

Verified Entity Data as a Service

VEDaaS Portal (formerly AvoxData) Release Notes

This notification details the changes associated with the Verified Entity Data as a Service Portal.

This release will take place on Thursday **13th September 2018**.

It is expected that there will be **no interruption** to services during this deployment and the changes highlighted within this notification are considered **backwards compatible**.

Version Control

In document version 1.1 of these release notes a change has been made to the Automated Emails section. The replacement email address has changed from noreply.vedaas.portal@thomsonreuters.com to noreply.portal@vedaas.thomsonreuters.com.

Background

The intention of this release is to enhance and address issues raised by our clients which have impacted the client experience and has a negative impact on the service provided through the VEDaaS Portal.

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COOKIE ACCEPTANCE

When visiting the VEDaaS portal users will be presented with a cookie acceptance text, requesting that users acknowledge and accept the use of cookies by the site.

LICENSE AGREEMENT

Details concerning the third-party license agreements have been added as a hyperlink to the bottom of the website.

AUTOMATED EMAILS

A series of issues have been identified and resolved concerning the automated responses sent by the VEDaaS portal to users of this service. The addressed issues include the following:

1. Email subject with non-alphanumeric symbols.
2. Hyperlinks not directing the email recipient to the correct location on the VEDaaS portal.
3. Failure to send the expected automated email response when a Junior User requests an entity subscription.

In addition to the above, all automated response emails from this service will no longer be sent from Avoxdata.NoReply@avox.info this will be changed as part of this release to noreply.portal@vedaas.thomsonreuters.com.

ENTITY SUBSCRIPTIONS

Changes to the entity subscription process have been put into effect. Clients wishing to subscribe to an entity will now no longer be able to make a subscription without providing an Internal Reference ID. This change has been made for the benefit of both clients of Thomson Reuters Verified Entity Data as a Service and Thomson Reuters.