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# INCOME TAX ACT (CHAPTER 134)

# INCOME TAX (LAND INTENSIFICATION ALLOWANCE) REGULATIONS 2012

#### ARRANGEMENT OF REGULATIONS

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In exercise of the powers conferred by section 18C(2) of the Income Tax Act, the Minister for Finance hereby makes the following Regulations:

#### Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Income Tax (Land Intensification Allowance) Regulations 2012 and shall be deemed to come into operation on 23rd February 2010.

# Prescribed intensified use of land for prescribed trade or business for pre-25 March 2016 applications

2.—(1) The construction or renovation of any building or structure on industrial land, port land or airport land promotes the intensified use of the land for a trade or business for the purposes of section 18C(2) of the Act if, and only if, upon completing the construction or renovation, the building or structure is as follows:

- (a) the gross plot ratio of the building or structure
  - (i) meets the relevant gross plot ratio benchmark for the trade or business specified in the First Schedule; or [S 691/2017 wef 15/12/2017]
  - (ii) if the gross plot ratio of the building or structure already meets or exceeds the relevant gross plot ratio benchmark mentioned in sub-paragraph (i) before the start of the construction or renovation, is at least 10% more than its gross plot ratio before the start of the construction or renovation; and
- (b) at least 80% of the total floor area of the building or structure is used by any one person or partnership for the trade or business.

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- (1A) For the purposes of paragraph (1)(a), the relevant gross plot ratio benchmark applicable to a building or structure on industrial land is the ratio set out in
  - (a) Column A of the First Schedule where the application for planning permission or conservation permission is made to the competent authority in accordance with the Planning Act (Cap. 232) during the period from 23rd February 2010 to 31st July 2013 (both dates inclusive); and

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(b) Column B of the First Schedule where the application for planning permission or conservation permission is made to the competent authority in accordance with the Planning Act on or after 1st August 2013.

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(1B) For the purposes of paragraph (1)(a), the relevant gross plot ratio benchmark applicable to a building or structure on port land or airport land is the ratio set out in Column B of the First Schedule.

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- (2) A trade or business is prescribed for the purposes of section 18C(2) of the Act in relation to the promotion of the intensified use of industrial land, port land or airport land if
  - (a) the trade or business is a trade or business specified in the First Schedule; and

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- (b) following the construction or renovation of any building or structure on the land, the trade or business
  - (i) is the principal trade or business of any one person or partnership; and
  - (ii) is the principal trade or business that will be carried on at the building or structure by that person or partnership.

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# Prescribed intensified use of land for prescribed trade or business for post-25 March 2016 applications

- **3.**—(1) For the purposes of section 18C(2B) of the Act, a prescribed trade or business is
  - (a) where the application for planning permission is made before 15 December 2017, a trade or business specified in the First Schedule;
  - (b) where the application for planning permission is made on or after 8 March 2017 but before 15 December 2017, a trade or business specified in the First Schedule, or any of the following trades or businesses carried out in an integrated construction and prefabrication hub:
    - (i) prefabrication of individual components (such as precast columns, beams, staircases);
    - (ii) prefabrication of integrated sub-assemblies (such as prefabricated bathroom units and prefabricated mechanical, electrical and plumbing systems);

- (iii) prefabrication of fully integrated assemblies (such as prefabricated and prefinished volumetric construction); or
- (c) where the application for planning permission is made on or after 15 December 2017, a trade or business specified in the Second Schedule.
- (2) For the purposes of section 18C(2B)(b) of the Act, the construction or renovation of any building or structure on industrial land, port land or airport land promotes the intensified use of the land for a trade or business if, and only if, the gross plot ratio of the building or structure upon completion of the construction or renovation (called in this regulation as-built gross plot ratio)
  - (a) meets the gross plot ratio benchmark for that trade or business; or
  - (b) if the gross plot ratio of the building or structure before the start of the construction or renovation already meets or exceeds the gross plot ratio benchmark mentioned in sub-paragraph (a), the as-built gross plot ratio of the building or structure is at least 10% more than the gross plot ratio before the start of the construction or renovation.
- (3) Where a post-25 March 2016 application has more than one prescribed trade or business under section 18C(2B)(a)(ii) of the Act, then the trade or business with the highest gross plot ratio benchmark among those trades or businesses is designated for the purposes of making the determination under section 18C(2B)(b) of the Act.
- (4) For the purposes of paragraphs (2)(a) and (3), the gross plot ratio benchmark for a trade or business is
  - (a) in the case of an application mentioned in paragraph (1)(a), the ratio set out in Column B of the First Schedule for that trade or business;
  - (b) in the case of an application mentioned in paragraph (1)(b), the ratio set out in Column B of the First Schedule for that trade or business, or 1.6 for any of the following trades or businesses carried out in an integrated construction and prefabrication hub:

- (i) prefabrication of individual components (such as precast columns, beams and staircases);
- (ii) prefabrication of integrated sub-assemblies (such as prefabricated bathroom units and prefabricated mechanical, electrical and plumbing systems);
- (iii) prefabrication of fully integrated assemblies (such as prefabricated and prefinished volumetric construction); or
- (c) in the case of an application mentioned in paragraph (1)(c), the ratio set out in the Second Schedule for that trade or business.
- (5) In this regulation, an application for planning permission is an application for planning permission or conservation permission made to the competent authority in accordance with the Planning Act (Cap. 232).

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#### FIRST SCHEDULE

Regulations 2 and 3

# GROSS PLOT RATIO BENCHMARK WHERE APPLICATION FOR PLANNING PERMISSION OR CONSERVATION PERMISSION IS MADE BEFORE 15 DECEMBER 2017

Trade or	business	_	lot ratio hmark
Description	Classification under Singapore Standard Industrial Classification 2010 at Section C	Column A	Column B
Manufacture of food products, beverages and tobacco products	1010 1020 1030 1040 1050 1061 1062 1071 1072	0.99	1.00

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Trade or	business	_	olot ratio hmark
Description	Classification under Singapore Standard Industrial Classification 2010 at Section C	Column A	Column B
	1073 1074 1075 1076 1079 1080 1101 1102 1103 1104 1200		
Printing and reproduction of recorded media	1811 1812 1820	1.02	1.98
Manufacture of coke and refined petroleum products	1910 1920	0.33	0.40
4. Manufacture of petrochemicals and petrochemical products	2013	0.58	0.69
5. Manufacture of chemicals and chemical products other than petrochemicals and petrochemical products	2011 2012 2021 2022 2023 2024 2029 2030	0.60	0.70
6. Manufacture of pharmaceuticals and biological products	2101 2102	0.60	0.67

Trade or	business		olot ratio hmark
Description	Classification under Singapore Standard Industrial Classification 2010 at Section C	Column A	Column B
7. Manufacture of computers and peripheral equipment, and consumer electronics	2620 2640	2.45	2.45
8. Manufacture of computers, electronic and optical products and electronic equipment other than computers and peripheral equipment, and consumer electronics	2611 2612 2630 2651 2652 2660 2670 2680 2710 2720 2732 2733 2740 2750 2790	1.40	1.69
9. Manufacture of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers, and railway locomotives and rolling stock, and military fighting vehicles	2910 2920 2930 3020 3040 3091 3092 3099	0.71	0.73
Manufacture of air and spacecraft and related machinery	3030	0.63	1.00

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Trade or business			lot ratio hmark
Description	Classification under Singapore Standard Industrial Classification 2010 at Section C		Column B
11. Building and repairing of ships and boats	3011 3012	0.45	0.70
12. Manufacture of medical and dental instruments and supplies	3250	1.80	1.80
13. Manufacture of machinery and equipment	2811 2812 2814 2815 2816 2817 2819 2821 2822 2824 2825 2826 2827 2829 2830	0.76	0.78
14. Other manufacturing industries	1310 1391 1392 1393 1394 1399 1410 1420 1430 1511 1512	0.82	0.85

Trade	or business	Gross p	olot ratio hmark
Description	Classification under Singapore Standard Industrial Classification 2010 at Section C	Column A	Column B
	1610		
	1621		
	1622		
	1623		
	1629		
	1701		
	1702		
	1709		
	2211		
	2212		
	2219		
	2221		
	2222		
	2310		
	2391		
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	2399		
	2410		
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	2431		
	2432		
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	2512		
	2513		
	2520 2591		
	2591		
	2592		
	2594		
	2594		
	2599		
	3100		
	3100		

Trade or business		Gross plot ratio benchmark	
Description	Classification under Singapore Standard Industrial Classification 2010 at Section C	Column A	Column B
	3211 3212 3220 3230 3240 3290		
15. Logistics	4923 5210 5222 5224 5229 5320	_	1.58

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### SECOND SCHEDULE

Regulation 3

# GROSS PLOT RATIO BENCHMARK WHERE APPLICATION FOR PLANNING PERMISSION OR CONSERVATION PERMISSION IS MADE ON OR AFTER 15 DECEMBER 2017

Trade or business		Gross plot
Description	Classification under Singapore Standard Industrial Classification 2015	ratio benchmark
1. Food, beverages and tobacco	1010	1.04
	1020	

Trade or business		Gross plot
Description	Classification under Singapore Standard Industrial Classification 2015	ratio benchmark
	1030	
	1040	
	1050	
	1061	
	1062	
	1071	
	1072	
	1073	
	1074	
	1075	
	1076	
	1079	
	1080	
	1101	
	1102	
	1103	
	1104	
	1200	
2. Printing and recorded media	1811	2.24
	1812	
	1820	
3. Manufacture of coke and	1910	0.41
refined petroleum products	1920	

Trade or business		Gross plot
Description	Classification under Singapore Standard Industrial Classification 2015	ratio benchmark
Manufacture of petrochemicals and petrochemical products	2013	0.69
5. Manufacture of other	2011	0.71
chemicals	2012	
	2021	
	2022	
	2023	
	2024	
	2029	
	2030	
6. Manufacture of	2101	0.68
pharmaceuticals and biological products	2102	
7. Manufacturing of computers	2620	2.47
and peripheral equipment, and consumer electronics	2640	
8. Manufacture of semiconductor	2611	1.71
devices, electronics modules and components, and	2612	
communications equipment	2630	
	2651	
	2652	
	2660	
	2670	
	2680	
	2710	
	2720	

Trade or business		Gross plot
Description	Classification under Singapore Standard Industrial Classification 2015	ratio benchmark
	2732	
	2733	
	2740	
	2750	
	2790	
9. Land transport	2910	1.23
	2920	
	2930	
	3020	
	3040	
	3091	
	3092	
	3099	
10. Aerospace	3030	1.09
11. Marine and offshore	3011	0.7
engineering	3012	
12. Medical technology	3250	2.34
13. Machinery and systems	2811	0.85
	2812	
	2814	
	2815	
	2816	
	2817	
	2819	
	2821	

Trade or business		Gross plot
Description	Classification under Singapore Standard Industrial Classification 2015	ratio benchmark
	2822	
	2824	
	2825	
	2826	
	2827	
	2829	
	2830	
14. Other manufacturing	1310	0.98
industries	1391	
	1392	
	1393	
	1394	
	1399	
	1410	
	1420	
	1430	
	1511	
	1512	
	1520	
	1610	
	1621	
	1622	
	1623	
	1629	
	1701	

Trade or business		Gross plot
Description	Classification under Singapore Standard Industrial Classification 2015	ratio benchmark
	1702	
	1709	
	2103	
	2211	
	2212	
	2219	
	2221	
	2222	
	2310	
	2391	
	2393	
	2394	
	2395	
	2396	
	2399	
	2410	
	2420	
	2431	
	2432	
	2511	
	2512	
	2513	
	2520	
	2591	
	2592	

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Trade or business		Gross plot
Description	Classification under Singapore Standard Industrial Classification 2015	ratio benchmark
	2593	
	2594	
	2595	
	2599	
	3100	
	3211	
	3212	
	3220	
	3230	
	3240	
	3290	
15. Logistics activities	4923	1.58
	5210	
	5222	
	5224	
	5229	
	5320	
16. Any of the following trades or businesses carried out in an integrated construction and prefabrication hub:	-	1.6
(a) prefabrication of individual components (such as precast columns, beams and staircases);		
(b) prefabrication of integrated		

Trade or business		Gross plot
Description	Classification under Singapore Standard Industrial Classification 2015	ratio benchmark
sub-assemblies (such as prefabricated bathroom units and prefabricated mechanical, electrical and plumbing systems);		
(c) prefabrication of fully integrated assemblies (such as prefabricated and prefinished volumetric construction).		

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