive the money back, the department must receive notification from the taxpayer. Call (303) 238-7378, or by mail in a written request to:

Colorado Department of Revenue
1375 Sherman St. #240
Denver, CO 80261