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Moore has over 40 years experience in providing premium professional services to the Irish SME sector. As a leading medium sized practice, we are ideally positioned to provide smart solutions to the array of challenges that indigenous businesses face as they grow and expand.

The depth of experience and diversity in services enables us to add significant value at competitive costs. The Irish SME sector is facing many challenges in the coming years as austerity measures and the national recovery plan place pressure on the entire economy. The SME sector will need strong professional support to meet these challenges and at Moore, we can provide this support.

Our services to the SME sector are broadly defined into two groupings, compliance and non compliance. Compliance relates to accounting support to assist businesses in meeting ongoing tax and corporate compliance requirements. Non-compliance relates to support needed when non-standard events in your business bring accounting or tax demands.

#### COMPLIANCE

Our compliance services are as follows:

#### Audit

The primary objective of an audit is to provide an independent opinion on your annual financial statements. It is viewed by many as an unnecessary burden – but undertaking an audit can often lead to significant benefits for a business if approached in the right way.

A Moore audit provides assurance on your business controls and, ultimately, satisfies regulatory requirements. The very nature of the audit process means we gain a detailed knowledge and understanding of your business at numerous levels. As such, we are able to quickly identify risks as well as any areas for potential improvement. As all our audits are partner-led, everything we learn is fed back to the client for the benefit of their business. All our key audit team members are easily accessible to our clients.

#### Statutory Accounts for Audit Exempt Companies

With the recent increase in the audit exemption limits, an increased number of Irish companies are in a position to file statutory accounts instead of audited accounts with the Companies Registration Office. The generation of statutory accounts has therefore become a key element of our service offering to our corporate clients.

#### Accounts for Sole Trader/ Partnerships

Un-incorporated entities require accounts in order for tax returns to be prepared. However, the preparation of accounts for unincorporated entities offers a unique opportunity to analyse the performance of a business and identify key performance indicators. Key to our accounting service is the provision of reliable and meaningful information to management on a timely basis.

#### Tax Compliance – Personal Tax

Moore has a wide and varied portfolio of personal clients ranging from small to high net worth individuals. Our tax advisors work closely with our personal clients to ensure their taxation burden is minimised and provide advice which is tailored to suit their particular goals, including specialist advice on Income Tax, Capital Gains Tax and Capital Acquisitions Tax. We provide a full range of compliance services including the preparation of Income Tax, Capital Gains Tax and Capital Acquisitions Tax Returns, calculation of tax liabilities and advice on exactly when to make payments and how much to pay, while ensuring that all our personal clients are maximising the benefits of the available reliefs and reducing their tax burden.

#### Tax Compliance – Corporation Tax

It is our aim at Moore to minimise the tax liabilities of our corporate customers. We do this by understanding our client's business and providing tailored practical and relevant tax advice. We provide advice on the best way forward for the business at every stage of the company's development ranging from start up to expansion into overseas markets. We provide an excellent tax compliance service ensuring that all Revenue requirements with regard to filing and tax payment deadlines are met and that our corporate clients are availing of all possible tax reliefs currently available to them.

#### Tax Compliance – VAT

Moore offer a comprehensive VAT service to clients in what can be a very complex area. Our team of VAT specialists have the practical experience and technical knowledge to deal with all aspects of the tax. We provide assistance to our clients with all their VAT obligations including; high level VAT reviews identifying VAT saving opportunities, compliance efficiencies and potential exposures; advise on issues such as the VAT treatment of large transactions including property and merger & acquisition transactions; Revenue VAT audits and subsequent dealings with Revenue officials; and VAT compliance services including VAT registration, VAT returns and cross-border VAT reclaims. We also act as a support function on a daily basis, providing answers to queries and any other assistance required.

Tax Compliance – Employment Tax Moore' proficient team of tax professionals are available to advise you on both employer and employee taxes. We have abundant experience in setting up employee share incentive schemes, which are now vital in retaining key staff members within the business.

#### NON COMPLIANCE

Businesses face new challenges every day; tax payers are subject to Revenue Audits, businesses need new capital or debt to expand, businesses can take over or be taken over, business can be subject to fraud, businesses need to be passed from one generation to the next.

Professional support is needed for these nonrecurring challenges. At Moore, we have a wealth of experience is helping the SME sector meet these challenges. We provide the following services:

- tax consulting services;
- succession planning services;
- revenue audit support services;
- business planning and orecasting services;
- corporate finance services such as advice with capital raising or debt raising;
- forensic accounting services;
- company formation services;
- insolvency services; and
- mergers & acquisitions services.

#### MOORE GLOBAL NETWORK

We've spent more than 100 years serving clients through our professional services. With more one-to-one support from senior partners than you might be used to, you'll always be working with professionals. Our services will help you navigate new markets effortlessly, and take advantage of every opportunity.

For more information on how our global services and sector expertise can help your business thrive in over 100 countries, just get in touch.

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