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ADOR Web Site Provides Immediate Notices to Tax Preparers

MONTGOMERY, Feb. 9, 1999—A new addition to the Alabama Department of Revenue's Web site provides tax preparers with up-to-the-minute notices issued by the department, announced State Revenue Commissioner James P. Hayes Jr.

"Tax preparers having Internet access can scan tax notices issued by the department as soon as they are released. Recently added to the Practitioner's Corner is a separate information category entitled "Notice to Alabama Tax Preparers." This information section provides immediate access to tax preparers of any tax notices issued by the department's Individual and Corporate Tax Division," explained Hayes.

"Since the establishment of the ADOR's Web site in 1997, the department has diligently worked to provide the taxpayer and the tax practitioner communities with an immediate source to Alabama tax information," said Hayes. "The department is continuing to work toward goals that will minimize taxpayer filing burdens and maximize our processing efficiencies. We have a responsibility to Alabama's taxpayers in providing them with every filing assistance possible, but we also have an equal responsibility to Alabama's tax practitioner community in providing tax preparers with the necessary assistance they need to do their jobs effectively and serve their customers. The 'Practitioner's Corner' is just another useful outlet for Alabama tax information," Hayes added.

The department's Web site address is **www.ador.state.al.us**. Comments or suggestions for improvements to the department's Web site are welcomed and may be forwarded to the appropriate tax divisions through e-mail. E-mail addresses for the various tax divisions are listed on the Department of Revenue

Web site.