# STREAMLINED SALES TAX PROGRAM

### **STATE OF Wyoming**

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### A. INTRODUCTION

- Date state became an SST member: August 1, 2007
- Membership Level: (Full Member)
- Information on the Streamlined Sales Tax Program (SSTP) can be found at: <u>www.streamlinedsalestax.org</u>

### B. CONTACT INFORMATION (Registrations, Filing, General Tax Questions)

- Registration and Filing Questions Terri Lucero Phone: (307)777-5220 Email: terri.lucero@wyo.gov
- Tax Questions
  Phone: (307)777-5220
  Email: terri.lucero@wyo.gov

### C. PUBLICATIONS - WEBSITES

- Taxability Matrix (Required by Section 328 of SST Agreement) <u>https://www.streamlinedsalestax.org/Shared-Pages/State-taxability-matrix</u>
- Rates & Boundaries Databases (Required by Section 305 of SST Agreement) <u>https://www.streamlinedsalestax.org/Shared-Pages/rate-and-boundary-files</u>
- Tax Information including Tax Publications, Forms and Laws: <u>http://revenue.wyo.gov</u>

### D. REGISTRATION - STREAMLINED REGISTRATION, STATE REGISTRATION

You may register directly with or through the Streamlined Sales Tax Registration system (SSTRS).

- Register through Streamlined Sales Tax Registration System. <u>www.sstregister.org</u>
- Register directly with Wyoming Department of Revenue. <u>https://excise-wyifs.wy.gov</u>

### E. FILING RETURNS - SER, EPATH, PAPER RETURNS, DUE DATES

- Streamlined's Simplified Electronic Return (SER)
  - a. Who can file a SER?
    - i. CSPs will file all returns using a SER for sellers that contract with the CSP. (Model 1 sellers)
    - ii. Taxpayers using a CAS will file all returns using a SER. (Model 2 sellers)
    - iii. Any taxpayer that registers through the Streamlined Sales Tax Registration system or directly with Wyoming may file returns using a SER.
  - b. SER Schema and Technical requirements: https://www.streamlinedsalestax.org/Shared-

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- c. Part II of the SER: Wyoming does not require
- d. Transmission file size limit for SERs: 5MB
- e. Filing SER
  - i. Testing must be completed before you file a SER.
  - ii. You will be provided with the URL for filing or URL of website for uploading files and downloading Acknowledgements when the testing is completed.

### f. Testing SER

- Contact for testing SER: Name Terri Lucero
   Phone: (307)777-5220
   Email: terri.lucero@wyo.gov
- ii. Testing of the SER is required for sellers and CSPs prior to filing a SER.
  - The CSP or CAS provider will test the SER for their systems.
  - Taxpayers not using a CSP or CAS must test their SER directly with the Department.
  - Testing will determine if proper data elements are used and if the SER transmits correctly.

#### iii. Testing Process:

- Establish an account with the Department. Send the following information to the Department at: <u>dor@wyo.gov</u>
   -Taxpayer SSTP Registration #, Wyoming Tax Permit #, CSP ID or Company's FEIN
  - -Requested Password
  - -Contact Name
  - -Email Address
- You will be contacted when account is established.
- Notify Department when you are ready to transmit a Test SER.
- Submit Test SER and forward the XML document via email to; terri.lucero@wyo.gov
- Review errors and acknowledgement for issues that need to be resolved.
  - Continue testing until transmission is successful.
- g. Minimal error codes are included with Schema information. There are no additional state specific error codes.

- Wyoming's online filing system.
  - a. Any seller registered for sales tax through the SSTRS or directly with Wyoming can file using Wyoming's electronic filing system; WYIFS.
  - b. To create an online filing account or see additional information on the online system go to; https://excise-wyifs.wy.gov
- Paper Returns
  - a. Paper returns are mailed to taxpayer at the end of each reporting period.
  - b. Taxpayers filing electronically, using a SER or WYIFS, will not receive paper returns.
  - c. If you do not receive a return, you may request a return by calling 307-777-5200.
- State Filing Due Dates what is timely filed
  - a. Returns are due by the last day of the month following the date of sale or taxable service.
  - b. If a due date falls on a Saturday, Sunday, or legal holiday, the next business day is the due date.

### F. PAYMENT - EFT, OTHER PAYMENT, DUE DATES

- Who can pay by Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT)?
  - a. Any business that files a SER.
  - b. Any taxpayer that has an online account.
  - c. EFT Payment Methods
    - i. ACH Debit
      - SER Filers ACH Debit payment information is included on the SER. A SER may be filed to show return information only, payment only, or both return information and payment.
      - WYIFS Filers ACH Debit banking information is entered when you schedule a payment.
    - ii. ACH Credit
      - Data requirements for seller or CSP initiated ACH Credit payments: Please contact the Department at (307)777-5291
- What form of payment does the state accept:
  - a. Wire
  - b. Check
  - c. All payments listed above
- Prepayment are not required for Wyoming sales or use tax.
- Does the State accept Bulk Payments? Yes, you may make a bulk payment using a SER.
- Refunds of overpayments:
  - a. Contact the Department by calling 307-777-5200 or by Email <u>dor@wyo.gov</u> for information on refunds.
  - b. Refunds must be requested.

- c. Taxpayers that file through a CSP (Model 1) that have overpaid may use the credit on their next return or the CSP may request a refund.
- d. Taxpayer's that do not use a CSP, should use the credit on their next return and are not issued refunds unless the refund is requested in writing.
- State Payment Due Dates what is timely paid
  - a. All taxpayers that file and pay electronically using a SER or WYIFS, or who file paper returns; Payment is due by the last day of the month following the sale or service.

# G. CONFIDENTIALITY LAWS

# State Confidentiality laws or rules; W.S. 39-11-102

- **H. OTHER TAXES** Information on other taxes administered by the department is available at <u>http://dor.wyo.gov</u> or by calling 307-777-5200
  - In addition to the state and municipal sales and use tax. Some businesses may have the following tax liabilities:
    - a. E911 tax
    - b. Lodging tax

When a taxpayer files using a SER these taxes will need to be reported using WYIFS or on a paper return.