

9 Redaction Feature

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The eFile application supports the Redaction feature. Redaction refers to the removal or obscuring of sensitive information, such as Social Security numbers. Filers can redact a document, view the redacted document, and then make modifications, if necessary, before uploading the redacted document to the case management system.

Note: The Redaction feature is configured by Tyler and may not be available on your system.

Note: You can perform redactions by using the Redaction Editor (which is displayed as the *Tyler Content Manager* window). This window opens in a separate tab in your browser. You must enable pop-ups in your browser settings to view the Redaction Editor (*Tyler Content Manager* window) and to perform redactions. The icons that are visible in the Redaction Editor (*Tyler Content Manager* window) may differ slightly from the screen shots contained in this document.

The following data is automatically redacted:

- Social Security Numbers
- Tax ID Numbers (EINs)
- Passport Numbers
- Credit Card Numbers
- Driver's License Numbers
- Account Numbers
- Government ID Numbers
- Names of Minors Listed as Parties on the Case
- Dates of Birth of Minors
- Addresses of Minors Listed on the Case

Entering a Filing with Redacted Documents

You can enter a filing in which you upload a lead document (and attachments, if applicable) and then redact the documents that you uploaded.

Note: The Redaction feature is configured by Tyler and may not be available on your system.

To enter a filing with redacted documents:

1. On the *Dashboard* page, click



The *Start Filing* page is displayed.

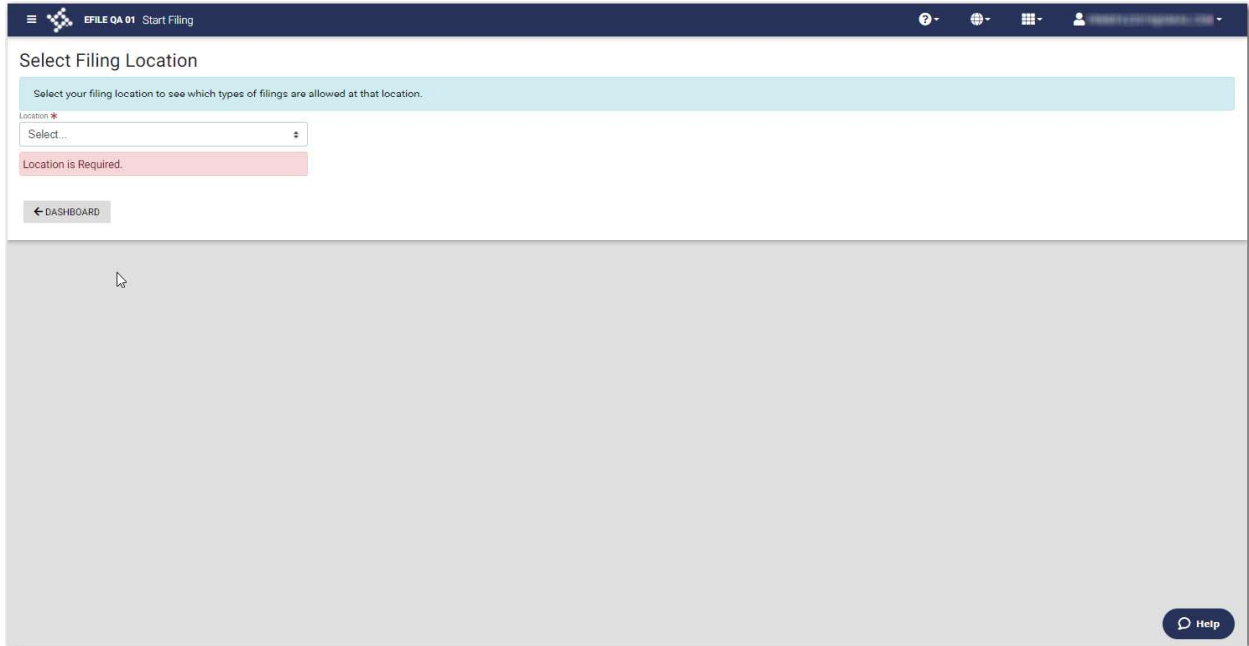


Figure 9.1 – Start Filing Page

2. Select the location from the **Location** drop-down list.
The New Case and the Existing Case panes are displayed.

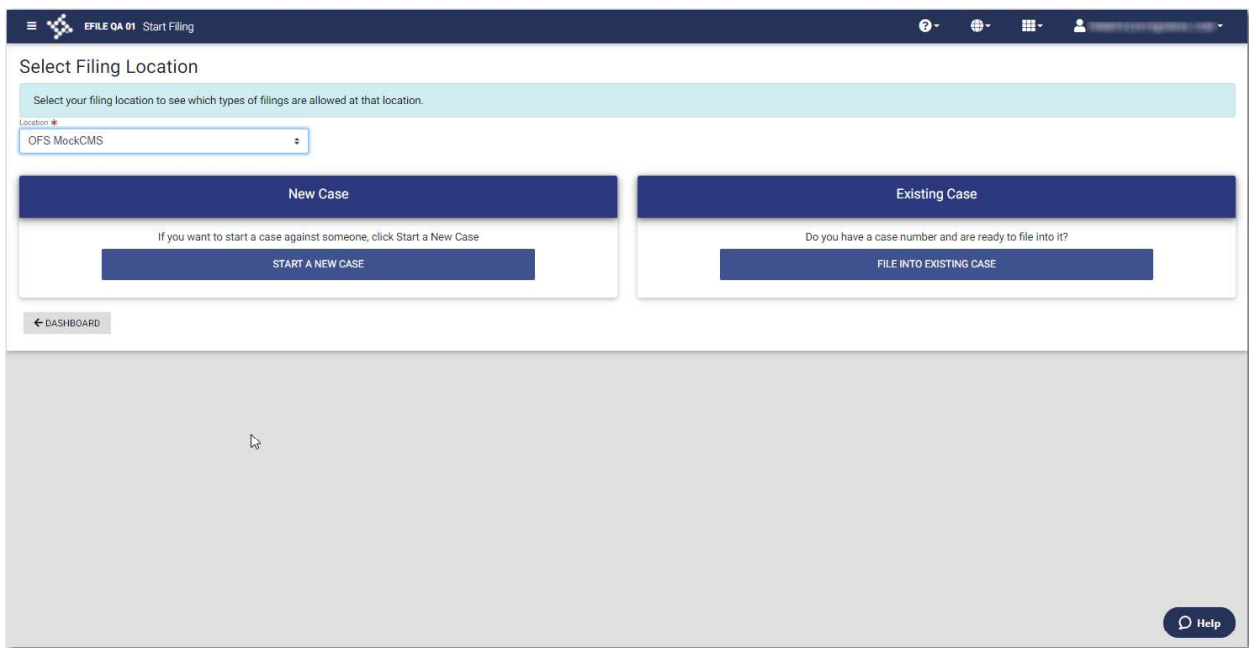


Figure 9.2 – Start Filing Page with Case Panes Displayed

3. Click 

The *Preload Documents* page is displayed.

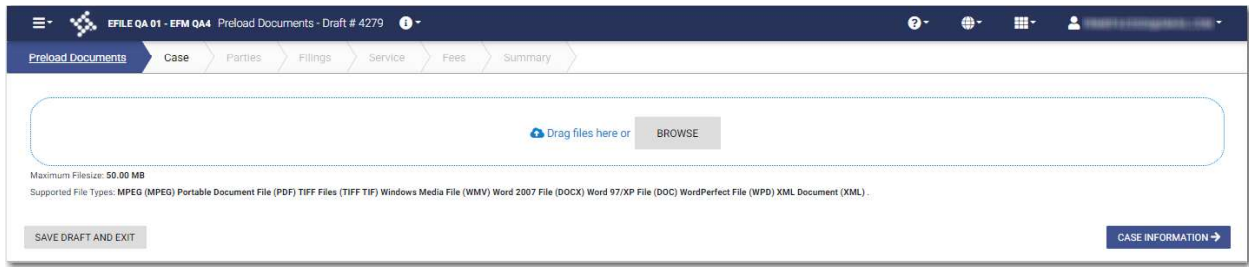



Figure 9.3 – Preload Documents Page—Blank

4. Click  to look for the documents that you want to upload.
5. Select each document to be uploaded.

The documents that you selected are listed on the *Preload Documents* page.

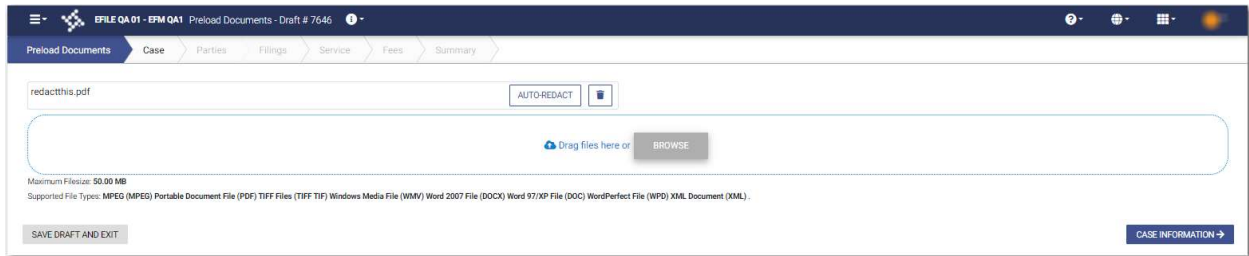


Figure 9.4 – Preload Documents Page with an Uploaded Document

6. Click .

Note: The redaction process begins immediately, and you can continue with your case filing while the documents are being redacted. When your document has successfully been redacted, a green message is displayed, indicating that the redaction was completed. The message also indicates how many redactions were performed.

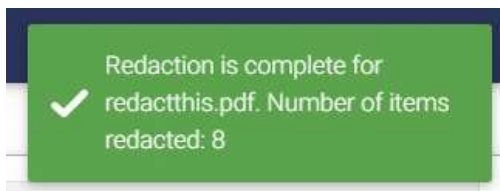


Figure 9.5 – Example of a Message for a Completed Redaction

7. Click  to continue with your filing.

The *Case Information* page is displayed.

8. Complete the required fields on the *Case Information* page, and then click .

The *Parties* page is displayed.

9. Complete the required fields on the *Parties* page, and then click



The *Filings* page is displayed.

10. Complete the required fields on the *Filings* page, and then click



The *Service* page is displayed.

11. Complete the required fields on the *Service* page, and then click



The *Fees* page is displayed.

12. Complete the required fields on the *Fees* page, and then click



The *Summary* page is displayed.

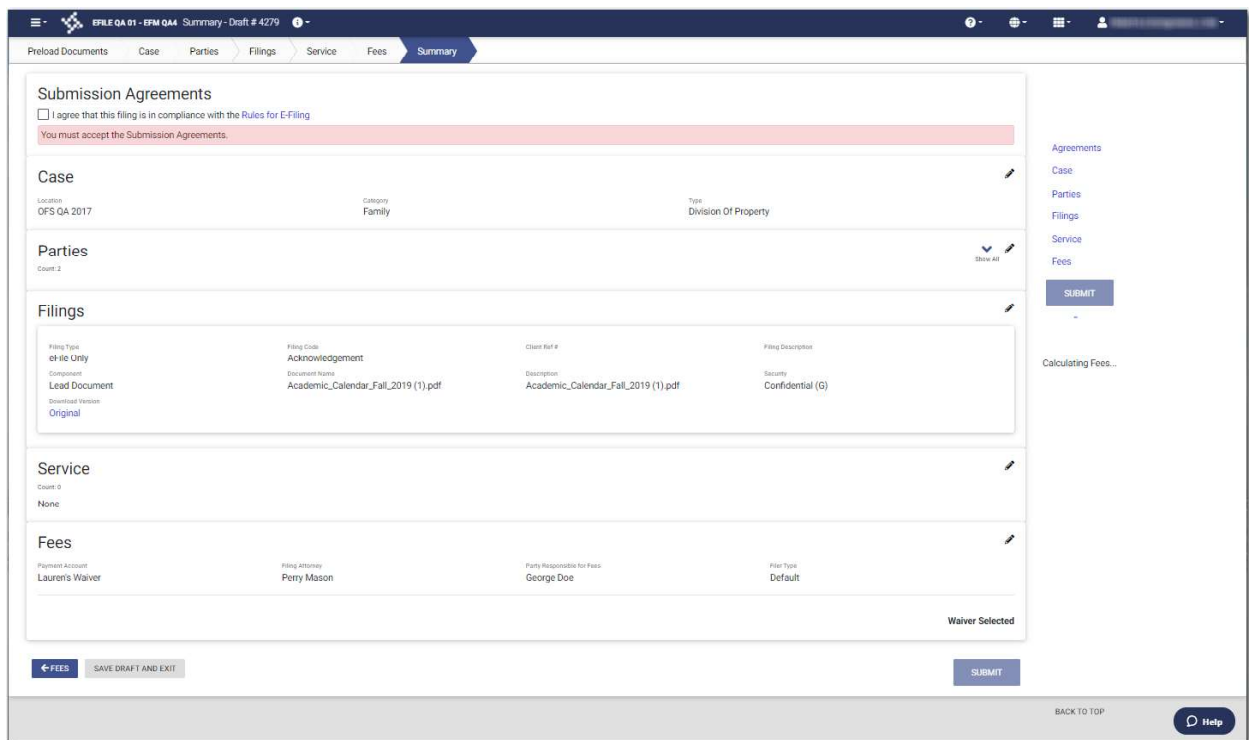


Figure 9.6 – Sample Summary Page

13. Review the envelope summary. If you want to edit the redacted document, click



The Redaction Editor (*Tyler Content Manager* window) opens in a new tab in your browser.

Note: If the redaction of your document is not complete, an amber message is displayed, indicating that you cannot yet complete your filing. You must wait until the redaction is complete, and then a green message is displayed, informing you of the completion.

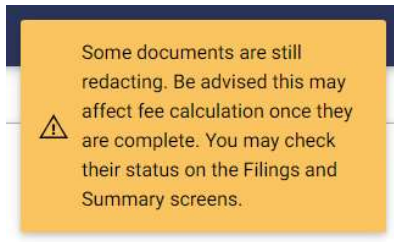





Figure 9.7 – Example of a Message with Redaction in Progress

14. Perform the necessary edits in the Redaction Editor, and then click  to save your changes, or click  to save your changes and close the viewer.
15. When you are done reviewing the envelope summary and have selected the check boxes for the submission agreements (if applicable), click .

Deleting a Redaction

After you mark a section to be redacted and before you close the Redaction Editor (*Tyler Content Manager* window), you can delete the specified redaction.

Note: The Redaction feature is configured by Tyler and may not be available on your system.

Note: You must enable pop-ups in your browser settings to view the Redaction Editor (*Tyler Content Manager* window).

To delete a redaction in a document before you have closed the Redaction Editor (*Tyler Content Manager* window):

1. Right-click the specified redaction.

The *Annotation Notes* dialog box is displayed.

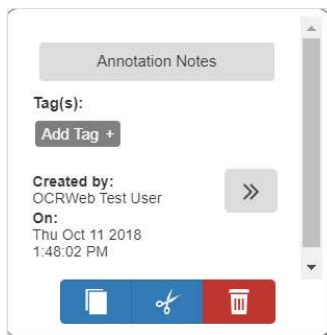


Figure 9.8 – Annotation Notes Dialog Box

Note: On the *Annotation Notes* dialog box, you can annotate the redaction, copy the redaction, or cut the redaction and paste it in another part of the document. You can also view a detailed


history of the redactions that were performed in the document. Click  to view the detailed history.

2. Click  to delete the redaction.

The *Delete Annotation* dialog box is displayed.



Figure 9.9 – Delete Annotation? Dialog Box

3. Click  to delete the specified redaction.




Working with an Existing Redaction

You can resize or move an existing redaction in the Redaction Editor (*Tyler Content Manager* window).

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Note: You must enable pop-ups in your browser settings to view the Redaction Editor (*Tyler Content Manager* window).

To work with an existing redaction:















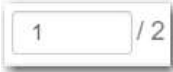

1. Turn off the manual redaction capability by clicking .
2. Locate the existing redaction that you want to resize or move, and then click the block of text.
3. Resize the redaction, or move the redaction to another location in the document.
4. When you are done, click  to save your changes, or click  to save your changes and close the viewer.






Redaction Editor Toolbar

You can use icons to navigate in the Redaction Editor (which is displayed as the *Tyler Content Manager* window).

Note: The icons that are visible in the Redaction Editor (*Tyler Content Manager* window) may differ slightly from the screen shots contained in this document.

The following table describes the icons in the Redaction Editor (*Tyler Content Manager* window).

Icon	Description
	Click this icon to begin performing a redaction.
	Click this icon to stop performing a redaction.
	Click this icon to save the document.
	Click this icon to save and close the document.
	Click this icon to close the <i>Tyler Content Manager</i> (TCM) viewer.
	Click this icon to zoom in to a particular place in the document.
	Click this icon to zoom out.
	Click this icon to rubberband (that is, draw a border around) an area of the document in which you want to zoom.
	Click this icon to magnify an area of the document.
	Click this icon to fit the document to the window.
	Click this icon to fit the document to the height of the window.
	Click this icon to fit the document to the width of the window.
	Click this icon to view the first page of the document.
	Click this icon to view the previous page of the document.
	Use this window to view the current page of the document and the length of the document.
	Click this icon to view the next page of the document.





Icon	Description
	Click this icon to view the last page of the document.
	Click this icon to rotate the document to the right.
	Click this icon to rotate the document to the left.
	Click this icon to download the document. Note: You will be prompted to save the document before you download it.
	Click this icon to display the thumbnail pane, where you can then navigate through the pages of the document. The thumbnail pane is displayed. Note: Click the icon again to close the thumbnail pane.

When the thumbnail pane is displayed, additional document options become available.



Figure 9.10 – Sample Thumbnail Pane

The following table describes the icons in the thumbnail pane.

Icon	Description
	Click this icon in the thumbnail pane to view the pages of the document in the Redaction Editor.
	Click this icon in the thumbnail pane to display the previous annotation page.
	Click this icon in the thumbnail pane to display the next annotation page.
	Click this icon in the thumbnail pane to view only the pages that have a redaction on them.