eCustoms Helpdesk Notification

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Subject:	**Introducing "Automated Export System" (AES)**
Who should read:	**All those involved in the submission of export and eManifest declarations – Existing systems to be discontinued**
Related Notification:	None
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1. Introduction

As part of the Union Customs Code (UCC) Work Programme, Revenue will be deploying its new Export System known as the Automated Export System (AES) to replace our existing AEP export system and export eManifest. The go live date for AES is January 2023.

The deployment of AES will impact on all players in the export supply chain as it involves the use of a new dataset, the provision of new data by certain players, new software, interacting with a new Revenue IT system and the export procedure itself. The new system will comply with the provisions of the EU Union Customs Code.

Public Interface Testing (PIT) for AES will be open to software developers by July 2022. The introduction of AES means that all players engaged in electronic messaging for the Customs export procedure must have the capacity to interact with AES from January 2023. Revenue will close AEP export for all new Export movements and eManifest in March 2023.

We will arrange a meeting targeting software and in-house developers during the week commencing 7 February in conjunction with our Change Management Unit. This will provide an opportunity for us to give the developers more information, in particular highlighting some key changes and also providing details of the timelines for other UCC IT developments.

2. Further information

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