

# Validation Process for Newly Issued Invoices

## SOP: Invoice Review and Currency Validation Process

### Purpose:

To ensure the accuracy of invoicing by validating the client details, invoice amounts, currencies, and other key invoice attributes.

**Timeline:** Process has to be followed up each month on 2nd day of a new month

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### Step 1: Request List of Invoices (from Developers Team)

1. **Request the invoice list** (in production). This list must include the following details:
    - Client name
    - Amounts
    - Invoice numbers
    - A column indicating whether the invoice was sent to the client automatically (*send\_invoices\_automatically*)
    - Invoice currency
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### Step 2: Currency Validation

1. **Filter the currency column** and check for any unusual currencies, such as TZS, VND, or others that do not align with standard billing practices at Eskimi.
2. Verify that the invoices are issued in the correct currencies for each Eskimi entity as follows:
  - **Eskimi Nigeria:** NGN, USD, EUR only
  - **Eskimi Singapore:** SGD, USD, EUR, AUD only
  - **Eskimi Bangladesh:** All invoices in BDT
  - **Eskimi Indonesia:** Only IDR & USD
  - **Eskimi India:** Only INR & USD
  - **Eskimi Kenya:** Only KES & USD
  - **Eskimi UAE:** Only USD
  - **Eskimi Azerbaijan:** AZN, USD, EUR
  - **Eskimi Kazakhstan:** KZT, USD, EUR

- **Eskimi Myanmar:** MMK, USD
- **Eskimi Turkey:** TYR, USD, EUR
- **Eskimi Lithuania:** Ensure no invoices with currencies such as TZS, ZWD, SGD, LKR, AED, or others not accepted as per the tracker history. At the moment we do bill in EUR, USD, ZAR, PLN, GBP, SEK, JPY.

### Step 3: Invoice Amount Validation

1. **Check for any invoices with negative amounts.** Only credit notes should have negative values.
2. **Investigate any invoices with very small amounts** (e.g., \$0.01, \$1.00, or atypical amounts like \$26.00) by verifying:
  - Whether the small amount reflects a discount applied to the invoice total.
  - If the invoice is related to a **test campaign**.
  - If it is a **BrandLift campaign** (should be indicated in the invoice title), and ensure the discount has been applied correctly.

### Step 4: Example of Invoice Review

- If there is an invoice in **VND** under **Eskimi Lithuania**, investigate and correct it. Since VND is not an accepted currency and the client's usual billing currency is **USD**, revise the invoice and check the company profile settings for currency consistency.

This below example indicates that usual client's billing is USD:

Invoice date	Invoice #	Invoice Reference	IO #	Invoice amount	Currency	Due date	Paid amount	Credit amount	Payment date	Age
<b>Total :</b>				VND : 1,831,359.43 USD : 3,917.79 EUR : 228.38			VND : 1,831,446.75 USD : 3,649.66 EUR : 228.38	VND : 0.00 USD : 268.13 EUR : 0.00		
2024-08-31	ELT 23199	Hoang Bao Quoc (USD)_2024-08-01_2024-08-31	IO 36240	1,831,359.43	VND	2024-09-10	1,831,446.75	0.00	2024-02-14	
2024-08-12	ELT 22846	DO NOT SELECT - This is Self Service client now - Programmatic Campaigns - Dec 21	IO 23363	186.90	USD	2024-08-13	0.00	186.90	2024-08-12	
2024-07-31	ELT 22699	Hoang Bao Quoc (USD)_2024-07-01_2024-07-31	IO 35515	148.00	USD	2024-07-30	66.77	81.23	2024-08-07	

In the company profile settings choose the user which has USD currency as the main and set it as a default for billing:

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Client auto-invoicing profile + X

Auto billing users?  
Hoang Bao Quoc - USD, Hoang Bao Quoc - USD (View) ▼

When invoice should be generated?

- End of month (+interim invoices) ⓘ
- End of IO budgets spend (campaign status = complete) ⓘ

How group invoice media budgets?

- One line "DSP services" (default) ⓘ
- By media budget and country ⓘ
- Group all client accounts under one invoice (always a new IO+invoice(dedicated for self-service)) ⓘ
- Group all client io's under one invoice ⓘ
- Grouping by account and IO ⓘ

Select client main account for IO/Invoice

Please select any

Hoang Bao Quoc - USD

Hoang Bao Quoc - USD (View)

Send invoices automatically

## Summary:

This SOP outlines a detailed process for invoice review, currency validation, and user account checks to ensure the accuracy and correctness of invoices issued for the previous month.

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