

Minutes – A-NZ Service Provider Forum

The minutes below do not repeat written messages provided in the pre reading papers and record only additional information discussed during the meeting.

Item number 1 – Welcome

- The Chair, NZ delegate and AU Chair welcomed attendees.
- The previous meeting's minutes were endorsed.

Item number 2 – Highlight key issues from meeting papers

Peppol Authority Updates

- Local Network Update
 - Recent Service Provider accreditations
 - Welcome to VAT IT Reclaim who were recently accredited in Australia and WiseTech Global Limited who will be accredited.
 - Welcome to Suma Technology Services LLP recently accredited in New Zealand.
- Government
 - Member comment: Have been working with a government agency for years which has recently started eInvoicing. So, the agencies are starting to move.
 - NZ delegate: Activity in government agencies has increased in last month, with agencies signing up with SPs.
- Community Engagement
 - Working with government agencies to spread the news through their networks.
 - Results from the online survey recently conducted by the NZ PA indicated a barrier that businesses are waiting for others to start eInvoicing before they start. Benefits include it saving time, helps in faster payments and invoices won't get lost.
- Specification and Guidance Updates
 - A-NZ BIS Billing & Self-Billing
 - Currently less than 1% of BIS billing is traffic.
 - Note – please respond to the proposal to remove A-NZ BIS messages from the network on 1 March 2026. Responses are due by Tuesday 16 September 2025.
- Peppol eDelivery Migration Updates

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- CNAME to NAPTR Migration
 - SPF check-in meetings for the CNAME to NAPTR migration are coming soon. Much like we did for the PINT migration.
 - We will be discussing the status of SP's migrations.
 - We need you to respond to our email on your progress. We will send it out later this week.
 - We will be sharing the status of all SPs at the check ins, using a Traffic light style report.
 - We have asked some of the largest senders about how they are going with the migration.
- Public Key Infrastructure (PKI) Migration
 - Change timeline for PKI certificates is firm.
 - OpenPeppol webinar explaining changes on 10/9 5pm AEST / 7pm NZST.
 - Member concerns raised:
 - Can Peppol process the required tickets in the timeframe?
 - Will OpenPeppol require payment of the new fee for certification before they issue the production certificate?
 - Chair advised some of those question have been raised in the MC and put forward.
 - Member comment: Global SP forum is on tonight. The change is from the external certificate provider and the date is firm, no extensions.
- Open Peppol Activities
 - Slovakia has applied. Working towards a vanilla implementation of a 5-corner model
 - South Korea and Taiwan talking to OpenPeppol.
 - OO is looking at the value proposition for many Yhazean states who have their own networks for eInvoicing.
 - UAE is looking to go live in January.

Item number 3 – Service Provider questions/discussion

Service Provider questions and discussion.

- Peppol Security Committee update from Rick Harvey
 - ISO27001 will be a sub policy of the Security policy.
 - Chair acknowledged the work Australia and Rick have done to push this along over the years.

Item number 7 – Other Business

- SPF format

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- Member comment: The EU SPF has been going on for a long time. They have a regular rhythm that goes well. The papers going out are good, however some SPs don't have time to read the papers and attend the meeting to hear the summary. Papers are good to form a reference. Suggestion to have slides in the meeting to help people follow along.
- Seeking feedback from SPs on the new format of sending papers out early.
 - Please provide comments to the PAs.
- Next Meeting – 25 November 2025.
- Thank you and wrap up. Meeting closed at 11:36am AEDT / 1:36pm NZST.
