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## PRACTICE NOTE

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### THE ZERO RATE EXTRA-STATUTORY CONCESSIONS

Prior to the changes in the taxation system introduced this year, Treasury had approved and published by Government Circular (GC) a number of extra-statutory concessions giving companies in various sectors the early benefit of a 0% rate of income tax.

The Income Tax (Amendment) Act 2006 and associated Orders and Regulations introduced the standard 0% rate of income tax for corporate taxpayers from 6 April 2006. As a result, the zero rate concessions listed below are no longer needed and will cease to have effect from 6 April 2006 also.

<b>GC 35/03</b>	Shipping Activities – Zero Rate of Tax on Taxable Income
<b>GC 36/03</b>	Aircraft Operation - Zero Rate of Tax on Taxable Income
<b>GC 37/03</b>	Fund Activities - Zero Rate of Tax on Taxable Income
<b>GC 43/04</b>	Insurance Activities - Zero Rate of Tax on Taxable Income
<b>GC 47/04</b>	Space Activities - Zero Rate of Tax on Taxable Income
<b>GC 1/05</b>	Agricultural Activities - Zero Rate of Tax on Taxable Income
<b>GC 2/05</b>	Fishing Activities - Zero Rate of Tax on Taxable Income
<b>GC 3/05</b>	Manufacturing Activities - Zero Rate of Tax on Taxable Income
<b>GC 4/05</b>	Film and Television Production Activities - Zero Rate of Tax on Taxable Income
<b>GC 5/05</b>	Tourist Accommodation - Zero Rate of Tax on Taxable Income
<b>GC 7/05</b>	Online Gambling - Zero Rate of Tax on Taxable Income

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