From 1 April 2023, VAT paid abroad can be reclaimed on form 23ELEKAFA

As of 1 April 2023, Hungarian taxpayers who want to reclaim the value added tax (VAT) passed on to them in another EU Member State will have to **submit form 23ELEKAFA** to the National Tax and Customs Administration.

Form 23ELEKAFA should be used in the following cases:

- for VAT refunds in 2023, if **Croatia is the Member State of refund** and **VAT is** already **charged in Euro** after 1 January 2023,
- for VAT refunds in 2023 if the refund is made **from a Member State of the Community other than Croatia**,
- **for VAT refunds in 2022** (except for VAT charged in Croatian kunas).

This is regardless of the year for which the VAT refund, adjustment or correction is requested.

For VAT refunds in 2022 for which Croatia is the Member State of refund and VAT is still charged in Croatian kunas, form 22ELEKAFA shall be used until 30 September 2023.

23ELEKAFA is available at the following link:

https://nav.gov.hu/nyomtatvanyok/letoltesek/nyomtatvanykitolto_programok/nyomtatvanykitolto_programok nav/23elekafa

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