



# Finance (No. 2) Act 2023

## 2023 CHAPTER 30

### PART 3

#### MULTINATIONAL TOP-UP TAX

### CHAPTER 1

#### INTRODUCTION AND CHARGE

#### 122 Chargeable persons

- (1) A person is chargeable to multinational top-up tax for an accounting period of a multinational group if the group is a qualifying multinational group in that period and—
  - (a) the person—
    - (i) is a responsible member of the multinational group at any time in that period,
    - (ii) is a body corporate or a partnership that is not a body corporate, and
    - (iii) is located in the United Kingdom, or
  - (b) the person is chargeable to tax in respect of an entity that is a responsible member of the multinational group at any time in that period.
- (2) A person is chargeable to tax in respect of a responsible member of a multinational group if—
  - (a) the profits of the responsible member would, on the relevant assumptions, be the profits of the person for the purposes of income tax or corporation tax,
  - (b) the responsible member is located in the United Kingdom, and
  - (c) the responsible member is not—
    - (i) a body corporate, or
    - (ii) a partnership that is not a body corporate.
- (3) The relevant assumptions are—

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- (a) that the responsible member has profits that are chargeable to income tax or corporation tax, and
  - (b) that the person is resident in the United Kingdom for the purposes of that tax.
- (4) Where a partnership that is not a body corporate is chargeable to multinational top-up tax as a result of [subsection \(1\)\(a\)](#)—
  - (a) the responsible partners are liable to pay the tax, and
  - (b) the liability of the responsible partners to do so is joint and several.
- (5) The references in [subsection \(4\)](#) to “the responsible partners” are to each member of the partnership at any time during the accounting period who—
  - (a) in the case of a partner that is an entity, is located in the United Kingdom, or
  - (b) in the case of a partner that is an individual, is tax resident in the United Kingdom.
- (6) A partnership is to be regarded for the purposes of [this section](#) as continuing to be the same partnership regardless of a change in membership, provided that a person who was a member before the change remains a member after the change.
- (7) Where more than one person is chargeable to tax in relation to the same responsible member of a qualifying multinational group as a result of the application of [subsection \(2\)](#), each of those persons is jointly and severally liable to multinational top-up tax.

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- s. 150(6A) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 50\(5\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 151(1)(c) and word inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 9\(2\)\(d\)](#)
- s. 151(1)(aa) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 9\(2\)\(c\)](#)
- s. 151(6A) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 9\(4\)](#)
- s. 151(8) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 9\(6\)](#)
- s. 159(1)(a)(b) substituted for words by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 12\(2\)](#)
- s. 159(2)(a)(b) substituted for words by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 12\(3\)](#)
- s. 159(3)(a)(b) substituted for words by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 12\(4\)](#)
- s. 159(4) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 12\(5\)](#)
- s. 165(2)(a)(i)(ii) s. 165(2)(a)(b) become s. 165(2)(a)(i)(ii) by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 50\(6\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 168(12) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 14\(8\)](#)
- s. 170(2A) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 14\(9\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 176A-176C and cross-heading inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 8\(6\)](#)
- s. 176D-176F and cross-heading inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 16\(1\)](#)
- s. 178(1A)(1B) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 17\(4\)](#)
- s. 178(5)(6) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 17\(6\)](#)
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- s. 179(3A)(3B) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 17\(7\)\(b\)](#)
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- s. 195(7A) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 25\(1\)](#)
- s. 196(1)(e) and words inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 22\(1\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 196(1A) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 21\(1\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 197(4)(d)(e) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 23\(b\)](#)
- s. 197(5)(c) and word inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 22\(2\)\(e\)](#)
- s. 197(6A) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 21\(2\)](#)
- s. 197(7A) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 24](#)
- s. 197A inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 25\(2\)](#)
- s. 198A inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 26](#)
- s. 211(1)-(1C) substituted for s. 211(1) by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 27\(a\)](#)
- s. 213(6A) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 28](#)
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- s. 232A inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 2\(2\)](#)
- s. 236(2A) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 31\(3\)](#)
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- s. 268A inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 2(4)
- s. 272(8)(da) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 44(1)
- s. 272(9)-(11) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 43(3)(b)
- s. 272A inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 42(3)
- s. 273(3)(ba) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 44(2)
- s. 273(4)(pa) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 57(3)(c)
- s. 273A273B inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 45(1)
- s. 273C inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 46
- s. 276(c)(iiia) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 45(2)(b)
- s. 276(aa) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 45(2)(a)
- s. 311A inserted by 2024 c. 3 s. 21(3)
- Sch. 14 para. 37A37B and cross-heading inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 2(6)(b)
- Sch. 14 para. 39(1)(aa) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 2(6)(c)(ii)
- Sch. 14 para. 39(2)(aa) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 2(6)(c)(iii)
- Sch. 14 para. 33A inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 37(3)
- Sch. 14 para. 6(1A) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 58(1)(a)
- Sch. 14 para. 34(2A) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 58(1)(b)(ii)
- Sch. 14 para. 3(3)-(5) substituted for Sch. 14 para. 3(3) by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 2(6)(a)(iii)
- Sch. 15 para. 2(1)(za) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 16(2)
- Sch. 15 para. 2(1)(k) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 40(2)
- Sch. 15 para. 2(1)(l) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 41(4)
- Sch. 15 para. 1(1)(aa) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 58(2)(a)
- Sch. 15 para. 2(1)(ea) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 58(2)(b)(i)
- Sch. 15 para. 2(1)(fa) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 58(2)(b)(ii)
- Sch. 16 para. 10(1) Sch. 16 para. 10 renumbered as Sch. 16 para. 10(1) by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 58(3)(a)
- Sch. 16 para. 2(11)(b) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 34(2)(d)(ii)
- Sch. 16 para. 2(3A) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 38(3)
- Sch. 16 para. 2(12)(13) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 38(8)
- Sch. 16 para. 4(3)(d) and word inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 39(3)(a)(ii)
- Sch. 16 Pt. 3 inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 40(1)
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- Sch. 16 para. 2(1)(b)(ba) substituted for Sch. 16 para. 2(1)(b) by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 34(2)(a)
- Sch. 16 para. 3(1)(1A) substituted for Sch. 16 para. 3(1) by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 39(2)
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