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BUREAU OF INTERNAL REVENUE REVENUE MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 37-2020

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FILING OF THE TAX RETURNS AND PAYMENT OF TAXES BEFORE THE EXTENDED DEADLINE

Recognizing the effects of the recent travel restrictions/bans and the temporary suspension of business operations implemented to contain the spread of COVID-19, the Bureau of Internal Revenue ("BIR") issued the **Revenue Memorandum Circular No. 37-2020** to address the concerns of taxpayers relative to the filing of tax returns and payment of taxes before the extended deadline.

If a tax return is amended on or before the extended due date, the following shall be observed:

- 1. If the amendment will result to <u>additional tax to be paid</u>, it will not be subjected to surcharge, interest, and compromise penalties; or
- 2. If the amendment will result to <u>overpayment of taxes paid</u>, the excess may be carried over as tax credit for the same tax type aside from filing a claim for refund.

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