

## **PENNSYLVANIA UNCLAIMED PROPERTY**

When property has been abandoned or unclaimed for a certain period of time, that property is required to be reported to the state. The state will then take possession of the property until claimed by its owner. The state of Pennsylvania requires that all holders of property belonging to others in Pennsylvania report unclaimed property annually by April 15 for the preceding tax year. If a holder does not have any property to report, it still must file a report indicating no property.

The rules/regulations regarding Pennsylvania unclaimed property as well as forms can be found on the Pennsylvania Department of Treasury's website ([www.patreasury.gov](http://www.patreasury.gov)). Pennsylvania will not send forms or otherwise notify businesses annually prior to the April 15 deadline.

In addition to reporting unclaimed property, individuals and businesses should verify that they are not the owner of any property being held by any state by going to a state's unclaimed property website or by going to [www.missingmoney.com](http://www.missingmoney.com) where unclaimed property held by more than 40 states is currently listed. The website also provides information on how to claim property listed.