

# Income Tax (Trading and Other Income) Act 2005

## **2005 CHAPTER 5**

#### PART 2

TRADING INCOME

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TRADE PROFITS: RULES ALLOWING DEDUCTIONS

Incidental costs of obtaining finance

# 59 Convertible loans and loan stock etc.

- (1) No deduction is allowed under section 58 in respect of a loan or loan stock if—
  - (a) it carries the right of conversion into, or to the acquisition of, shares or other securities, and
  - (b) the right is exercisable before the end of the period of 3 years from the date when the loan was obtained or the stock issued ("the 3 year period").
- (2) "Other securities" does not include a loan or loan stock—
  - (a) the interest on which is deductible in calculating the profits of the person's trade, and
  - (b) which does not carry such a right as is mentioned in subsection (1).
- (3) But the restriction imposed by subsection (1) does not apply if the right is not, or is not wholly, exercised before the end of the 3 year period.
- (4) In such a case any incidental costs of obtaining finance incurred before the end of the 3 year period are treated as incurred immediately after the end of it.

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- (5) If the right is exercised within the 3 year period as to part of the loan or loan stock, only the following incidental costs of obtaining finance are treated as incurred.
- (6) The costs are those corresponding to the proportion of the loan or loan stock in respect of which the right is not exercised within that period.

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