CGT (SI)

- ❖ Only apply to asset acquired after 20/9/1985 (s104-10(5)(a))
- ❖ For CGT asset acquired before 21/9/1999, CGT event happen after 21/9/1999, cost base could calculate by choosing between indexation/discount

Has CGT event occur?

Priority if more than one occur: A1 – D1 - H2 (s102-25)

** Asset is acquired when become owned (s109-5(1))

CGT events			
Event number and description	Time of event is:	Capital gain is:	Capital loss is:
A1 Disposal of a CGT asset	when disposal contract is entered into or, if none, when change of ownership	capital proceeds from disposal less asset's cost base	asset's reduced cost base <i>less</i> capital proceeds
B1 Use and enjoyment before title passes [s 104-15]	when use of CGT asset passes	capital proceeds less asset's cost base	asset's reduced cost base less capital proceeds
C1 Loss or destruction of a CGT asset	when compensation is first received or, if none, when loss discovered or destruction occurred	capital proceeds less asset's cost base	asset's reduced cost base <i>less</i> capital proceeds
C2 Cancellation, surrender and similar endings [s 104- 25]	when contract ending asset is entered into or, if none, when asset ends	capital proceeds from ending <i>less</i> asset's cost base	asset's reduced cost base less capital proceeds
D1 Creating contractual or other rights [s 104- 35]	when contract is entered into or right is created	capital proceeds from creating right <i>less</i> incidental costs of creating it	incidental costs of creating right <i>less</i> capital proceeds

Income Tax Law 2016

Statutory Income

1. Employment or services rendered related benefit (s15-2)

- Allowance, gratuity, compensation, benefit, bonus or premium
 - Must be received during the employment or due to termination (Dixon)
- Connection: directly or indirectly related to employment or service
 - ✓ Kelly: incidental eligible to receive by virtue of that employment require to perform well
 - ✓ Smith: award for completing a course given by employee
 - ✓ Holmes: Not necessary from the employer
- Provided to the employee
- Provided in money or other form (s15-2(2))
- × If the amount is also OI, this section does not apply (s15-2(3))

2. Business related bounties and subsidies (s15-10)

Bounty or subsidy

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- Payment received to assist person to carrying on a business or to commence business in the future (Squatting)
- Connection: in relation to
 - Can be direct or indirect
 - Need a real connection, not merely remote one (First Provincial)
- Carrying on a business
- × If the amount is also OI, this section does not apply (s15-10(b))

3. Profit making undertaking/plan (s15-15)

- Profit arising from carrying on or out of profit making undertaking plan
- If the amount is also OI, this section does not apply; <u>only</u> apply to sale of pre-CGT asset (s15-15(2))
 - Must be carried out with the purpose of making profit (XCO)
 - Profit making scheme (Myer)
 - An undertaking plan requires a plan of action, but need not to have precise steps (Clowes)

4. Royalties (s15-20)

- Ordinary meaning: Compensation paid to the owner of a right
- Examples: Patent, amount paid to author, composer for his work
 - × If the amount is also OI, this section does not apply (s15-20(1))

5. Employee car expenses reimbursed by an employer (s15-70)

- Reimbursement: make repayment for expense or loss incurred (s22 FBTA)
- 6. Return to work payments (s15-3)
- 7. Accrued leave transfer payments (s15-5)
- 8. Amount for lessee's failure to comply with a lease obligation to repair (s15-25)

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Ordinary Income

Characteristic of income

**Receipt from illegal activities is still assessable (La Rosa)

- i. Periodicity, regularity & recurrence of receipt
 - ✓ Dixon: War time pay voluntary but periodic t/p depend on it to meet expense
 - ✓ Prendergast : remuneration even paid in lump sum still income not decisive
- ii. Receipt of money or convertible into money worth
 - Cooke: Not income if not convertible into money free holiday non transferable UNLESS
- Carry on business
 - -treated non cash benefit as if it is transferable (s21A)
 - -Arm's length value owner's contribution
 - -IF < \$300, exempted (s23L(2))
- iii. NOT mutual receipts
 - × Bohemians: surplus after paying cost of club not income eg. contribution to business
- iv. NOT capital receipts

Income	Capital	
 Periodic, recurrent, regular (expected) 	Lump sum	
Substitute revenue item	 Substitute capital item 	
Realization that constitutes carrying on a	 Mere realization of asset (no profit 	
business	making intention – Myer)	

1) Receipt from personal exertion

- Receipt of employment/service rendered personally
- Sufficient connection
 - i. Direct
 - Immediate return, eg. Wages, salaries, fees and commissions (Bristish Columbia)
 - ii. Incidental
 - Receipt in connection to the employment

- Doesn't matter if comes from someone else (Dixon)
- Receipt by virtue of the employment and depends on worker performance (Kelly)
- iii. Unrelated generally not income
 - Received gift of shares not income (Hayes)
 - Gift from client to solicitor not income (Scott)
 - Unexpected, ex gratia lump sum payment for unindexed bank not income t/p did not depend on it to meet expense (Harris)
- Reasonable expectation payment would be received
- Dependence upon to meet regular living expenses
 - ✓ Dixon: Although voluntary but periodic t/p depend on it to meet expense
 - × Harris: Unexpected and not depend upon to meet expense

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General deduction

Positive part

Limb 1 – all entities (s8-1(1a))

- In the course of gaining or producing Al
 - -Expected is enough, not need actual gain (Ronpibon)
- Sufficient connection to Al
 - × Compensation payment after business ceased (Amalgamated)
 - × Fees incurred in getting a job (Maddalena)
 - × Travel from home to regular workplace (Lunney)
 - × Travel from part time to full time (Payne) SD s25-100
 - × Child care expense (Lodge)
 - Meal/food & drink despite required by employer not pay to eat(Cooper)
 - ✓ Conventional clothing rarely had chance to wear for private (Edwards)
 - ✓ Interest on loan used for producing AI purpose (Munro)
 - ✓ Business admin & management fee incurred during business was suspended (Ronpibon)
 - ✓ Income protection insurance premiums (DP Smith)
 - ✓ Self-education certain will increase salary and be promoted (Finn)
 - ✓ Must likely increase AI, not enough just to make t/p a better employee (Hatchett)
 - ✓ Home study electricity (Faichney)

Limb 2 – business entities (s8-1(1a))

- In the course of gaining or producing AI
 - -Expected is enough, not need actual gain (Ronpibon)

- Loss & outgoing is necessary to meet the business ends in t/p's view (Magna)
 - × Travel from home to business place (Hayley)
 - × Legal fee in defending business acquisition (Fairfax)
 - ✓ Advertising & legal fees (Snowden)
 - ✓ Legal fee in defending director director is the one who manage company (Magna)
 - ✓ Damage settlement & legal fees paid after business ceased (Placer)
 - ✓ Business premium cover business risk (WD & HO)
 - ✓ Loss of stolen money (SD s25-45) despite it was illegal business (La Rosa) BUT s26-54 prevent deduction

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Includes: Specific deduction, prevented deduction, tax accounting and <u>all other topics</u> that are examinable.