

INCOMING

Statutory Income

→ Do any of the statutory income provisions apply?

Balancing Adjustment for Sale of Depreciating Asset

[Asset] is a depreciating asset. It was sold for \$[Price].

The termination value of the depreciating asset is therefore \$[Termination Value], excluding GST (*s 27-90*).

As the termination value is greater than the adjustable value, \$[Difference] is assessable income (*s 40-285(1)*).

Dividends

- Company **paying** dividends will generate a **debit** in their franking account of the amount of franking credits on the distribution (*s 205-30*).
- Company **receiving** dividends will generate a **credit** in their franking account of the amount of franking credits on the distribution (*s 205-15*).

Resident Shareholder

The \$[Dividends] of dividends will not be [Taxpayer]'s ordinary income under *s 6-5*, as statutory provisions will prevail (*s 6-25*).

As [Taxpayer] is a resident shareholder, and the dividends were paid out of the company's profits, the \$[Dividends] will be included in [Taxpayer]'s statutory income, assessable under *s 44(1)(a) ITAA36*.

[Taxpayer] held the shares for at least 45 days, therefore the imputation system has not been manipulated (*s 207-145*). The dividend is [fully/partly]-franked. The franking credit will be \$[Franking Credit] (franked distribution x 1/2.333) calculated pursuant to (*s 202-60(2)*).

\$[Franking Credit] will be included in [Taxpayer]'s assessable income (*s 207-20(1)*), and they will also get a tax offset of \$[Franking Credit] (*s 207-20(2)*).

Frankable % Provided (<i>s 202-60(2)</i>)	Franking Credits Provided (<i>s 976-1</i>)	Unfranked Part
MAXIMUM FRANKING CREDIT = [Frankable % x Dividends] x 30/70	FRANKED PART = [Franking credit] x 70/30	UNFRANKED PART = [Dividend] - [Franked part]

Non-resident Shareholder

The \$[Dividends] of dividends will not be [Taxpayer]'s ordinary income under *s 6-5(3)*, as it is a lump sum receipt (*Harris*), and they were not engaged in a profit-making scheme when the shares were acquired (*Myer*).

→ *From Resident Company*

As [Taxpayer] is a non-resident shareholder receiving dividends from a resident company, the dividends will not be assessable income because it will be NANEI (*s 44(1)(b) ITAA36* operating subject to *s 128D ITAA36*).

The unfranked part of the dividend may be subject to withholding tax in the hands of [Resident Company] (*ss 128B(1), (3)(ga) ITAA36*).

[Resident Company] will then be taxed on the unfranked party at the rate of 30% (non-tax-treaty country) **or** 15% (tax-treaty country).

→ *From Non-Resident Company*

As [Taxpayer] is a non-resident shareholder receiving dividends from a non-resident company, they will be assessed on \$[Dividend] if the profits are derived from sources in Australia (*s 44(1)(b) ITAA36*). They will not be entitled to any franking credits.

CAPITAL GAINS TAX

CGT Event

→ Has a CGT event occurred?

- If **depreciating asset**, exempt from CGT (*s 118-24*).
- If **trading stock**, exempt from CGT (*s 118-25*).
- If **collectable**:
 - Capital losses from collectables can only be applied against capital gains from collectables (*s 108-10(1)*).
 - List of collectables in *s 108-10(2)*.
 - Collectables acquired for \$500 or less are disregarded (*s 118-10(1)*).
- If **personal use asset**:
 - Capital losses are disregarded – cannot be applied to capital gains (*s 108-20(1)*).
 - Personal use asset is one used mainly for taxpayer's personal use or enjoyment (*s 108-20(2)*).
 - Capital gains disregarded if personal use asset is acquired for \$10,000 or less (*s 118-10(3)*).

CGT Event A1

[Asset] is a CGT asset as it is [Type of Property] (*s 108-5*). [Taxpayer] disposed of it by selling it for \$[Sale Amount], triggering CGT Event A1 (*s 104-10(1)*).

The [cost base/reduced cost base] of the [Asset] is \$[Cost Base/Reduced Cost Base]. This is calculated by the 5 elements in [*s 110-25(1)/s 110-55(1)*]:

[1st element \$X]
+ [2nd element \$X]
+ [...] etc.
= \$[Cost Base/Reduced Cost Base].

The capital proceeds of CGT Event A1 is \$[Money Received], as this is the sum [Taxpayer] received from the CGT Event (*s 116-20(1)*).

Gain

As the capital proceeds are greater than the cost base, there is a capital gain of \$[Gain] ([Proceeds] – [Cost Base]) (*s 104-10(4)*). This gain [can/cannot] be discounted (use script).

Loss

As the capital proceeds are less than the Asset's reduced cost base, there is a capital loss of \$[Loss] ([Reduced Cost Base] – [Proceeds]) (*s 104-10(4)*). The capital loss is not deductible (*s 102-10(2)*), but can be used to offset [Taxpayer]'s capital gains in future years (*s 102-15*).

- Market value substitution rule applies if no capital proceeds received/cannot be valued/proceeds are less than the market value (*s 116-30*).

CGT Event C2

[Taxpayer] is a shareholder at [Company]. Capital has been returned to [Taxpayer], and the shares have been cancelled, triggering CGT Event C2 (*s 104-25(1)*).

[Taxpayer] paid \$[Cost of Shares] for the shares, which is the cost base. \$[Return Amount] was returned.

SUPERANNUATION *(Chart on p. 732)*

Superannuation Guarantee Charge

The quarterly superannuation entitlement for [Employee] is \$[Entitlement] (\$[Quarterly Salary] x 0.095) (s 19(1) SGAA). [Employer] is only contributing \$[Quarterly Contributions] per quarter.

As there is a shortfall in [Employer]'s contributions to [Employee], [Employer] must pay a superannuation guarantee charge ('SGC') (s 5 SGCA). This is calculated per s 17 SGAA as follows:

	[Total Shortfalls] (Entitlements – Actual Contributions)
+	[Shortfalls] x 0.1 nominal interest fee
+	\$20 x [Number of shortfallen employees] administration component
=	SUPERANNUATION GUARANTEE CHARGE

[Employer] must therefore pay \$[SGC]. This amount is not deductible (s 26-95).

Personal Contributions with Notice (CC – Deductible, Assessable)

[Taxpayer] can deduct contributions they make to their own superfund in the year they are made (s 290-150).

It will be assumed that the superfund is a complying superfund (s 290-155). (If needed, see s 45 SISA for what a complying superfund is). [Taxpayer] is above 18 and younger than 75 (s 190-165). They have also given notice of their intention to claim a deduction (s 190-170).

The superfund will then be assessed on personal contributions (s 295-160).

- Remember taxpayer can only deduct as much as included in notice (s 190-175).

Employer Contributions (CC – Deductible, Assessable)

[Employer] may deduct contributions they made to their employees superfund in the year it is made (s 290-60).

The employee was indeed engaging in producing [Employer]'s assessable income / engaged in [Employer]'s business (s 290-70).

It will be assumed that the superfund is a complying superfund (s 290-75), or at least [Employer] has reasonable grounds to believe it was one.

The contributions are made [(a) before employee turns 75 / (c) to reduce their SGC percentage] (s 290-80).

Therefore, the superfund will be assessed on this contribution (s 295-160).

Excess Concessional Contributions Charge

The cap for concessional contributions ('CC') is \$25,000 (s 291-20). As [Taxpayer]'s contributed \$[Contributions], they have made excess CCs ('ECCs') of \$[Excess Amount] (\$[Contributions] - \$25,000).

\$[Excess Amount] will be included in [Taxpayer]'s assessable income, taxed at their marginal rate (s 291-15(a)). However, they will be entitled to a tax offset of 15% of the ECCs (\$[Excess Amount] x 0.15) to reflect the tax paid by the fund (s 291-15(b)).

[Taxpayer] may also have to pay an ECC charge if the Commissioner provides an ECC determination. The charge is not deductible (s 26-74). However, [Taxpayer] can elect to have up to 85% of the amount the ECCs they made, released from their super to pay it off, and this amount is NANEI (s 303-15).