



## **Invitation to the Authorised Economic Operator Programme Webinar**

Dear Traders,

SARS invites Clearing Agents, Traders, Small Micro and Medium Enterprises (SMMEs), Importers, Exporters, Partner Stakeholders, members of the public and all role players who are involved in the value chain of cross border trade facilitation, to join us in the Authorised Economic Operator (AEO) Webinar.

The purpose of this webinar is to equip current and potential traders with knowledge on how to:

1. Reduce the turnaround time spent on clearing goods at ports.
2. Reduce costs that come with delays of cargo, improve daily cash flow and minimise Customs intervention.
3. Acquire an accreditation status that will boost the company's credibility and trust among peers, leading to vast opportunities in the International Trade Community.

**The details of the event are as follows:**

**Theme: Authorised Economic Operator Programme (AEO)**

**Date:** Wednesday, 23 February 2022

**Time:** 17:00- 19:00

**Platforms:** Zoom and YouTube

Register in advance for this webinar on the following link:

[https://sars-gov-za.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_vEc\\_2XamQtCWLIS-EZFvzA](https://sars-gov-za.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_vEc_2XamQtCWLIS-EZFvzA)

Passcode: 974170

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email with information on how to log in to the webinar.

**YouTube:** <https://youtu.be/8PeU5JBRzmQ>

If you have questions on the Authorised Economic Operator, please email:

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