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VALUE ADDED TAX									
APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION		District code			Business	code			
(The Value Added Tax Act) (section 15 (1) or 16)		Type of regn.			Tax. per				
Form duly filled in to be forwarded to the Director- General, Mauritius Revenue Authority, Ehram Court, Cnr			Approved			Edited			
Mgr. Gonin & Sir V. Naz Streets, Port Louis.			Not Approved			Ent. In c	omp.		
Please read the notes on pages 3 and 4 before filling in this form			Date of regn.				I		
USE BLOCK LETTERS		VAT Reg. No.	V A	Т					
	PARTICULARS OF APPLICA								
		(Ms/	Mr/Other-spec	cify)					
1	Full name								
	(person to be registered)								
		Category of entity	I	ncome Ta	ax A/C N	Jo.			
2	Business name								
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3	Address of principal								11
	place of business								
			Fax		No. of	other plac	es of bu	siness	
		E-mail				1			
4	Nature of business								
		Date business started		Y Y					
5	Accounting records							DD	мм
	W	Whether computerised ? Yes No Date of closing of annual accounts   (Tick I as appropriate) No Date of closing of annual accounts							
6	TURNOVER								
	Annual turnover for year ended/end	$\frac{D D M M}{    }$	Y Y			olies Rs			
	Annual turnover for year ended/end			Exer	npt Supp	lies Rs			
	Taxable supplies consist of: Both goods and services Goods only Services only ( <i>Tick</i> as appropriate)								
7	BUSINESS TRANSFER								
	Full name of seller or transferor								
	VAT Registration Number v	AT	Date of s	sale or tra	insfer	D D M	M Y Y		

COMPULSORY REGISTRATION							
I, Mr / Ms *							
<ul><li>(a) hereby declare that all the particulars and information complete; and</li></ul>	n in this form and in any documents attached herewith are true and						
(b) do hereby apply for compulsory registration under s	ection 15 (1) of the Value Added Tax Act with effect from						
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Date	Signature						
* Delete as appropriate	Capacity in which acting						
VOLUNTARY REGISTRATION							
(full name of signator	ry in BLOCK LETTERS)						
(a) hereby declare that -							
(i) all particulars and information in this form an	d in any documents attached herewith are true and complete;						
(ii) the provisions of section 16 (2) of the Value A	Added Tax Act are being complied with; and						
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# NOTES – VAT 01

## **Compulsory Registration**

## (a) Compulsory Registration under Section 15 (1)

Every person who, in the course or furtherance of his business other than those under parts (b) and (c) below, makes taxable supplies and whose annual turnover of taxable supplies exceeds or is likely to exceed the amount of 6 million rupees is required to apply for compulsory registration under section 15(1) of the Value Added Tax Act.

# (b) Compulsory Registration under Section 15 (2) (a) (i) of the Act

Every person engaged in a business or profession listed hereunder and whose turnover does not exceed or is not likely to exceed the amount specified in paragraph (a) above, is required to apply for compulsory registration on a separate form (VAT 1A).

## Business or profession of –

- 1. Accountant and or auditor
- 2. Advertising agent
- 3. Adviser including investment adviser and tax adviser
- 4. Architect
- 5. Attorney and or solicitor
- 6. Barrister having more than 2 years standing at the Bar
- 7. Clearing and forwarding agent under the Customs Act
- Consultant including legal consultant, tax consultant, management consultant and management company other than a holder of a management licence under the Financial Services Development Act 2001
- 9. Customs house broker under the Customs Act
- 10. Dealer in liquor and alcoholic products (wholesale) under the Excise Act

- 11. Engineer
- 12. Estate agent
- 13. Land surveyor
- 14. Marine surveyor
- 15. Motor surveyor
- 16. Notary
- 17. Optician
- 18. Project manager
- 19. Property valuer
- 20. Quantity surveyor
- 21. Sworn auctioneer
- 22. –
- 23. –
- 24. General sales agent of airlines
- 25. –
- 26. Agent in the importation of second hand motor cars or other motor vehicles.
- 27. Wholesale dealer in liquor and alcoholic products (wholesale) under the Excise Act.

#### (c) Compulsory Registration under Section 15 (2) (a) (ii) of the Act

Every person engaged in a business listed hereunder is required to apply irrespective of the amount of his turnover of taxable supplies for compulsory registration on a separate form (VAT 1B).

- 1. Banking by a company holding a Banking Licence under the Banking Act 2004 in respect of its banking transactions other than with non-residents and corporations holding a Global Business Licence under the Financial Services Development Act 2001.
- 2. Management services by a holder of a management licence under the Financial Services Development Act 2001 in respect of services supplied other than those supplied to corporations holding a Category 1 Global Business Licence or a Category 2 Global Business Licence under that Act.
- 3. Services in respect of credit cards issued by companies other than banks to merchants accepting such credit cards as payment for the supply of goods or services.

#### Voluntary Registration under Section 16

Any person whose turnover of taxable supplies is below the amount specified in paragraph (a) above and who is not engaged in any business or profession listed in paragraphs (b) and (c) above may apply for voluntary registration. The applicant must satisfy the Director-General that –

- (i) he currently keeps and maintains a proper record of his business; and
- (ii) he has been discharging his obligations under the revenue laws.

#### Taxable supplies

These are supplies of goods in Mauritius or supplies of services performed or utilised in Mauritius and include zero-rated supplies but exclude exempt supplies. A list of exempt goods or services is listed in the First Schedule to the VAT Act.

#### Particulars of Applicant

- (a) For a company attach copy of certificate of incorporation
- (b) For a société/succession
  - attach deed of société/succession
  - attach a sheet duly signed giving full name and address of the manager of the société or the representative of the succession.
- (c) For a sole proprietor, enter **surname** on the first line and the other names on the following lines kindly attach a copy of your National Identity Card (NIC)

(d) For category of entity, choose from the following and enter in the box the appropriate code.

Category		Category	Code
Company		Societe	
Modernisation and expansion enterprise certificate		Formed by notarial deed	31
SEHDA	06	Other	32
Manufacturing excisable goods	12	Sole proprietor	33
Shops under Deferred Duty & Tax Scheme		Cooperative Society	34
Category 1 Global Business Licence		Succession	35
Banking Licence	15	Statutory corporation	36
Freeport Licence	16	Ministry/department, local authority	37
Other	29	Club and association	38
		Other	99

(e) In case you do not have an Income Tax Account No., please call at the Mauritius Revenue Authority Office, Ehram Court, Cnr Mgr. Gonin & Sir V. Naz Streets, Port Louis, together with the following documents-

- i. for a company copy of the certificate of incorporation
- ii. for a société/succession copy of deed of société/succession
- iii. for a sole proprietor National Identity Card
- (f) Where there are more than one place of business, attach a sheet giving the address of the other places of business.
- (g) Where different businesses are in operation, describe the nature of the businesses, starting with the **most important one.**

#### Turnover

If the business has been in operation for more than 12 months, give the annual turnover. In case of a new business, give the expected turnover.

The form duly filled in to be forwarded to –

Director-General,	
Mauritius Revenue Authority,	
Ehram Court,	
Cnr Mgr. Gonin & Sir Virgil Naz Streets,	
Port Louis.	

For any further information, please contact the MRA through

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