IMPORTANT UPDATE ON ENHANCED E-WAY BILL PORTAL FUNCTIONALITIES

Key Change

- This is to inform you of a significant update concerning the E-Way Bill system, aimed at enhancing seamless operations for taxpayers and transporters. The GSTN (Goods and Services Tax Network) and NIC (National Informatics Centre) are launching a new E-Way Bill 2.0 portal (https://ewaybill2.gst.gov.in) on **July 1st, 2025.**
- This new portal is being introduced to provide enhanced inter-operability between the existing E-Way Bill 1.0 Portal (https://ewaybillgst.gov.in) and the new E-Way Bill 2.0 portal.

Key Objectives and Benefits:

- The primary objective of the E-Way Bill 2.0 portal is to provide continuity in services during exigencies. This dual-system approach is designed to eliminate dependency on a single portal and ensure business continuity.
- It enables cross-portal access to critical E-Way Bill functionalities, ensuring seamless operations for taxpayers and transporters.
- The E-Way Bill 2.0 portal is designed to synchronise E-Way Bill details with the main portal within a few seconds.

1. New Inter-Operable Services Available on E-Way Bill 2.0 Portal:

- The following additional services will be available on the E-Way Bill 2.0 portal for E-Way Bills generated on either portal (E-Way Bill 1.0 or E-Way Bill 2.0):
  - Generation of E-Way Bill based on Part-A details entered by the supplier.
  - Generation of Consolidated E-Way Bills.
  - Extension of validity of E-Way Bills.
  - Update of transporter details.
  - Retrieval of consolidated E-Way Bills.
- These are in addition to the currently available cross-functional services, which include:
  - Generation of E-Way Bills.
  - Updating of vehicle details.
  - Printing of E-Way Bills.

2. **System Integration and Synchronisation:**

- Both portals will operate on a real-time synchronised architecture, meaning E-Way Bill data will be mirrored across both systems within seconds.
- This means criss-cross operations between the two portals are fully enabled. Updates made to E-Way Bills generated on the E-Way Bill 1.0 portal can be carried out on the E-Way Bill 2.0 portal, and vice versa.
- In the event of a technical issue or downtime on the E-Way Bill 1.0 portal, taxpayers may perform all necessary operations (e.g., updating Part-B) on the E-Way Bill 2.0 portal and carry the E-Way Bill slip generated therefrom. Specifically, Part-B details of E-Way Bills generated on the E-Way Bill 1.0 portal can be updated through the E-Way Bill 2.0 portal if the main portal is unavailable due to technical reasons, and both versions of the E-Way Bill slip may be carried accordingly.

3. **API Availability:**

- All the above-mentioned services will also be made available to taxpayers and logistics operators through APIs (Application Programming Interfaces), in addition to the web portal interface.

Recommendation :

- We encourage all our clients, taxpayers, and logistics operators to familiarise themselves with the new functionalities available on the E-Way Bill 2.0 portal and integrate API services where applicable.