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Overview of Legal Framework related to special schemes for taxable persons supplying certain services to non-taxable persons or making distance sales of goods or certain domestic supplies of goods

COUNCIL DIRECTIVE 2009/132/EC of 19 October	Link	Approved	This Directive shall enter into force on the 20th day
2009 determining the scope of Article 143(b) and		– Oct 19.	following its publication in the Official Journal of the
(c) of Directive 2006/112/EC as regards exemption		2009	European Union.
from value added tax on the final importation of			
certain goods			Published in the Official Journal Of the European
			Union on Nov 10, 2009
COUNCIL REGULATION (EU) No 904/2010 of 7	<u>Link</u>	Approved	It shall apply from 1 January 2012.
October 2010 on administrative cooperation and		– Oct 7.	However, Articles 33 to 37 shall apply from 1
combating fraud in the field of value added tax		2010	November 2010;
			Chapter V, with the exception of Articles 22 and 23,
			shall apply from 1 January 2013;
		10.	— Articles 38 to 42 shall apply from 1 January 2012
			until 31 December 2014; and
		•	— Articles 43 to 47 shall apply from 1 January 2015.
COMMISSION IMPLEMENTING REGULATION (EU)	<u>Link</u>	Approved	January 1, 2015
No 815/2012 of 13 September 2012 laying down		– Sept 13,	Art. 7 of Commission Implementing Regulation
detailed rules for the application of Council		2012	2020/194 - Repealed as of January 1, 2021. However,
Regulation (EU) No 904/2010, as regards special			it should continue to apply until 10 February 2024 as
schemes for non-established taxable persons			regards the submission of and corrections to VAT
supplying telecommunications, broadcasting or			returns in respect of supplies of services covered by
electronic services to non-taxable persons			either of the special schemes referred to in that
_			Implementing Regulation that were carried out
			before 1 January 2021.

COUNCIL DIRECTIVE (EU) 2017/2455 of 5	Link	Approved	Article 1 of this Directive applicable as of January 1,	Articles replaced: 58,
December 2017 amending Directive 2006/112/EC	LITIK	– Dec 5,	2019.	219a, 358a(1), 361(1)e
and Directive 2009/132/EC as regards certain		2017	Articles 2 and 3 of this Directive applicable as of	2134, 3384(1), 301(1)
value added tax obligations for supplies of services		2017	January 1, 2021.	
and distance sales of goods			Juliani y 1, 2021.	
COUNCIL IMPLEMENTING REGULATION (EU)	Link	Approved	Regulation shall enter into force on the twentieth	Articles replaced: 24b
2017/2459 of 5 December 2017 amending	<u> </u>	– Dec 5,	day following that of its publication in the Official	(application of Article 58
Implementing Regulation (EU) No 282/2011 laying		2017	Journal of the European Union.	of Directive 2006/112/EC,
down implementing measures for Directive		2017	source European Smort	where
2006/112/EC on the common system of value			Published in the Official Journal Of the European	telecommunications,
added tax			Union on Dec 5, 2017	broadcasting or
				electronically supplied
				services are supplied to a
			AU	non-taxable person)
COUNCIL DIRECTIVE (EU) 2019/1995 of 21	Link	Approved	January 1, 2021 (delayed till July 1, 2021)	Articles added: 36b, 136a,
November 2019 amending Directive 2006/112/EC		– Nov 21,		Articles replaced: 66a,
as regards provisions relating to distance sales of		2019		169 (b), 204 (1), 272 (1),
goods and certain domestic supplies of goods				369a, 369b, 369e, 369f,
		X		369g, 369zb
COMMISSION IMPLEMENTING REGULATION (EU)	<u>Link</u>	Approved	January 1, 2021(delayed till July 1, 2021)	
2020/194 of 12 February 2020 laying down		– Feb 12,		
detailed rules for the application of Council		2020		
Regulation (EU) No 904/2010 as regards the				
special schemes for taxable persons supplying				
services to non-taxable persons, making distance	1 0			
sales of goods and certain domestic supplies of				
goods				

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