Isle of Man

This document contains the list of reservations and notifications made by the Isle of Man upon deposit of the instrument of ratification pursuant to Articles 28(5) and 29(1) of the Convention.

Article 2 – Interpretation of Terms

Notification - Agreements Covered by the Convention

Pursuant to Article 2(1)(a)(ii) of the Convention, the Isle of Man wishes the following agreement(s) to be covered by the Convention:

		Other	Original/		Date of
No	Title	Contracting	Amending	Date of	Entry into
		Jurisdiction	Instrument	Signature	Force
1	Agreement between the Government	The	Original	03-02-2011	8-03-2012
	of the Isle of Man and The	Government			
	Government of the Kingdom of	of the			
	Bahrain for the avoidance of double	Kingdom of			
	taxation and the prevention of fiscal	Bahrain			
	evasion with respect to taxes on				
	income				
2	Agreement between The Isle of Man	The	Original	16-07-2009	N/A
	and The Kingdom of Belgium for the	Government			
	avoidance of double taxation and the	of the			
	prevention of tax fraud with respect	Kingdom of			
	to taxes on income	Belgium		00.05.555	04.40.5555
3	Agreement between the Isle of Man	The Republic	Original	08-05-2009	21-12-2009
	and The Republic of Estonia for the	of Estonia			
	avoidance of double taxation and the				
	prevention of fiscal evasion with				
4	respect to taxes on income Agreement between the Isle of Man	The	Original	08-04-2013	05-08-2014
4	and the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg	Government	Original	06-04-2013	05-06-2014
	for the avoidance of double taxation	of the Grand			
	and the prevention of fiscal evasion	Duchy of			
	with respect to taxes on income and	Luxembourg			
	on capital				
5	Agreement between the Isle of Man	The	Original	23-10-2009	26-02-2010
	and Malta for the avoidance of	Government			
	double taxation and the prevention	of Malta			
	of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes				
	on income				
6	Agreement between the Government	The	Original	06-05-2012	15-11-2012
	of the Isle of Man and the	Government			
	Government of the State of Qatar for	of the State of			
	the avoidance of double taxation and	Qatar			
	the prevention of fiscal evasion with				
	respect to taxes on income	The	Oniginal	20.02.2042	16 12 2012
7	Agreement between the Isle of Man	The	Original	28-03-2013	16-12-2013
	and the Government of the Republic of Seychelles for the avoidance of	Government of the			
	double taxation and the prevention	Republic of			
	of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes	Seychelles			
	on income	Seychelles			
	on income				

8	Agreement between the Government	The	Original	21-09-2012	02-05-2013
	of the Isle of Man and the	Government			
	Government of The Republic of	of the			
	Singapore for the avoidance of	Republic of			
	double taxation and the prevention	Singapore			
	of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes				
	on income				

Article 3 – Transparent Entities

Reservation

Pursuant to Article 3(5)(a) of the Convention, the Isle of Man reserves the right for the entirety of Article 3 not to apply to its Covered Tax Agreements.

Article 4 - Dual Resident Entities

Reservation

Pursuant to Article 4(3)(a) of the Convention, the Isle of Man reserves the right for the entirety of Article 4 not to apply to its Covered Tax Agreements.

Article 5 – Application of Methods for Elimination of Double Taxation

Reservation

Pursuant to Article 5(8) of the Convention, the Isle of Man reserves the right for the entirety of Article 5 not to apply with respect to all of its Covered Tax Agreements.

Article 6 – Purpose of a Covered Tax Agreement

Existing Preamble Language in Listed Agreements

Pursuant to Article 6(5) of the Convention, the Isle of Man considers that the following agreement(s) is(are) not within the scope of a reservation under Article 6(4) and contain(s) preamble language described in Article 6(2). The text of the relevant preambular paragraph is identified below.

Listed Agreement	Other Contracting	Preamble Text
Number	Jurisdiction	
1	The Government of the Kingdom of Baharain	Desiring to conclude an Agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income,
2	The Government of the Kingdom of Belgium	Desiring to conclude an Agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of tax fraud with respect to taxes on income,
4	The Grand Duchy of Luxembourg	Desiring to conclude an Agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income and on capital,
5	The Government of Malta	Desiring to conclude an Agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income,
6	The Government of the State of Qatar	Desiring to conclude an Agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income,
7 The Government of the Republic of Seychelles		Desiring to conclude an Agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income,
8 Government of the Republic of Singapore		Desiring to conclude an Agreement for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income,

Article 7 – Prevention of Treaty Abuse

Notification of Choice of Optional Provisions

Pursuant to Article 7(17)(b) of the Convention, the Isle of Man hereby chooses to apply Article 7(4).

Notification of Existing Provisions in Listed Agreements

Pursuant to Article 7(17)(a) of the Convention, the Isle of Man considers that the following agreement(s) is(are) not subject to a reservation under Article 7(15)(b) and contain(s) a provision described in Article 7(2). The article and paragraph number of each such provision is identified below.

Listed Agreement Number	Other Contracting Jurisdiction	Provision
2	The Government of the	Article 23
2	Kingdom of Belgium	

Article 8 - Dividend Transfer Transactions

Reservation

Pursuant to Article 8(3)(a) of the Convention, the Isle of Man reserves the right for the entirety of Article 8 not to apply to its Covered Tax Agreements.

Article 9 – Capital Gains from Alienation of Shares or Interests of Entities Deriving their Value Principally from Immovable Property

Reservation

Pursuant to Article 9(6)(a) of the Convention, the Isle of Man reserves the right for Article 9(1) not to apply to its Covered Tax Agreements.

Article 10 - Anti-abuse Rule for Permanent Establishments Situated in Third Jurisdictions

Reservation

Pursuant to Article 10(5)(a) of the Convention, the Isle of Man reserves the right for the entirety of Article 10 not to apply to its Covered Tax Agreements.

Article 11 - Application of Tax Agreements to Restrict a Party's Right to Tax its Own Residents

Reservation

Pursuant to Article 11(3)(a) of the Convention, the Isle of Man reserves the right for the entirety of Article 11 not to apply to its Covered Tax Agreements.

Article 12 – Artificial Avoidance of Permanent Establishment Status through Commissionnaire Arrangements and Similar Strategies

Reservation

Pursuant to Article 12(4) of the Convention, the Isle of Man reserves the right for the entirety of Article 12 not to apply to its Covered Tax Agreements.

Article 13 – Artificial Avoidance of Permanent Establishment Status through the Specific Activity Exemptions

Reservation

Pursuant to Article 13(6)(a) of the Convention, the Isle of Man reserves the right for the entirety of Article 13 not to apply to its Covered Tax Agreements.

Article 14 – Splitting-up of Contracts

Reservation

Pursuant to Article 14(3)(a) of the Convention, the Isle of Man reserves the right for the entirety of Article 14 not to apply to its Covered Tax Agreements.

Article 15 – Definition of a Person Closely Related to an Enterprise

Reservation

Pursuant to Article 15(2) of the Convention, the Isle of Man reserves the right for the entirety of Article 15 not to apply to the Covered Tax Agreement to which the reservations described in Article 12(4), Article 13(6)(a) or (c), and Article 14(3)(a) apply.

Article 16 – Mutual Agreement Procedure

Notification of Existing Provisions in Listed Agreements

Pursuant to Article 16(6)(a) of the Convention, the Isle of Man considers that the following agreement(s) contain(s) a provision described in Article 16(4)(a)(i). The article and paragraph number of each such provision is identified below.

Listed Agreement Number	Other Contracting Jurisdiction	Provision
1	The Government of the Kingdom of Bahrain	Article 23 (1), first sentence
2	The Government of the Kingdom of Belgium	Article 26(1), first sentence
3	The Republic of Estonia	Article 23(1), first sentence
4	The Government of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg	Article 24(1), first sentence
5	The Government of Malta	Article 24(1), first sentence
6	The Government of the State of Qatar	Article 25(1), first sentence
7	The Government of the Republic of the Seychelles	Article 24(1), first sentence
8	The Government of the Republic of Singapore	Article 24(1), first sentence

Pursuant to Article 16(6)(b)(i) of the Convention, the Isle of Man considers that the following agreement(s) contain(s) a provision that provides that a case referred to in the first sentence of Article 16(1) must be presented within a specific time period that is shorter than three years from the first notification of the action resulting in taxation not in accordance with the provisions of the Covered Tax Agreement. The article and paragraph number of each such provision is identified below.

Listed Agreement Number	Other Contracting Jurisdiction	Provision
6	The Government of the State of	Article 25(1), second sentence
0	Qatar	

Pursuant to Article 16(6)(b)(ii) of the Convention, the Isle of Man considers that the following agreement(s) contain(s) a provision that provides that a case referred to in the first sentence of Article 16(1) must be presented within a specific time period that is at least three years from the first notification of the action resulting in taxation not in accordance with the provisions of the Covered Tax Agreement. The article and paragraph number of each such provision is identified below.

Listed Agreement Number	Other Contracting Jurisdiction	Provision
1	The Government of the Kingdom of Bahrain	Article 23(1), second sentence
2	The Government of the Kingdom of	Article 26(1), second sentence
2	Belgium	
3	The Republic of Estonia	Article 23(1), second sentence
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4	The Government of the Grand	Article 24(1), second sentence
4	Duchy of Luxembourg	
5	The Government of Malta	Article 24(1), second sentence
7	The Government of the Republic of	Article 24(1), second sentence
/	the Seychelles	
8	The Government of the Republic of	Article 24(1), second sentence
8	Singapore	

Notification of Listed Agreements Not Containing Existing Provisions

Pursuant to Article 16(6)(d)(ii) of the Convention, the Isle of Man considers that the following agreement(s) do(es) not contain a provision described in Article 16(4)(c)(ii).

Listed Agreement Number	Other Contracting Jurisdiction
2	The Government of the Kingdom of Belgium

Article 17 - Corresponding Adjustments

Reservation

Pursuant to Article 17(3)(a) of the Convention, the Isle of Man reserves the right for the entirety of Article 17 not to apply to its Covered Tax Agreements that already contain a provision described in Article 17(2). The following agreement(s) contain(s) provisions that are within the scope of this reservation.

Listed Agreement Number	Other Contracting Jurisdiction	Provision
1	The Government of the Kingdom of Bahrain	Article 9(2)
2	The Government of the Kingdom of Belgium	Article 9(2)
3	The Republic of Estonia	Article 9(2)
4	The Government of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg	Article 9(2)
5	The Government of Malta	Article 9(2)
7	The Government of the Republic of the Seychelles	Article 9(2)
8	The Government of the Republic of Singapore	Article 9(2)

Article 35 – Entry into Effect

Reservation

Pursuant to Article 35(6) of the Convention, the Isle of Man reserves the right for Article 35(4) not to apply with respect to its Covered Tax Agreements.