Council Directive 2003/48/EC of 3 June 2003 on taxation of savings income in the form of interest payments (repealed)

## CHAPTER I

## INTRODUCTORY PROVISIONS

## Article 1

## Aim

- 1 The ultimate aim of the Directive is to enable savings income in the form of interest payments made in one Member State to beneficial owners who are individuals resident for tax purposes in another Member State to be made subject to effective taxation in accordance with the laws of the latter Member State.
- 2 Member States shall take the necessary measures to ensure that the tasks necessary for the implementation of this Directive are carried out by paying agents established within their territory, irrespective of the place of establishment of the debt of the debt claim producing the interest.