



# Taxation of Chargeable Gains Act 1992

## 1992 CHAPTER 12

### [<sup>F1</sup>PART 1

#### CAPITAL GAINS TAX AND CORPORATION TAX ON CHARGEABLE GAINS

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#### CAPITAL GAINS TAX

#### *Territorial scope of charge*

#### [<sup>F1</sup>1C Non-UK residents: disposing of an “interest in UK land”

- (1) For the purposes of section 1A(3)(b) an “interest in UK land” means—
  - (a) an estate, interest, right or power in or over land in the United Kingdom, or
  - (b) the benefit of an obligation, restriction or condition affecting the value of an estate, interest, right or power in or over land in the United Kingdom, other than an excluded interest.
- (2) The following interests are “excluded interests”—
  - (a) any interest or right held for securing the payment of money or the performance of any other obligation,
  - (b) a licence to use or occupy land,
  - (c) in England and Wales or Northern Ireland, a tenancy at will or an advowson, franchise or manor, and
  - (d) such other descriptions of interest or right in relation to land in the United Kingdom as may be specified in regulations made by the Treasury.
- (3) An interest or right is not within subsection (2)(a) if it is—
  - (a) a rentcharge, or
  - (b) in Scotland, a feu duty or a payment mentioned in section 56(1) of the Abolition of Feudal Tenure etc (Scotland) Act 2000.

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- (4) The grant of an option by a person binding the person to dispose of an interest in UK land is (so far as it would not otherwise be the case) regarded as a disposal of an interest in UK land by the person for the purposes of section 1A(3)(b).
- (5) This does not affect the operation of section 144 in relation to the grant of the option (or otherwise).
- (6) In this section—
- “franchise” means a grant from the Crown such as the right to hold a market or fair, or the right to take tolls, and
  - “land” includes—
    - (a) buildings and structures, and
    - (b) land under the sea or otherwise covered by water.]

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#### **Textual Amendments**

- F1** Pt. 1 substituted (with effect in accordance with Sch. 1 paras. 120, 123 of the amending Act) by [Finance Act 2019 \(c. 1\), Sch. 1 para. 2](#)

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:**

- Act applied by [1997 c. 16 Sch. 12 para. 12\(7\)](#)[1314](#)
- Act applied by [2002 c. 23 Sch. 16 para. 48\(1\)\(2\)](#)
- Act construed as one with reg. 37 by [S.I. 2006/575 reg. 37\(2\)](#)
- Act construed as one with reg. 38 by [S.I. 2006/575 reg. 38\(3\)](#)

**Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):**

- s. 4(10)(11) inserted by [2016 c. 11 s. 15\(4\)](#)
- s. 4(10) words inserted by [2016 c. 24 s. 83\(11\)](#)
- s. 35(3)(d)(xviii) added by [2008 c. 17 Sch. 7 para. 9](#)
- s. 35(3)(d)(xviii) inserted by [2008 c. 18 Sch. 13 para. 46](#)
- s. 35(3)(d)(xviii) repealed by [S.I. 2008/3002 Sch. 1 para. 42](#)[Sch. 3](#) (This amendment comes into force on the day 2008 c. 4, s. 5 comes into force, see art. 1(2). That provision was brought into force on 1.12.2008 by [S.I. 2008/3068](#), art. 2(1)(b))
- s. 104(4)(b)(i) words substituted by [S.I. 1989/469](#), reg. 27(2) (as amended) by [S.I. 1997/1716 reg. 13\(1\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 107(11) words substituted by [S.I. 1989/469](#), reg. 27(2A) (as amended) by [S.I. 1997/1716 reg. 13\(2\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 169S(4A) inserted by [2015 c. 11 s. 43\(2\)](#)
- s. 587B inserted by [2000 c. 17 s. 43\(1\)](#)
- Sch. 5C para. 3(1) modified by [S.I. 2004/2199 reg. 7\(1\)](#)
- Sch. 5C para. 3(6) modified by [S.I. 2004/2199 reg. 7\(2\)](#)
- Sch. 5C para. 5(1) modified by [S.I. 2004/2199 reg. 7\(3\)](#)
- Sch. 5C para. 3 words inserted by [S.I. 2005/3229 reg. 128](#)
- Sch. 5C para. 5 words inserted by [S.I. 2005/3229 reg. 128](#)
- Sch. 5C para. 6 words inserted by [S.I. 2005/3229 reg. 128](#)
- Sch. 5C para. 3(1)(f) words substituted by [2007 c. 3 Sch. 1 para. 347](#)