

Finance Act 2023

2023 CHAPTER 1

Income tax

6 Threshold at which additional rate is charged

- (1) In section 10 of the Income Tax Act 2007 (income charged at the basic, higher and additional rates: individuals), for subsection (5A) substitute—
 - "(5A) The higher rate limit for a tax year is equal to—
 - (a) twice the amount specified in subsection (1) of section 35 (personal allowance) for the tax year, plus
 - (b) the amount specified in subsection (2) of that section (amount at which personal allowance starts to be withdrawn).
 - (5B) Before the start of the tax year the Treasury must make an order specifying the amount which is, as a result of subsection (5A), the higher rate limit for the tax year."
- (2) In section 1014(5)(b) of that Act (orders and regulations to which no Parliamentary procedure applies), before sub-paragraph (i) insert—
 - "(ai) section 10(5B) (the higher rate limit),".
- (3) The subsection (5A) of section 10 of that Act as substituted by subsection (1) has effect for the tax year 2023-24 and subsequent tax years.
- (4) For each of the tax years 2023-24, 2024-25, 2025-26, 2026-27 and 2027-28, the amount of the higher rate limit is £125,140.
- (5) In consequence of the provision made by subsection (4), the new subsection (5B) of section 10 of that Act (as inserted by subsection (1)) has effect for the tax year 2028-29 and subsequent tax years.