



Finance Act 2013

2013 CHAPTER 29

PART 1

INCOME TAX, CORPORATION TAX AND CAPITAL GAINS TAX

CHAPTER 2

INCOME TAX: GENERAL

Exemptions and reliefs

8 London Anniversary Games

- (1) An accredited competitor who performs an Anniversary Games activity is not liable to income tax in respect of any income arising from the activity if the non-residence condition is met.
- (2) The following are Anniversary Games activities—
 - (a) competing at the Anniversary Games, and
 - (b) any activity that is performed during the games period the main purpose of which is to support or promote the Anniversary Games.
- (3) The non-residence condition is that—
 - (a) the accredited competitor is non-UK resident for the tax year 2013-14, or
 - (b) the accredited competitor is UK resident for the tax year 2013-14 but the year is a split year as respects the competitor and the activity is performed in the overseas part of the year.
- (4) Section 966 of ITA 2007 (deduction of sums representing income tax) does not apply to any payment or transfer which gives rise to income benefiting from the exemption under subsection (1).
- (5) In this section—

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“accredited competitor” means a person to whom an accreditation card in the athletes' category has been issued by the company named UK Athletics Limited which was incorporated on 16 December 1998;

“the Anniversary Games” means the British Athletics London Anniversary Games held at the Olympic Stadium in London in July 2013;

“the games period” means the period—

(a) beginning with 21 July 2013, and

(b) ending with 29 July 2013;

“income” means employment income or profits of a trade, profession or vocation (including profits treated as arising as a result of section 13 of ITTOIA 2005).

(6) This section is treated as having come into force on 6 April 2013.

9 Glasgow Commonwealth Games

(1) An accredited competitor who performs a Commonwealth Games activity is not liable to income tax in respect of any income arising from the activity if the non-residence condition is met.

(2) The following are Commonwealth Games activities—

(a) competing at the Glasgow Commonwealth Games, and

(b) any activity that is performed during the games period the main purpose of which is to support or promote the Glasgow Commonwealth Games or any future Commonwealth Games.

(3) The non-residence condition is that—

(a) the accredited competitor is non-UK resident for the tax year in which the Commonwealth Games activity is performed, or

(b) the accredited competitor is UK resident for the tax year in which the activity is performed but the year is a split year as respects the competitor and the activity is performed in the overseas part of the year.

(4) Section 966 of ITA 2007 (deduction of sums representing income tax) does not apply to any payment or transfer which gives rise to income benefiting from the exemption under subsection (1).

(5) In this section—

“accredited competitor” means a person to whom a Glasgow 2014 accreditation card in the athletes' category has been issued by the company named Glasgow 2014 Limited which was incorporated on 11 June 2007;

“the games period” means the period—

(a) beginning with 4 March 2014, and

(b) ending with 3 September 2014;

“the Glasgow Commonwealth Games” means the Commonwealth Games held in Scotland in 2014;

“income” means employment income or profits of a trade, profession or vocation (including profits treated as arising as a result of section 13 of ITTOIA 2005).

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10 Expenses of elected representatives

(1) After section 293A of ITEPA 2003 insert—

“293B UK travel expenses of other elected representatives

- (1) No liability to income tax arises in respect of a payment to which this section applies if it is expressed to be made in respect of relevant UK travel expenses.
- (2) This section applies to payments—
 - (a) made to members of the Scottish Parliament under section 81(2) of the Scotland Act 1998,
 - (b) made to members of the National Assembly for Wales under section 20(2) of the Government of Wales Act 2006 or to a member of the Welsh Assembly Government under section 53(2) of that Act, or
 - (c) made to members of the Northern Ireland Assembly under section 47(2) of the Northern Ireland Act 1998.
- (3) In this section “relevant UK travel expenses” means expenses necessarily incurred on journeys of the following kinds within the United Kingdom—
 - (a) journeys within subsection (4) made by the member that are necessary for the performance of his or her duties as a member;
 - (b) if the member shares caring responsibilities with a spouse or partner, journeys made by the spouse or partner between the constituency or region and the member's parliamentary home.
- (4) The journeys referred to in subsection (3)(a) are those—
 - (a) between the constituency or region and the Parliament or Assembly to which the member belongs,
 - (b) between the constituency or region and the member's parliamentary home, or
 - (c) within the constituency or region, but not excluded by subsection (5).
- (5) A journey is excluded if—
 - (a) in the case of a member who has only one local office, it is between the member's local home and that office, and
 - (b) in any other case, it is between the member's local home and the principal local office.
- (6) In this section—

“constituency or region”, in relation to a member, means the constituency or region which the member represents and the area within 20 miles of the boundary of that constituency or region;

“local office”, in relation to a member, means an office which is situated in the constituency or region and occupied by the member for the purposes of performing duties as a member;

“the member's local home” means a residence of the member situated in the constituency or region;

“the member's parliamentary home” means the member's only or main residence in the area comprising—

 - (a) the main site of the Parliament or Assembly to which the member belongs, and

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(b) the area within 20 miles of that site;

“principal local office”, in relation to a member, means the local office most frequently occupied by the member for the purposes of performing duties as a member.

(7) A person has “caring responsibilities” if the person—

- (a) has parental responsibility for a dependent child aged under 17 or for a child aged 17 or 18 who is in full-time education, or
- (b) is the primary carer for a family member in receipt of—
 - (i) attendance allowance,
 - (ii) disability living allowance at the middle or highest rate for personal care,
 - (iii) the daily living component of personal independence payment, or
 - (iv) constant attendance allowance at or above the maximum rate with an industrial injuries disablement benefit, or the basic (full day) rate with a war disablement pension.

(8) The Treasury may by order amend the definition of “caring responsibilities” in subsection (7).”

(2) The amendment made by this section has effect in relation to payments made on or after 6 April 2013.

11 Exemption from income tax of contributions to pension schemes

- (1) In Chapter 9 of Part 4 of ITEPA 2003 (exemptions from income tax for pension provision), in section 308 (exemption of contributions to registered pension scheme), at the end insert “ in respect of the employee ”.
- (2) The amendment made by this section has effect for the tax year 2013-14 and subsequent tax years.

12 Childcare exemptions: meaning of disabled child

- (1) In section 318B of ITEPA 2003 (childcare: meaning of “disabled” etc), in subsection (3)(a), after “allowance” insert “ or personal independence payment ”.
- (2) The amendment made by this section has effect for the tax year 2013-14 and subsequent tax years.

13 Income tax exemption for universal credit

- (1) In section 677(1) of ITEPA 2003 (UK social security benefits wholly exempt from tax), in Part 1 of Table B (benefits payable under primary legislation), insert at the appropriate place—

“Universal credit	WRA 2012	Part 1
	Any provision made for Northern Ireland which corresponds to Part 1 of WRA 2012”.	

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- (2) The amendment made by this section has effect for the tax year 2013-14 and subsequent tax years.

14 Tax advantaged employee share schemes

Schedule 2 amends the SIP code, the SAYE code, the CSOP code and the EMI code.

15 Abolition of tax relief for patent royalties

- (1) Chapter 4 of Part 8 of ITA 2007 (reliefs: annual payments and patent royalties) is amended in accordance with subsections (2) and (3).
- (2) In section 448 (relief for individuals), in subsection (1)(b) omit “or 903(5)” and “and patent royalties”.
- (3) In section 449 (relief for other persons), in subsection (1)(b) omit “or 903(6)” and “and patent royalties”.
- (4) Accordingly, that Act is amended as follows—
- (a) in section 2 (overview of Act), in subsection (8)(c) omit “and patent royalties”,
 - (b) in section 24 (reliefs deductible at Step 2), in subsection (1)(b) omit “and patent royalties”, and
 - (c) in the heading for Chapter 4 of Part 8 of that Act omit “AND PATENT ROYALTIES”.
- (5) The amendments made by this section have effect in relation to payments made on or after 5 December 2012.

16 Limit on income tax reliefs

Schedule 3 contains provision limiting the deductions which may be made at Step 2 of the calculation in section 23 of ITA 2007 (calculation of income tax liability).

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