Response Number 856

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

If it doesn't require extra cost and time to implement, it's fine.
The weekly reporting of payroll has been beneficial and the training from providers was excellent.

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

Simplicity of use.
No change in costs.

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?

N/A

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

Again, the cost involved and the training required. We are a sole trader business with one apprentice employee and a wife who does the bookwork!

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?

N/A

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

N/A

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?

Sometimes I forget the dates that VAT is due, so a calendar of dates would be useful.