Mandatory electronic filing (e-filing) notification Procedures for new Company, Trust and Partnership Registrations

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Background

Mandatory e-filing of payments and returns, using ROS, is part of Revenue's strategy to establish the use of electronic channels as the normal way of conducting business with Revenue.

Phase 3 of Mandatory e-filing required all companies, trusts and partnerships to make payments and file returns for ALL taxes, due on or after 1 June 2011, by electronic means using ROS.

New company, trust or partnership registrations – received via eRegistration or manually processed paper applications – receive a letter advising them of

- the registration number for each newly registered taxhead,
- the obligations to file and pay electronically, and
- contact details.

Copies of the letters are included at Appendices 1 to 3 of this Instruction, with the list of specified returns and payments included in Appendix 4.

A copy of the notification is sent to the agent on record (all taxes), if applicable.

The following material is either exempt from or not required to be published under the Freedom of Information Act 2014.

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Appendix 1 – sample Corporation Tax registration letter

In all correspondence please quote:

Registration No: 3xxxxxKH

N. Manager Dublin Region City Centre/North City Business Taxes District Dublin 1

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Enquiries: 01 738 36 12 30 Mar 2017

Notice of Corporation Tax Registration

Re: Tax Reference Number: 3xxxxxXKH

Dear Sir/Madam,

This company has been registered for Corporation Tax at the above Tax Reference number.

Contact details for the tax district dealing with Corporation Tax are shown above.

Please quote the Corporation Tax Reference number in all correspondence with the tax office.

Mandatory use of the Revenue Online Service (ROS)

Revenue provides an online facility (ROS) where you can file returns, make payments, and check your revenue account 24 hours a day.

You should note that the Company's Corporation Tax return and payment **must** be made electronically using ROS. If you do not use ROS you could be subject to a monetary penalty. You are **also** legally obliged to file returns and make payments electronically via ROS in respect of a range of other specified tax returns. Further information regarding mandatory electronic filing and paying, using ROS, is available on **www.revenue.ie**.

If you do not have the capacity to make returns and payments electronically, you can apply to be excluded from the obligation to do so. Please see overleaf for exclusion conditions and how to apply.

If you are not registered for ROS you should register now, in three easy steps, by logging onto the Revenue website and clicking on Online Services/ROS tab. There you will find step-by-step instructions on registering for ROS, using the ROS facilities and additional information that will answer any questions you may have. Assistance with registration, if required, is also available from our ROS Technical Helpdesk at 01 738 36 99. There are also a number of videos on YouTube/Revenue Ireland on ROS digital certificates.

Yours faithfully, N Manager, District Manager

Appendix 2 – sample Trusts registration letter

In all correspondence please quote:

Registration No: 3xxxxxxSH

N. Manager Dublin Region City Centre/North City Business Taxes District Dublin 1

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Enquiries: 01 738 36 12

30 Mar 2017

Notice of Income Tax Registration

Re: Tax Reference Number: 3xxxxxxSH

Dear Sir/Madam,

This trust has been registered for Income Tax at the above Tax Reference number.

Contact details for the tax district dealing with Income Tax are shown above.

Please quote the Income Tax Reference number in all correspondence with the tax office.

Mandatory use of the Revenue Online Service (ROS)

Revenue provides an online facility (ROS) where you can file returns, make payments, and check your revenue account 24 hours a day.

You should note that the Trust's Income Tax return and payment **must** be made electronically using ROS. If you do not use ROS you could be subject to a monetary penalty. You are **also** legally obliged to file returns and make payments electronically via ROS in respect of a range of other specified tax returns. Further information regarding mandatory electronic filing and paying, using ROS, is available on **www.revenue.ie**.

If you do not have the capacity to make returns and payments electronically, you can apply to be excluded from the obligation to do so. Please see overleaf for exclusion conditions and how to apply.

If you are not registered for ROS you should register now, in three easy steps, by logging onto the Revenue website and clicking on Online Services/ROS tab. There you will find step-by-step instructions on registering for ROS, using the ROS facilities and additional information that will answer any questions you may have. Assistance with registration, if required, is also available from our ROS Technical Helpdesk at 01 738 36 99. There are also a number of videos on YouTube/Revenue Ireland on ROS digital certificates.

Yours faithfully, N Manager, District Manager

Appendix 3 – sample Partnership registration letter

In all correspondence please quote:

Registration No: 3xxxxxx3OH

N. Manager Dublin Region City Centre/North City Business Taxes District Dublin 1

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Enquiries: 01 738 36 12 30 Mar 2017

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Notice of Income Tax Registration

Re: Tax Reference Number: 3xxxxx3OH

Dear Sir/Madam,

This partnership has been registered for Income Tax at the above Tax Reference number.

Contact details for the tax district dealing with Income Tax are shown above.

Please quote the Income Tax Reference number in all correspondence with the tax office.

Mandatory use of the Revenue Online Service (ROS)

Revenue provides an online facility (ROS) where you can file returns, make payments, and check your revenue account 24 hours a day.

You should note that the partnership's Income Tax return **must** be made electronically using ROS. If you do not use ROS you could be subject to a monetary penalty. Further information regarding mandatory electronic filing and paying, using ROS, is available on **www.revenue.ie**.

You are **also** legally obliged to file returns and make payments electronically via ROS in respect of a range of other specified tax returns.

If you do not have the capacity to make returns and payments electronically, you can apply to be excluded from the obligation to do so. Please see overleaf for exclusion conditions and how to apply.

If you are not registered for ROS you should register now, in three easy steps, by logging onto the Revenue website and clicking on Online Services/ROS tab. There you will find step-by-step instructions on registering for ROS, using the ROS facilities and additional information that will answer any questions you may have. Assistance with registration, if required, is also available from our ROS Technical Helpdesk at 01 738 36 99. There are also a number of videos on YouTube/Revenue Ireland on ROS digital certificates.

Yours faithfully, N. Manager, District Manager

Appendix 4 – list of specified returns and liabilities

Specified Returns* and Specified Tax Liabilities* that must be paid and filed on ROS if they are applicable to your circumstances include

	Specified Return	Specified Tax Liability
Corporation Tax	Form CT1	Preliminary Tax and Balance Due
Partnership	Form 1 (Firms)	-
Trusts	Form 1	Preliminary Tax and Balance Due
Income Tax	Form 11	Preliminary Tax and Balance Due
High Earner Restriction	Form RRI	-
Employer PAYE/PRSI	Form P30	
	Form P35	
	Forms P45 and P46	All PAYE/PRSI due
Value Added Tax	Form VAT 3	VAT due
	Annual Return of Trading	
	Details (RTD)	
	VAT and a service a Constant.	Overted VAT due on a continu
	VAT on e-services Quarterly	Quarterly VAT due on e-services
Capital Acquisitions Tax (Gifts	Return Annual Return	Annual payment
and Inheritances)	Allitual Return	Armuai payment
Betting Duty	Quarterly Return	Quarterly Payment
Dividend Withholding Tax	Monthly Return	Payment of DWT deducted from relevant
(DWT)	Worlding Pectarin	distributions in previous month
		distributions in providus month
Deposit Interest Retention Tax	Annual Return	Interim payment and Balance Due
(DIRT)		,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
Life Assurance Exit Tax (LAET)	Biannual Return	Biannual payment
Investment Undertaking Exit	Biannual Return	Biannual payment
Tax (IUT)		. ,
EU Savings Directive	Annual Return	-
3 rd Party Payments Return	Annual Return	-
(46G/46G company)		
Air Travel Tax	Annual Return	Monthly payment

^{*}Please note that the above list is not exhaustive, you may be liable for other taxes and duties e.g. RCT, that may only be filed and paid electronically. Please consult www.revenue.ie if in any doubt.

Exclusion from Mandatory Electronic Filing and Payment of Tax

Revenue may exclude a taxpayer from their obligation to pay and file electronically, if Revenue is satisfied that the taxpayer does not have the capacity to do so. If you consider that you qualify for an exclusion you can apply in writing stating your reason(s) to your local tax office.

"capacity" means sufficient access to the Internet, by which either or both a specified return or the payment of any specified liabilities may be made by electronic means and, in the case of an individual, also means not prevented by reason of age, or mental or physical infirmity from either or both making a specified return or paying any specified liabilities by electronic means.

If your request for exclusion is not approved by Revenue, you have a right to formally appeal the decision to refuse your exclusion request to the Tax Appeal Commissioners (TAC) for determination.

If you wish to appeal against this refusal, you must do so within the period of 30 days after the date of the refusal by completing and submitting a 'Notice of Appeal' form to the TAC. The 'Notice of Appeal' form, which is available on the TAC's website http://taxappeals.ie contains the address to which an appeal is to be sent. You will be required to submit a copy of the refusal with your 'Notice of Appeal'. The TAC can be contacted by email at info@taxappeals.ie.