## DRAFT STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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# The Offshore Funds (Tax) Regulations 2009

## PART 2

# THE TREATMENT OF PARTICIPANTS IN NON-REPORTING FUNDS CHAPTER 3

## EXCEPTIONS ETC. FROM THE CHARGE TO TAX

## Charitable companies and charitable trusts

- **31.**—(1) A charitable company shall be exempt from corporation tax in respect of an offshore income gain if the gain is applicable and applied for charitable purposes.
- (2) See section 535 of ITA 2007 for an exemption for income tax purposes for offshore income gains accruing to a charitable trust.
  - (3) Paragraphs (4) and (5) apply if—
    - (a) property held on charitable trusts ceases to be subject to charitable trusts, and
    - (b) that property represents directly or indirectly an offshore income gain.
- (4) The trustees are treated as if they had disposed of and immediately reacquired that property for a consideration equal to its market value.
- (5) An offshore income gain accruing on the disposal arising under paragraph (4) is treated as an offshore income gain not accruing to a charity.
- (6) In this regulation "charity" and "charitable company" have the same meaning as in section 506 of ICTA(1).

<sup>(1)</sup> Section 506 was amended by section 55(2) of the Finance Act 2006 (c. 25) and paragraph 95 of Schedule 1 to the Income Tax Act 2007 (c. 3).