#### TAX TABLE NO. 4

# Tax deduction from any profits from employment of non-resident employees who are non-citizens in Sri Lanka

The deduction of tax should be made irrespective of the consent given by any non-resident employee.

1. In the case of any non-resident employee who is not a citizen in Sri Lanka, on any regular gains and profits from employment (cash and non-cash benefits), table 4.1 should be applied.

**Table 4.1** 

Monthly regular profits from employment	Tax
1. Monthly regular profits from employment up to Rs. 250,000/-	6% of monthly regular profits from employment
2. Monthly regular profits from employment exceeding Rs. 250,000/- but not Exceeding Rs. 500,000/-	12% of monthly regular profits from employment less Rs. 15,000/-
3. Monthly regular profits from employment exceeding Rs. 500,000/-	- 18% of monthly regular profits from employment less Rs 45,000/-

2. In the case of any **non-resident employee who is not a citizen** in Sri Lanka, on any gains and profits from employment of lump-sum payments (bonus etc.), table 4.2 should be applied.

Following steps should be followed in computing the tax liability on the lump sum payments.

### **Tax Computation**

The tax computation should be made as set out below.

Gross Monthly Income already paid in the $Y/A \times No.$ of months	(A)	XXXXXXXXX
Gross Monthly Income to be paid in the Y/A x No. of months	(B)	XXXXXXXXX
Lum sum Payment paid/payable during this month	(C)	XXXXXXXXX
Cumulative Expected Income for the Y/A	(D)	XXXXXXX

Tax payable for the month on the lump sum payment should be computed on the cumulative gains and profits in accordance with the Table 4.2 given below.

**Table 4.2** 

Cumulative Expected Income for the Y/A from the Employment (Rs.)	Tax
if (D) ≤ 3,000,000	(6% x D) – Aggregated Tax as per table 4.1 for each month in (A) & (B)]
$3,000,000 < \text{if } (D) \ge 6,000,000$	(12%~x~D) - [180,000 + Aggregated~Tax~as~per~table~4.1~for~each~month~in~(A)~&~(B)]
6,000,000 < if (D)	$(18\% \ x \ D) - [540,000 + Aggregated \ Tax \ as \ per \ table \ 4.1 \ for \ each \ month \ in \ (A) \ \& \ (B)]$

#### Example 01

Mr. Jing is a non-resident employee of a private institution and his regular profits (remuneration) for each month is Rs 500,000 from employment (including non-Cash Benefits) and such remuneration for April 2020 was paid. He received a bonus payment of Rs. 2,500,000 also in April 2020. Further, he expects to be Sri Lanka till end of July of the Year of assessment.

*Tax liability on the bonus should be computed as follows:* 

## Tax Computation

		Rs.
Gross Monthly Income already paid in the Y/A $(1,000,000 \times 1)$	(A)	500,000
Gross Monthly Income to be paid in the Y/A $(1,000,000 \times 3)$	(B)	1,500,000
Lum sum Payment paid/payable during this month	(C)	2,500,000
Cumulative Expected Income for the Y/A	(D)	4,500,000

Tax payable on the bonus for the month of April Rs. 180,000 By applying the relevant tax rate in Cumulative tax table (12% x 4,500,000) - [180,000 + 45,000 + (45,000 x 3)]