EXPOSURE DRAFT

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Inserts for

Tax and Superannuation Laws

Amendment (2014 Measures No. 7) Bill

2014: Providing certainty for

superannuation fund mergers

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Commencement information				
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3		
Provisions	Commencement	Date/Details		
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2. Schedule #	The day this Act receives the Royal Assent.			
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1 2 3	superannuation fund mergers
4	Income Tax Assessment Act 1997
5 6	1 After section 306-10 Insert:
7	306-12 Involuntary roll-over superannuation benefit
8	A *roll-over superannuation benefit is an <i>involuntary roll-over</i> superannuation benefit if it is:
10	(a) a payment transferring a *superannuation interest of:
11	(i) a member of a *superannuation fund; or
12	(ii) a depositor with an *approved deposit fund; or
13	(iii) a holder of an *RSA;
14	to a *successor fund (other than a *self managed
15	superannuation fund); or
16	(b) a payment transferring an *accrued default amount of a
17	member (within the meaning of the Superannuation Industry
18 19	(Supervision) Act 1993) of a *complying superannuation fund to another complying superannuation fund:
20	(i) as a result of an election under paragraph 29SAA(1)(b)
21	of that Act; or
22	(ii) under section 388 of that Act;
23	if:
24	(iii) that member becomes a member (within the meaning of
25	that Act) of the other fund immediately after the
26	transfer; and
27	(iv) the transfer happens during the period beginning on
28	1 July 2013 and ending on 1 July 2017; or
29 30	(c) a payment of consideration for the issue to a person of a beneficial interest in an eligible rollover fund (within the
31	meaning of the Superannuation Industry (Supervision) Act
32	1993) in accordance with an application on behalf of that
33	person under section 243 of that Act.

2	Paragraph 307-125(3)(c)
	Omit "*superannuation income stream", substitute "superannuation income stream".
3	At the end of subsection 307-125(3)
	Add:
	 ; (d) despite paragraphs (a) and (b), if: (i) the superannuation benefit is an *involuntary roll-over superannuation benefit paid from a superannuation interest; and
	(ii) that interest was supporting a superannuation income stream immediately before that benefit was paid;
	when that superannuation income stream commenced.
4	Section 307-210
	Before "The", insert "(1)".
5	Section 307-210 (note)
	Repeal the note, substitute:
	Tax free component reduces if a benefit is paid
	(2) If a *superannuation benefit is paid from the *superannuation interest:
	(a) the *crystallised segment of the interest is reduced (but not below zero) by an amount equal to the *tax free component of the benefit; and
	(b) if any of that amount remains, the *contributions segment of the interest is reduced (but not below zero) by that remaining amount.
	Note: This has the effect of reducing the interest's tax free component by the amount of the benefit's tax free component.
6	Subsections 307-220(1) and (2)
	Repeal the subsections, substitute:
	(1) The <i>contributions segment</i> of a *superannuation interest is the total
	amount of the contributions to the interest:
	(a) that were made after 30 June 2007; and

1		(b) to the extent that they have not been and will not be included		
2		in the assessable income of the *superannuation provider in		
3		relation to the *superannuation plan in which the interest is		
4		held.		
5		This section has effect subject to subsection 307-210(2).		
6 7		Note: This segment may be reduced if a superannuation benefit is paid from the superannuation interest: see subsection 307-210(2).		
8		(2) For the purposes of this section:		
9		(a) in determining whether contributions are included in the		
10		contributions segment under subsection (1):		
11		(i) disregard the *taxable component of a *roll-over		
12		superannuation benefit paid into the interest; and		
13		(ii) disregard the *tax free component of an *involuntary		
14		roll-over superannuation benefit paid into the interest		
15		from another superannuation interest (the earlier		
16		<i>interest</i>) (other than an earlier interest that was		
17		supporting a *superannuation income stream		
18		immediately before that benefit was paid); and		
19		(iii) if subparagraph (ii) applies—include as a contribution		
20		an amount equal to the sum of the contributions		
21		segment, and crystallised segment, of the earlier interest immediately before that benefit was paid; and		
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23		(iv) for a *superannuation plan that is a *constitutionally protected fund—treat the superannuation plan as if it		
2425		were not a constitutionally protected fund; and		
		(b) disregard section 295-180 and Subdivision 295-D.		
26		(b) disregard section 293-180 and Subdivision 293-D.		
27	7	Subsection 307-225(2)		
28		Omit "so much of the *value of the interest as consists of the total of",		
29		substitute "the total amount of".		
30	8	At the end of subsection 307-225(2)		
	•	Add:		
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32		This section has effect subject to subsection 307-210(2).		
33 34		Note: This segment may be reduced if a superannuation benefit is paid from the superannuation interest: see subsection 307-210(2).		
35	9	Subsection 995-1(1)		
36		Insert:		
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involuntary roll-over superannuation benefit has the meaning
given by section 306-12.
10 Subsection 995-1(1) (definition of successor fund)
Repeal the definition, substitute:
successor fund, in relation to a transfer of a *superannuation
interest of:
(a) a member of a *superannuation fund; or
(b) a depositor with an *approved deposit fund; or
(c) a holder of an *RSA;
means another superannuation fund, approved deposit fund or RSA if the following conditions are met:
(d) that other fund or RSA confers on that member, depositor or
holder equivalent rights to the rights he or she had under the first-mentioned fund or RSA in respect of the interest;
(e) the conferral of these equivalent rights was agreed, before the
transfer, between:
(i) the *superannuation provider of that other fund or RSA and
(ii) the superannuation provider of the first-mentioned fund or RSA.
Taxation Administration Act 1953
11 Paragraph 390-10(2)(b) in Schedule 1
Repeal the paragraph, substitute:
(b) unless the benefit is an *involuntary roll-over superannuation
benefit, give the individual in respect of whom the benefit is
paid a statement in relation to the benefit within 30 days afte
the day on which the benefit is paid.
12 Application of amendments
The amendments made by this Schedule apply in relation to
superannuation benefits paid on or after 1 July 2015.