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Income Verification Express Services (IVES) Policy Update for Government Agencies

Dear IVES Participants,

Effective **02/01/2024** the IRS will no longer be providing Income Verification Express Services (IVES) to government agencies. The IRS is implementing the provisions of the Taxpayer First Act (P. Law 116-25) with increased privacy and security requirements for access to confidential tax information. The IVES program does not establish authority for government agencies to obtain tax data outside of Congressional action.

If tax transcript information is required by your agency, we recommend requesting it directly from the taxpayer. As part of the IRS' modernization efforts designed to enhance and better protect taxpayer data, taxpayers can obtain their own tax data by accessing [online account](#) at IRS.gov.

Generally, the IRS does not engage in ongoing data exchanges with government agencies unless specific legislation, codified in IRC 6103, authorizes the agency's access and use of tax return information to administer the program. If your agency meets this regulatory authority to request taxpayer data directly from the IRS, visit [IRS Information Sharing Programs](#) to find out more about data exchange policies and who to contact.

Thank you,

IRS IVES Team

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