

### STATEMENT

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The Hague, 11 June 2025

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## Tax Administration

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4 juni 2025

Contactpersoon

Betreft: Statement payment history regarding fulfilment of tax obligations

Dear Sir, Madam,

On 4 June 2025, ELSEVIER B.V., RADARWEG 29, 1043 NX AMSTERDAM, applied for a 'Declaration regarding compliance with tax obligations'. In this letter you can read my decision on that application.

### Decision

I declare that ELSEVIER B.V. as at 4 June 2025 has no outstanding tax assessments. Nor debts to parties for which the recipient carries out the collection. Or ELSEVIER B.V. has provided security for payment thereof.

### About this declaration

The following is important for this 'Declaration regarding compliance with tax obligations':

- This declaration only applies to data held on record by the Tax and Customs Administration/Grote ondernemingen/Invordering/Kantoor Amsterdam on 4 June 2025.
- The Tax and Customs Administration is not liable for any adverse consequences ensuing from the use of this declaration.

### Questions?

Please call the BelastingTelefoon on 0800 - 0543 or, when abroad, +31 555 385 385.

Yours sincerely,

on behalf of the collector