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## PUBLIC NOTICE

### OGUN STATE GOVERNMENT'S POST COVID-19 LOCKDOWN PALLIATIVES FOR TAXPAYERS

As part of the Ogun State Government's response to the effect of Covid-19 Pandemic on businesses and individuals, the Ogun State Internal Revenue Service hereby announces to the public that the State Governor, **His Excellency Prince Dapo Abiodun MFR**, has graciously approved the following tax reliefs for our esteemed taxpayers:

1. Extension of deadline for filing of 2019 income tax returns by self-employed individuals/informal sector by six months from March 31, 2020, to September 30, 2020;
2. Extension of filing of 2019 annual PAYE returns by PAYE operators/tax agents by eight (8) months from January 31, 2020, to September 30, 2020;
3. Complete waiver of interest and penalty for late filing of 2019 annual PAYE returns during the approved extension period;
4. Complete waiver of interest and penalty for late remittance of monthly PAYE from January 31, 2020, to September 30, 2020;
5. Complete waiver of interest and penalty for late payment of Direct Assessment/Personal Income Tax by self-employed individuals in 2020;
6. Waiver of weekly tax by operators/promoters in pool and betting business from April 1, 2020, to June 30, 2020;
7. Video conferencing has been adopted as the default mode for conduct of Tax Audit Reconciliation Committee (TARC) meetings in agreement with the social distancing directive and ease of doing business.

Taxpayers are advised to take advantage of the above palliatives measures within the respective stipulated period and adhere strictly to the advisories and precautions of the World Health Organization (WHO), National Centre for Disease Control (NCDC) and other relevant authorities on Covid -19.

All taxpayers are enjoined to make payment to Ogun state designated accounts in any of the approved collecting banks.

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