

# Income Tax Act 2007

# **2007 CHAPTER 3**

### PART 9

SPECIAL RULES ABOUT SETTLEMENTS AND TRUSTEES

## CHAPTER 2

#### GENERAL PROVISION ABOUT SETTLEMENTS AND TRUSTEES

Settlors

## 467 Meaning of "settlor" etc

- (1) In the Income Tax Acts (except where the context otherwise requires) "settlor", in relation to a settlement, means the person, or any of the persons, who has made the settlement.
- (2) In the Income Tax Acts (except where the context otherwise requires) a person is a settlor of property if—
  - (a) the property is settled property because of—
    - (i) the person's having made the settlement, or
    - (ii) an event which leads to the person being treated by this Chapter as having made the settlement, or
  - (b) the property derives from settled property within paragraph (a).
- (3) A person ("S") is treated for the purposes of the Income Tax Acts as having made a settlement if—
  - (a) S has made or entered into the settlement (directly or indirectly), or
  - (b) the settled property, or property from which the settled property derives, is or includes property within subsection (4).
- (4) Property is within this subsection if—

Status: This is the original version (as it was originally enacted).

- (a) the settlement arose on S's death (whether by S's will, on S's intestacy or in any other way), and
- (b) immediately before S's death, the property was property of S—
  - (i) which was disposable property (see section 468), or
  - (ii) which represented S's severable share in any property to which S was beneficially entitled as joint tenant.
- (5) In particular, S is treated for the purposes of the Income Tax Acts as having made a settlement if—
  - (a) S has provided property for the purposes of the settlement (directly or indirectly), or
  - (b) S has undertaken to do that.
- (6) If a person ("A") makes or enters into a settlement in accordance with reciprocal arrangements with another person ("B")—
  - (a) B is treated for the purposes of the Income Tax Acts as having made the settlement, and
  - (b) A is not to be treated for the purposes of the Income Tax Acts as having made the settlement just because of the reciprocal arrangements.
- (7) This section needs to be read with sections 469 to 473.
- (8) This section and sections 469 to 473 do not apply for the purposes of Chapter 5 of Part 5 of ITTOIA 2005 (amounts treated as income of settlors).