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## **DIRECTOR GENERAL'S PUBLIC RULING**

Section 138A of the Income Tax Act 1967 (ITA) provides that the Director General is empowered to make a Public Ruling in relation to the application of any provisions of the ITA.

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## 1. Objective

The objective of this Public Ruling (PR) is to assist a company resident in Malaysia which engaged in agricultural and integrated activities in ascertaining its eligibility to claim reinvestment allowance (RA) and provide clarification in relation to—

- (a) projects that qualify for RA;
- (b) expenditures that qualify for RA;
- (c) period of eligibility;
- (d) computation of RA; and
- (e) limitation period to absorb RA balances.

#### 2. Relevant Provisions of the Law

- 2.1 This PR takes into account laws which are in force as at the date this PR is published.
- 2.2 The provisions of the Income Tax Act 1967 (ITA) related to this PR are section 133A and Schedule 7A.

## 3. Interpretation

For the purposes of this Public Ruling, the word "operation" means an activity which consists of the carrying on of a business referred to in paragraph 8 of Schedule 7A of the ITA.

## 4. Eligibility to Claim Reinvestment Allowance

RA is a special tax incentive given to a company resident in Malaysia which-

- (a) has been in operation for not less than 36 months; and
- (b) has incurred in the basis period for a year of assessment (YA) capital expenditure for the purposes of qualifying projects referred to in subparagraph 8(a) or 8(c) or both of Schedule 7A of the ITA as follows:



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 a project undertaken by a company, in expanding, modernising or automating its existing business in respect of manufacturing of a product or any related product within the same industry or in diversifying its existing business into any related product within the same industry;

(ii) an agricultural project undertaken by a company in expanding, modernising or diversifying its cultivation and farming business excluding the business of rearing chicken and ducks.

For the purpose of RA, companies engaged in agricultural activities would include agro-based co-operative society, an Area Farmers' Association, a National Farmers' Association, a State Farmers' Association, an Area Fishermen's Association, a National Fishermen's Association and a State Fishermen's Association.

## 5. Minimum Period of Operation

A company has to be in operation for 36 months or more to be eligible to claim RA for a qualifying project. Period of operation is calculated from the date the company commences its selected agricultural project.

## 6. Agricultural Projects

- 6.1 RA is given to any company which undertakes an agricultural project in expanding or modernizing or diversifying its cultivation and farming business, excluding the business of rearing chicken and ducks.
- 6.2 Capital expenditure in relation to an agricultural project means capital expenditure incurred in respect of-
  - (a) the clearing and preparation of land;
  - (b) the planting of crops;
  - (c) the provision of irrigation or drainage system;
  - (d) the provision of plant and machinery;
  - (e) the construction of access roads including bridges; or



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(f) the construction or purchase of buildings (including those provided for the welfare of persons or as living accommodation for persons) and structural improvements on land or other structures,

for the purposes of food production on any of the following activities:

- (i) cultivation of rice and maize;
- (ii) cultivation of vegetables, tuber and roots;
- (iii) cultivation of fruits;
- (iv) livestock farming;
- (v) spawning, breeding or culturing of aquatic products; and
- (vi) any other activities approved by the Minister.
- 6.3 The activities described in paragraphs 6.2(i) to (vi) are to promote the production of food. Hence, spawning, breeding or culturing of ornamental fish, culturing of pearls and cultivation of flowers are **not included** and **do not qualify** for RA. Cultivation of oil palm, coffee, cocoa, coconut and other similar crops are **not included** as cultivation of fruits and therefore are not eligible for RA.

## 7. Integrated Project

7.1 A company may carry on both agricultural activity and manufacturing activity as an integrated project that constitutes one business source. If the agriculture produce used for the manufacturing activity of that integrated project is purchased from a third party, then any RA of that manufacturing activity can only be deducted from the statutory income of the manufacturing activity using purchased agriculture produce.

For the purposes of this paragraph, please refer to the PR No. 10/2022 entitled Reinvestment Allowance Part I – Manufacturing Activity which explains on RA given to a company which has incurred capital expenditure in relation to a manufacturing project under subparagraph 8(a) of Schedule 7A of the ITA.

## Example 1

Company A closes its accounts on 31 December every year and has been carrying out the following activities since 2010:



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(a) Planting of pineapples; and

(b) Manufacture of canned pineapple.

Integrated project

The company has a 10-acre pineapple plantation. Fresh fruits will be sent from the plantation to the company's three (3) manufacturing plants to produce canned pineapple. To meet market demand for canned pineapple, the company has to purchase fresh fruits from nearby plantations and other small scale growers.

In 2018, Company A has undertaken the following activities:

# (a) Agricultural activity

The company has decided to undertake a qualifying project by clearing and preparing an additional two (2) acres of land for growing pineapples with a cost of RM50.000<sup>1</sup>.

## (b) Manufacturing activity

The company purchased new machines for the second manufacturing plant at a cost of RM100,000<sup>2</sup> to increase production capacity of canned pineapple.

Total cost of production in 2018	RM
Total production cost of fresh pineapples from own plantation	1,000,0003
Total cost to purchase extra pineapples	350,0004
	<u>1,350,000⁵</u>

RA is allowed on capital expenditure incurred on a qualifying project.

Qualifying project	Capital expenditure RM	Qualifying capital expenditure for RA RM
Agricultural activity     Clearing and preparing additional plantation land for growing pineapples (expansion of business)	50,000¹	50,000 X 60% = 30,000 <sup>6</sup>



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2.	Manufacturing activity New machines for second manufacturing plant to increase production capacity of canned pineapple (expansion of business)	100,000²	100,000 X 60% = 60,000 <sup>7</sup>
	ortionment based on cost of pineapple apples purchased:	s from own plantat	tion and cost of
(a) Integrated project (agriculture and manufacturing using pineapples from own plantation)		1,000,000 <sup>3 ×</sup> 60,000 <sup>7</sup> 1,350,000 <sup>5</sup>	
		= 44,4448	
(b)	Manufacturing using pineapples purchased	350,000 <sup>4</sup> X 60,000 <sup>7</sup> 1,350,000 <sup>5</sup>	
		=	= 15,556 <sup>9</sup>

# Utilisation of RA for each qualifying project:

Description	Integrated project (agriculture and manufacturing using pineapples from own plantation) RM	Manufacturing activity using pineapples purchased RM
RA (clearing and preparing additional plantation land)	30,0006	Not applicable
RA (new machines for manufacture of canned pineapple)	44,4448	15,556 <sup>9</sup>
Total RA	74,444	15,556
RA restricted to 70% of statutory income	$(70\% \times 185,185^{13} = 129,630 \text{ restricted to} $ $74,444^{10})$	(70% x 64,815 <sup>14</sup> = 45,371 restricted to 15,556 <sup>11</sup> )

Pursuant to paragraph 4A of Schedule 7A of the ITA, the company's claim for RA will be as follows:



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Description	RM	Integrated project (agriculture and manufacturing using pineapples from own plantation) RM	Manufacturing activity using pineapples purchased RM
YA 2018			
Gross income	3,250,000		
Less:  Expenses allowable under section 33 and Schedule 3 allowances	3,000,000		
Statutory income	250,000 <sup>12</sup>	185,185 <sup>13</sup>	64,815 <sup>14</sup>
RA (clearing and preparing additional plantation land)	30,000 <sup>6</sup>		
RA (new machines)	60,000 <sup>7</sup>		
Apportionment of RA (restricted to 70% of statutory income)		74,444 <sup>10</sup>	15,556 <sup>11</sup>
Chargeable income	160,000	110,741	49,259

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup>Statutory income is apportioned to the two (2) activities above based on cost of pineapples from own plantation and cost of pineapples purchased and computed as follows:

Statutory income from manufacturing using pineapples from own plantation

 $= \frac{1,000,000^3 \times 250,000^{12}}{1,350,000^5}$ 

 $= 185,185^{13}$ 



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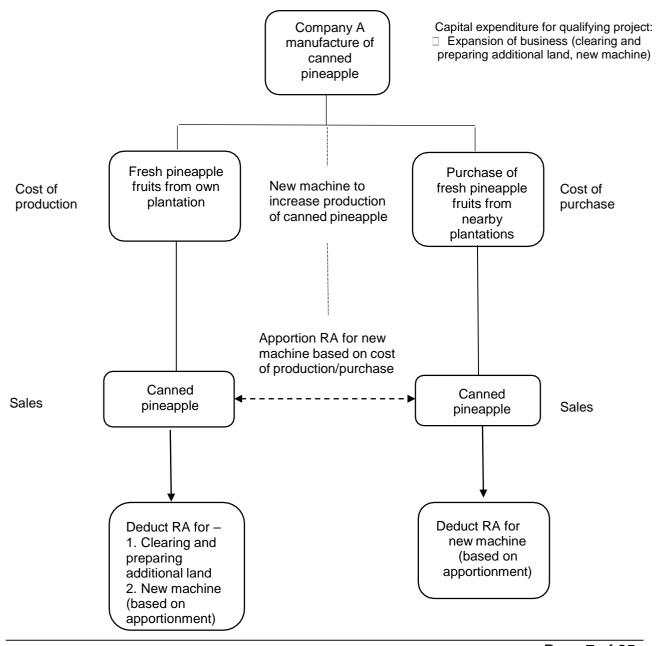
Statutory income from manufacturing using pineapples purchased

 $= \frac{350,000^4 \times 250,000^{12}}{1,350,000^5}$ 

= 64,815<sup>14</sup>

The cost of sales is an acceptable basis in determining the portion of statutory income in relation to manufacturing of the goods. Any other allocation basis that is fair and reasonable in determining the statutory income may be used as long as it is consistently adopted.

The apportionment of RA can be summarised as follows:





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## Example 2

Company B closes its accounts on 31 December every year and has been carrying out the following activities since 2010:

(a) Planting of pineapples;

Integrated project

(b) Manufacture of canned pineapple; and

(c) Sale of imported canned lychee.

Company B has a 10-acre pineapple plantation. Fresh fruits will be sent from the plantation to the company's three (3) manufacturing plants to produce canned pineapple. To meet market demand for canned pineapple, Company B has to purchase fresh fruits from nearby plantations and other small scale growers.

Company B also imports canned lychee for sale to retailers in Malaysia. In 2018, Company B has undertaken the following activities:

(a) Agricultural activity

The company has decided to undertake a qualifying project by clearing and preparing an additional two (2) acres of land for growing pineapples with a cost of RM50,000<sup>15</sup>.

- (b) Manufacturing activity
  - (i) The company purchased new machines for the second manufacturing plant at a cost of RM100,000<sup>16</sup> to increase production capacity of canned pineapple.
  - (ii) The company has also decided to diversify the production into the manufacture of canned rambutan at the third manufacturing plant by purchasing a new machine at a cost of RM400,000<sup>17</sup>. The company has to purchase fresh rambutans for the diversified manufacturing activity from elsewhere.

Total cost of production in 2018	RM
Total production cost of fresh pineapples from own plantation	1,000,00018
Total cost to purchase extra pineapples	350,00019



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Total cost to purchase fresh rambutans 500,000<sup>20</sup>

Total cost to purchase canned lychee <u>150,000<sup>21</sup></u>

2,000,00022

RA is allowed on capital expenditure incurred on a qualifying project.

Qualifying project	Capital expenditure RM	Qualifying capital expenditure for RA RM
Agricultural activity  Clearing and preparing additional plantation land for growing pineapples (expansion of business)	50,000 <sup>15</sup>	50,000 X 60% = 30,000 <sup>23</sup>
Manufacturing activity  New machines for second manufacturing plant to increase production capacity of canned pineapple (expansion of business)	100,00016	100,000 X 60% = 60,000 <sup>24</sup>
Apportionment based on cospineapples purchased:	t of pineapples fro	om own plantation and cost of
<ul> <li>(a) Integrated project (agriculture and manufacturing using pineapples from own plantation)</li> <li>(b) Manufacturing using pineapples purchased</li> </ul>		$\frac{1,000,000^{18} \times 60,000^{24}}{1,350,000^{18} & ^{19}}$ = 44,444 <sup>25</sup>
		$\frac{350,000^{19} \times 60,000^{24}}{1,350,000^{18 & 19}}$ $= 15,556^{26}$



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3. Manufacturing activity	$400,000^{17} \text{ X } 60\%$ = $240,000^{27}$
New machines for third manufacturing plant to manufacture canned rambutan (diversification of product)	

# Utilisation of RA for each qualifying project:

Description	Integrated project (agriculture and manufacturing using pineapples from own plantation) RM	Manufacturing activity using pineapples and rambutans purchased RM	
RA (clearing and preparing additional plantation land)	30,000 <sup>23</sup>	Not applicable	
RA (new machines for manufacture of canned pineapple)	44,444 <sup>25</sup>	15,556 <sup>26</sup>	
RA (new machines for manufacture of canned rambutan)	Not eligible	240,000 <sup>27</sup>	
Total RA	74,444	255,556	
RA restricted to 70% of statutory income	(70% x 125,000 <sup>31</sup> = 87,500 restricted to 74,444 <sup>28</sup> )	(70% x 106,250 <sup>32</sup> = 74,375 restricted to 74,375 <sup>29</sup> )	



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Pursuant to paragraph 4A of Schedule 7A of the ITA, the company's claim for RA will be as follows:

Description	RM	Integrated project (agriculture and manufacturing using pineapples from own plantation) RM	Manufacturing activity using pineapples and rambutans purchased RM	Sale of imported canned lychee RM
YA 2018				
Gross income	3,500,000			
Less: Expenses allowable under section 33 and Schedule 3 allowances	3,250,000			
Statutory income	250,00030	125,00031	106,25032	18,75033
RA (clearing and preparing additional plantation land)	30,00023			
RA (new machines)	300,00024827			
Apportionment of RA (restricted to 70% of statutory income)		74,444²8	74,37529	
Chargeable income	101,181	50,556	31,875	18,750

<sup>30</sup>Statutory income is apportioned to the three (3) activities above based on cost of pineapples from own plantation, cost of pineapples and rambutans purchased and cost of imported canned lychee and computed as follows:

Statutory income from manufacturing using pineapples from own plantation

1,000,000<sup>18</sup> x 250,000<sup>30</sup>

2,000,00022

= 125,000<sup>31</sup>



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Statutory income from manufacturing using pineapples and rambutans =  $\frac{850,000^{19 \, 820}}{2,000,000^{22}} \times 250,000^{30}$ 

purchased

= 106,250<sup>32</sup>

Statutory income from trading of =  $\frac{150,000^{21}}{2,000,000^{20}}$  x 250,000<sup>30</sup>

imported canned lychee 2,000,000<sup>22</sup>

 $= 18,750^{33}$ 

## 8. Qualifying Period

8.1 A company is entitled to claim RA for 15 consecutive years of assessment.

- 8.2 For company whose RA and Additional RA claims have ended on or before YA 2019, that company is entitled to make RA claim under the PENJANA package (RA PENJANA)
- 8.3 For the purposes of this paragraph, please refer to the PR No. 10/2022 entitled Reinvestment Allowance Part I Manufacturing Activity under paragraph 9 which explains the periods for which a company is eligible to claim RA.

#### 9. Tax Treatment

- 9.1 An eligible company can claim RA for an amount equivalent to 60% of the capital expenditure incurred in the basis period for a year of assessment in relation to an agricultural project in Malaysia for the purposes of any qualifying project.
- 9.2 RA is to be deducted against the statutory income of a business but is restricted to 70% of the statutory income.



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#### 10. Unabsorbed Reinvestment Allowance

- 10.1 Prior to the YA 2019, if the qualifying project has been completed, RA carried forward (if any) is allowed to be deducted against the portion of statutory income from the business in respect of the qualifying project until all the RA is fully absorbed. The apportioned statutory income from the business related to the qualifying project continues until the full amount of RA is fully absorbed.
- 10.2 However, starting from the YA 2019, the balance of unabsorbed RA can only be carried forward to be absorbed for a maximum period of seven (7) consecutive YAs. The calculation of the maximum period of seven (7) consecutive YAs begins immediately after the expiry of the qualifying period for RA. Any RA balances that is unabsorbed after the end of that seven (7) consecutive YAs will be disregarded.

## Example 3

Company C main business activities are planting rambutans and manufacturing canned rambutans. The company claimed RA for the first time in the YA 2005. Hence, the RA qualifying period for RA starts from the YA2005 until the YA 2019.

In the YA 2019, the company bought a plant and machinery worth RM1,500,000<sup>34</sup> for its automation project for manufacturing canned rambutans.

Total cost of production in 2019	RM
Total production cost of fresh rambutans from its plantation	1,200,00035
Total cost to purchase extra rambutans	800,00036
	2,000,00037



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RA is allowed on capital expenditure incurred on a qualifying project.

Qualifying project		Capital expenditure RM	Qualifying capital expenditure for RA RM	
Manufacturing activity  New machines for manufacturing canned rambutans (automation project)		1,500,000 <sup>34</sup>	1,500,000 X 60% = 900,000 <sup>38</sup>	
Apportionment based on cost of ramburambutans purchased:		utans from own plan	tation and cost of	
(a)	Integrated project (agriculture and manufacturing using rambutans from own plantation)	$\frac{1,200,000^{35}}{2,000,000^{37}} \times 90$ $= 540,000^{39}$	00,000 <sup>38</sup>	
(b)	Manufacturing using rambutans purchased	800,000 <sup>36</sup> X 90 <sup>6</sup> 2,000,000 <sup>37</sup>	0,000 <sup>38</sup>	
		$= 360,000^{40}$		

# Utilisation of RA for each qualifying project:

Description	Integrated project (agriculture and manufacturing using rambutans from own plantation) RM	Manufacturing activity using rambutans purchased RM	
RA (new machines formanufacture of canned rambutans)	540,000 <sup>39</sup>	360,000 <sup>40</sup>	
RA restricted to 70% of statutory income <sup>43</sup>	(70% x 420,000 <sup>44</sup> = 294,000 restricted to 294,000 <sup>41</sup> )	(70% x 280,000 <sup>45</sup> = 196,000 restricted to 196,000 <sup>42</sup> )	



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RA carried	246,000	164,000
forward	(540,000 – 294,000)	(360,000 – 196,000)

Pursuant to paragraph 4A of Schedule 7A of the ITA, the company's claim for RA will be as follows:

Description	Description  RM  RM  roject (agriculture ar manufacturin using rambutans fro own plantation RM		Manufacturing activity using rambutans purchased RM		
YA 2019					
Statutory income	700,000 <sup>43</sup>	420,000 <sup>44</sup>	280,000 <sup>45</sup>		
Less: Apportionment of RA (restricted to 70% of statutory income)	900,000 <sup>39&amp;40</sup>	294,000 <sup>41</sup>	196,000 <sup>42</sup>		
Chargeable income		126,000	84,000		
RA carried forward	A carried forward 410,000 <sup>46</sup> 246,000		164,000		

<sup>43</sup>Statutory income is apportioned to the two (2) activities above based on cost of rambutans from own plantation and cost of rambutans purchased and computed as follows:

Statutory income from manufacturing using rambutan from own plantation	=	$\frac{1,200,000^{35}}{2,000,000^{37}} \times 700,000^{43}$
	=	420,000 <sup>44</sup>
Statutory income from manufacturing using rambutans purchased	=	800,000 <sup>36</sup> x 700,000 <sup>43</sup> 2,000,000 <sup>37</sup>
	=	280,000 <sup>45</sup>

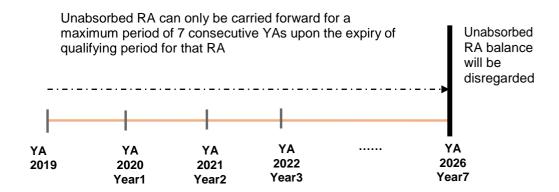


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#### Note

The unabsorbed RA in the YA 2019 of RM410,000<sup>46</sup> can be carried forward to be absorbed until the YA 2026 (the 7<sup>th</sup> year). Any RA balances that has not been absorbed in the YA 2026 will be disregarded in the YA 2027.



10.3 In a situation where there is unabsorbed RA in the YA 2018 and the amount is to be carried forward into the YA 2019, that amount will be allowed to be carried forward for a maximum period of seven (7) consecutive YAs beginning from the YA 2019 although the RA qualifying period (15 years) has ended. Any unabsorbed RA after the end of that seven (7) consecutive YAs i.e. YA 2025 will be disregarded.

## **Example 4**

Company D main business activities are planting rambutans and manufacturing canned rambutans since 2000. The company had claimed RA for the first time in the YA 2003. Hence, the RA qualifying period for the company started from the YA 2003 until the YA 2017.

In the YA 2018, the company has unabsorbed RA brought forward from the YA 2017 of RM350,000 and RM650,000 for both agricultural and manufacturing activity respectively although the RA qualifying period has ended.

RM
980,00047
420,00048
1,400,00049



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Total cost of production in 2019	RM
Total production cost of fresh rambutans from own plantation	1,080,00050
Total cost to purchase extra rambutans	$\frac{720,000^{51}}{1,800,000^{52}}$
Total cost of production in 2020	RM
Total cost of production in 2020  Total production cost of fresh rambutans from own plantation	<b>RM</b> 900,000 <sup>53</sup>
Total production cost of fresh rambutans from own	

Utilisation of RA for each qualifying project:

Description	Integrated project (agriculture and manufacturing using rambutans from own plantation) RM	Manufacturing activity using rambutans purchased RM	
YA 2018			
RA brought forward	350,000	650,000	
RA restricted to 70% of statutory income	(70% x 350,000 = 245,000 restricted to 245,000 <sup>56</sup> )	(70% x 150,000 = 105,000 restricted to 105,000 <sup>57</sup> )	
RA carried forward	105,000 (350,000 – 245,000)	545,000 (650,000 – 105,000)	
YA 2019			
RA brought forward	105,000	545,000	



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RA restricted to 70% of statutory income	(70% x 420,000 = 294,000 restricted to RA brought forward 105,000 <sup>58</sup> )	(70% x 280,000 = 196,000 restricted to 196,000 <sup>59</sup> )	
RA carried forward	Nil (105,000 – 105,000)	349,000 (545,000 – 196,000)	
YA 2020			
RA brought forward	Nil	349,000	
RA restricted to 70% of statutory income	Nil	(70% x 480,000 = 336,000 restricted to 336,000 <sup>60</sup> )	
RA carried forward	Nil	13,000 (349,000 – 336,000)	

Pursuant to paragraph 4A of Schedule 7A of the ITA, the company's claim for RA will be as follows:

Description RM		Integrated project (agriculture and manufacturing using rambutans from own plantation) RM	Manufacturing activity using rambutans purchased RM	
YA 2018				
Statutory income	500,000 <sup>61</sup>	350,000 <sup>62</sup>	150,000 <sup>63</sup>	
RA brought forward 350,000 (plantation) • 650,000 (manufacturing)	1,000,000			
Less:  Apportionment of RA (restricted to 70% of statutory income)		245,000 <sup>56</sup>	105,000 <sup>57</sup>	



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Chargeable income		105,000	45,000	
RA carried forward		105,000	545,000	
YA 2019				
Statutory income	700,000 <sup>64</sup>	420,00065	280,00066	
RA brought forward  105,000 (plantation)  545,000 (manufacturing)	650,000			
Less: Apportionment of RA	490,000	105,000 <sup>58</sup>	196,000 <sup>59</sup>	
(restricted to 70% of statutory income)				
Chargeable income		315,000	84,000	
RA carried forward		Nil (105,000 – 105,000)	349,000 (545,000 – 196,000)	
YA 2020				
Statutory income	1,200,000 <sup>67</sup>	720,00068	480,00069	
RA brought forward (manufacturing)	349,000			
Less:				
Apportionment of RA (restricted to 70% of statutory income)			336,000 <sup>60</sup>	
Chargeable income		720,000	144,000	
RA carried forward			13,000	

Statutory income is apportioned to the two (2) activities above based on cost of rambutan from own plantation and cost of rambutan purchased and computed as follows:



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#### **YA 2018**

rambutan from own plantation	=	980,000 <sup>47</sup> 1,400,000 <sup>49</sup>	X 500,000 <sup>61</sup>
	=	350.00062	

Statutory income from manufacturing using =  $\frac{420,000^{48}}{1,400,000^{49}}$  x 500,000<sup>61</sup>

= 150,000<sup>63</sup>

280,00066

## **YA 2019**

Statutory income from manufacturing using rambutan from own plantation	=	$\frac{1,080,000^{50}}{1,800,000^{52}} \times 700,000^{64}$
	=	420,00065
Statutory income from manufacturing using rambutan purchased	=	$\frac{720,000^{51}}{1,800,000^{52}}  x  700,000^{64}$

## **YA 2020**

Statutory income from manufacturing using rambutan from own plantation	=	900,000 <sup>53</sup> 1,500,000 <sup>55</sup>	x 1,200,000 <sup>67</sup>
	=	720,00068	
Statutory income from manufacturing using rambutan purchased	=	600,000 <sup>54</sup> 1,500,000 <sup>55</sup>	x 1,200,000 <sup>67</sup>
	=	480,00069	

#### Note

RA that cannot be absorbed in the YA 2018 can be carried forward to be absorbed in the YA 2019 until the YA 2025 (the 7<sup>th</sup> year). In the above example,



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Company D is able to generate statutory income to absorb all the RA until the YA 2019 for the integrated project. As such, no unabsorbed RA is to be disregarded for that project.

However, for the manufacturing activity, the unabsorbed RA of RM13,000 in the YA 2020 can be carried forward to be absorbed in the subsequent YAs until the YA 2025. If the company is unable to generate sufficient statutory income to absorb the unabsorbed RA, the unabsorbed RA balances will be disregarded in the YA 2026.

10.4 Unabsorbed RA PENJANA balances shall be calculated separately from unabsorbed RA balances. The unabsorbed RA PENJANA will be allowed to be carried forward for a maximum period of seven (7) consecutive YAs after the RA PENJANA qualifying period ends which is in YA 2024. Calculation of seven (7) years period for accumulated unabsorbed RA PENJANA begins from YA 2025. Any unabsorbed RA PENJANA at the end of YA 2031, will be disregarded.

## Example 5

The main business activity of Potato Crisp Sdn Bhd is carrying out integrated activities of potatoes cultivation and potato crisps manufacturing since 2003. The company had claimed RA for the first time in YA 2004. Hence, the RA qualifying period for the company has ended in YA 2018.

The company has unabsorbed RA brought forward in YA 2022 of RM680,000 for the integrated project.

In YA 2022, the company incurred qualifying capital expenditure on qualifying project for integrated agricultural project and the company's claim for RA PENJANA is as follows:

Description	Integrated project (planting potatoes and manufacturing potato crisps)  RM
RA (clearing and preparing additional plantation land)	360,000
RA (new machines for potato crisps manufacturing)	540,000



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As the RA period has ended in YA 2018 the company may claim RA PENJANA from YA 2022 for the qualifying capital expenditure incurred in that year of assessment. Total qualifying capital expenditure in YA 2022 for the purpose of RA PENJANA claim is RM900,000.

The tax computation for YA 2022 to 2025 is as follows:

	5.4		RA C/	F (RM)
Description	RM	RM	15 YEARS	PENJANA
	YA	2022		
Statutory income		500,000		
Less:				
Current year RA				
PENJANA	540,000			
[900,000 x 60%]				
RA PENJANA restricted				
to [70% x 500,000]		(350,000)		190,000
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RA 15 years b/f			680,000	
Chargeable income		150,000		
		130,000		
	ΥΔ	2023		
Statutory income		600,000		
Less:				
RA 15 years b/f				
-	680,000			
RA restricted to [70% x		(420,000)	260,000	
600,000]		(420,000)	260,000	
RA PENJANA b/f				190,000
Chargeable income		190,000		,
		180,000		
	V۸	2024		
Statutory income	17	200,000		
Less:		,		
RA 15 years b/f	260,000			



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			RA C/	F (RM)
Description	RM	RM	15 YEARS	PENJANA
RA restricted to [70% x 200,000]		(140,000)	120,000	
RA PENJANA b/f				190,000
				100,000
Chargeable income		60,000		
	YA	2025		
Statutory income		100,000		
RA 15 years b/f	120,000			
RA restricted to [70% x 100,000]		(70,000)	50,00070	
RA PENJANA b/f				190,00071
Chargeable income		30,000		

## Note

Unabsorbed RA balances in YA 2025 amounting to RM50,000 $^{70}$  will be disregarded.

Unabsorbed RA PENJANA in YA 2024 amounting to RM190,000<sup>71</sup> can be carried forward to be absorbed from the YA 2025 until the YA 2031 (the 7<sup>th</sup> year). Any remaining unabsorbed RA PENJANA balance will be disregarded in YA 2032.



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#### 11 Claim Procedure

- 11.1 A claim for RA must be made in the related Income Tax Return Forms.
- 11.2 No written approval from the Inland Revenue Board of Malaysia (IRBM) is required for companies to claim the RA. However, the claim must be recorded in the RA claim form which can be downloaded from the IRBM Official Portal.
- 11.3 The original copy of the RA claim form is to be kept by the claimant together with all relevant documents related to the claim.

# 12 Updates and Amendments

This PR replaces PR No. 11/2020 which was issued on 10 November 2020 and should be read together with PR No. 10/2022 entitled Reinvestment Allowance Part 1 – Manufacturing Activity

#### **Amendments**

The contents of this PR have been amended and updated as follows:

Paragraph	Explanation
7	Subparagraph 7.1 updates the PR reference.
8	The previous paragraph 8 is updated and renumbered as paragraph 10.
	Subparagraph 10.4 is inserted.
	New example 5 inserted in subparagraph 10.4.
9	The previous paragraph 9 is updated and renumbered as paragraph 11.
10	The previous paragraph 10 is updated and renumbered as paragraph 12.
	The previous paragraph 11 is



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11	updated and renumbered as paragraph 13.
New paragraphs 8 and 9 are inserted.	

## 13 Disclaimer

The examples in this PR are for illustration purposes only and are not exhaustive.

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