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What this Ruling is about

- 1. Public Ruling DA075.2.1 outlines an administrative arrangement that applied from 26 October 2012, pending amendment to the *Duties Act 2001* (the Duties Act).
- 2. The administrative arrangement enables a unit trust that is a managed investment scheme under the Corporations Act that is not required to be registered because of the issue of units in the trust only to wholesale clients under sections 761G and 761GA of the Corporations Act, to qualify as a pooled public investment unit trust where all other relevant conditions are met.
- 3. The *Revenue Amendment and Trade and Investment Queensland Act 2013* amends the definition of exempt managed investment scheme in Schedule 6 of the Duties Act to give effect to the administrative arrangement.
- 4. The amendment is effective from 26 October 2012.¹
- 5. Public Ruling DA075.2.1 is to be withdrawn.

Ruling and explanation

6. Public Ruling DA075.2.1 is no longer in effect.

¹ Section 2(4) *Revenue Amendment and Trade and Investment Queensland Act 2013*



Date of effect

7. This Public Ruling takes effect from the date of issue.

David Smith Commissioner of State Revenue Date of issue: 24 June 2013

References

Dublic Duling	leaved	Dates of effect		
Public Ruling	Issued	From	То	
DA075.2.2	24 June 2013	24 June 2013	Current	
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