INDEPENDENT REGULATORY BOARD FOR AUDITORS

INFORMATION FROM SARS

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Dear Tax Practitioner

Please refer to the attached invitation to the Authorised Economic Operator Programme Webinar, for your consideration.

Please also take note that the latest edition of the Tax Practitioner connect newsletter is available and can be accessed through at the following link: <u>Tax Practitioners' Connect</u> Issue 29 (February 2022) | South African Revenue Service (sars.gov.za)

Articles covered in this month's publication include:

- 1. 2021 Tax statistics;
- 2. PAYE audits conducted by SARS and the obligations of employers;
- 3. Tax deductions on pension or annuities;
- 4. SARS commits to increased use of data for trade efficiency:
- 5. Elimination of unregistered individuals practicing as Tax Practitioners;
- 6. New SMME connect newsletter now available; &
- 7. Reminder for submission of the second provisional returns for provisional Taxpayers for the 2022 tax year.

The above information comes directly from SARS and is shared by the IRBA in its capacity as a Recognised Controlling Body.

For any enquiries, please contact SARS directly.

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About the IRBA

The objective of the IRBA is to endeavour to protect the financial interests of the South African public and international investors in South Africa through the effective and appropriate regulation of audits conducted by registered auditors, in accordance with internationally recognised standards and processes.