



INLAND REVENUE DEPARTMENT

Notice to VAT Registered Persons

Value Added Tax (VAT) Temporary Registration

Taking into account of the COVID - 19 pandemic situation in the country, period of validity of Temporary VAT Registration issued on or after 01.01.2020 for import or export, which gets expired on or before 31.03.2022 as per the certificate, has been extended up to 31.03.2022.

Temporary registration is issued only to persons who engage in imports and exports of goods but not registered for permanent VAT. Others including clearing agents are not required to obtain temporary registration unless they engage in imports or exports.

Any person who wishes to obtain a temporary registration for VAT is requested to apply for temporary registration through IRD Portal e-Service facility.

For any clarification, please contact the below officers;

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