

### United Nations Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters

#### Subcommittee on Wealth & Solidarity Taxes Progress Report







# The Subcommittee is hereby submitting for approval the UN Sample Net Wealth Tax Law ("Sample Law")





Significant changes

- Widened scope of foreword
- Expanded on relief from international double taxation
- Clarified what constitutes a deductible liability
- Included article on transition rules
- Re-named article to refer to changes in residence status





#### **Overview**

Foreword Preamble Chapter I: Enabling Provisions Chapter II: Imposition of the Wealth Tax Chapter III: Administration of the Tax Chapter IV: Special Rules





Foreword [expanded]

Preamble

#### **Chapter I: Enabling Provisions**

Article 1: Title, Territorial Scope and Commencement Article 2: Definitions





#### Chapter II: Imposition of the Wealth Tax

Article 3: Charge of a wealth tax Article 4: Taxpayer Article 5: Taxable assets Article 6: Deductible liabilities Article 7: Assets situated in the territory **Article 8: Exemptions** Article 9: Valuation rules





Chapter II: Imposition of the Wealth Tax – cont'd

Article 10: Rates Article 11: Relief from international double taxation Article X: Coordination with other taxes Article Y: Transition rules





#### Chapter III: Administration of the tax

Article 12: Tax Authorities
Article 13: Valuation procedure
Article 14: Information reporting – selfassessment
Article 15: Obligations of the legal representative of non-resident individuals
Article 16: Confidentiality





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#### Chapter III: Administration of the tax – cont'd

Article 17: Submission of the declaration
Article 18: Advance payments
Article 19: Penalty regime
Article 20: Assessment by Wealth Tax Authorities
Article 21: Burden of proof
Article 22: Ultimate Beneficial Owner





#### **Chapter IV: Special rules**

Article 23: General anti-avoidance rule Article 24: Base eroding liabilities Article 24: Access to information Article 25: Trusts and similar arrangements Article 26: Special ownership regimes Article 27: Change of residency status





# **Progress Report**

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# Progress Report: initial ideas for next membership

The Subcommittee is hereby submitting for discussion initial ideas for work to be taken up by the next membership of the UN Tax Committee





# Progress Report – initial ideas for next membership

- 1.Issues related to the UN Model Convention (Article 22, 24) including implementation
- 2.Inheritance and gift taxes
- 3. Property taxes







# Thank you!





