

South African Revenue Service

Dear Tax Practitioner

DISCONTINUATION OF DEBIT PULL TRANSACTIONS ON EFILING EXTENDED

SARS has received representations from various tax practitioner organisations requesting an extension on the date for the discontinuing the debit pull option as a means of paying SARS.

We can now announce that an extension of a month has been granted and that debit pull transactions will be discontinued at the end of October 2013.

The debit pull option will therefore still be available for certain payments until the end of October 2013, on condition that the approved representative agrees to the declaration which appears on the screen.

You are, however, encouraged to prepare your clients for performing credit push transactions or to use one of our alternative methods of payment.

For more information on credit push transactions, visit the SARS website www.sars.gov.za, call the SARS Contact Centre on 0800 00 SARS (7277) or visit a SARS branch nearest you.

Sincerely

ISSUED ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSIONER FOR THE SOUTH AFRICAN REVENUE SERVICE

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