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Q.1 What are your views on the proposal to introduce real-time reporting for B2B and B2G transactions?

Need an opt out for low value/low frequency reporters

Q.2 What matters should be considered in planning for a transition to a new VAT Reporting system?

How small businesses with no software except Microsoft office can comply

Q.3 If your business is currently subject to a VAT reporting programme in another EU or non-EU country, can you please share best practice, recommendations or lessons learnt?

no

Q.4 Have you any observations, concerns or recommendations on a move to mandatory electronic invoicing for B2B & B2G domestic VAT transactions?

the cost of any move would be significant to the value of our trade

Q.5 Revenue is particularly interested in hearing views from businesses that are already engaged in eInvoicing Public Bodies within Ireland or engaged in B2B eInvoicing throughout Europe and beyond. How did you prepare and what challenges prevailed in your preparations for eInvoicing?

eInvoicing is a failure

Q.6 What suggestions would you offer in Ireland's arrangements for a mandatory B2B and B2G eInvoicing programme?

if mandatory, revenue should provide an invoice generator facility for small time operators

Q.7 Revenue are cognisant that small businesses may have different perspectives and requirements to large businesses, so what information prompts would you find useful for businesses in completing the VAT return?

already too complicated