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PR No.11/2012: Employee Share Scheme Benefit

This Public Ruling illustrates, with examples, the tax treatment in respect of a benefit arising from employee share schemes received by an employee from his employer by reason of his employment. The PR replaces PR No.4/2004: Employer Share Option Scheme Benefit, issued on 9 December 2004.

PR No.12/2012: Share Schemes Benefit For Cross-Border Employees

The objective of this PR is to explain the tax treatment in respect of a benefit arising from an employee share scheme received by:-

- (a) employees from Malaysia who are seconded to work overseas, and
- (b) foreign national employees who are seconded to Malaysia.

We would be pleased if you could let us have your feedback and/or enquiry, so that we may raise it to the IRB.

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