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Corporate compliance and corporate secretarial services

Clarifying company representation on Government online platforms

It has been observed that many companies are struggling to keep a clear overview of who is authorised to officially represent them through the Belgian Government's online platforms and, in particular, who in their organisation has the required digital access rights to do so. This issue has become even more relevant since the launch of the UBO register during FY 2019.

In practice, this may consequently prevent companies from respecting filing deadlines. It may also lead to companies acting online without respecting the representation rules as defined in their articles of association or internal authorisation policies, and result in people who have left the organisation to continue accessing the Belgian Government's online platforms on behalf of their former employer.

A four step solution towards clarity

In order to obtain a clear picture for a company's online representation and mitigate any related risks, Deloitte Legal's corporate compliance and secretarial team proposes a 4-step solution with which it is readily available to assist:

1. Map company's current online setup
2. Audit the current way of working
3. Define appropriate policies and procedures
4. Implement these new policies and procedures

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