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## Subject: LAUNCHING OF IRIS-ADX FOR OFFLINE ENTRY OF SALES TAX DATA

In continuation of FBR's policy of facilitation of taxpayers and ensuring ease of doing business, IT Wing has launched Iris-ADX (Asynchronous Data eXchange), an application that allows the taxpayer / E-intermediary to prepare data related to Sales Tax return including sales invoices, debit/credit notes and sales tax withholding documents in **offline mode**.

- 2. The taxpayer / EI will download **Iris-ADX application** from FBR website and install it on his personal computer / desktop. Salient features of the application include
  - (i) Multi-user environment;
  - (ii) Facility to prepare sales tax invoices without requirement of connection with internet;
  - (iii) Facility to load invoices one by one or in bulk through Excel CSV Sheet;
  - (iv) Configurability to allow simultaneous preparation and uploading of invoices related to multiple taxpayers;
  - (v) Seamless uploading of prepared data to FBR repository;
  - (vi) Offline MIS reports;
  - (vii) Offline reconciliation;
  - (viii) Automatic alerts and availability of Updates.
- 3. With the launching of this application, the taxpayer / EI will be able to prepare sales tax invoices without having to remain connected with the internet, thus the issues related to connectivity, peak load, system downtime etc. will have no effect on the speed / efficiency of data entry. This will especially facilitate data preparation of large taxpayers including DISCOs, MNCs etc. and will indirectly benefit the buyers who require input adjustment on purchases from large taxpayers, thus enhancing the efficiency of the whole supply chain.
- 4. This is the first version of **Iris-ADX**. IT Wing plans to enhance the application to allow offline preparation of all declarations including Income Tax Returns / Statements in the near future.

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