# 2021 NATIONAL INCOME TAX WORKBOOK

CHAPTER 10: RETIREMENT, INVESTING, AND SAVINGS



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#### LEARNING OBJECTIVES P. 371 **LEARNING OBJECTIVES** ✓ Explain the tax consequences of the conversion of a traditional IRA to a Roth IRA After completing this session, participants will be able to do the following: ✔ Recognize prohibited transactions for a self-✓ Understand who can participate in an I.R.C. directed IRA § 403(b) plan and how contributions are Understand and report the deduction for contributions to a health savings account made to the plan ✔ Know how to plan to maximize social security ✓ Know the requirements for an individual benefits coverage health reimbursement ✓ Know how to plan to minimize tax on social arrangement security benefits ✔ Understand how stock options are taxed

ISSUE 1: I.R.C. § 403(B) RETIREMENT PLANS	P. 372		
Tax exempt organizations [501(c)(3)s], public school, or	church]		
can establish a 403(b) plan for employees.	Chorchi		
Employees save in individual accounts.			
Employers can also contribute to employee accounts.			
These accounts are tax-deferred until distribution.			
These plans can also be ROTH accounts with contributions taxed in	the current		
year and tax-free distributions - including any earnings.		-	
PLAN PARTICIPATION	P. 372		
Employees who are eligible:			
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<ul> <li>Employees of tax-exempt organizations</li> </ul>			
<ul> <li>Employees of public schools who are involved in day-to-day open</li> </ul>	erations		
<ul> <li>Employees of cooperative hospital service organizations</li> </ul>			
<ul> <li>Civilian faculty and staff of the Uniformed Services University of the</li> </ul>	ne Health		
Sciences	v arana a nta		
<ul> <li>Employees of public school systems organized by Indian tribal go</li> <li>Certain ministers, including self-employed ministers</li> </ul>	ivernments		
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EMPLOYEES WHO CAN BE EXCLUDED	P. 372		
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Employees who will contribute \$200 or less annually	(I) 1 (		
Employees who participate in a 401 (k) or 457(b) plan or other 403 the employer	(n) biau oi		
□ Nonresident aliens			
☐ Employees who normally work less than 20 hours per week		-	
☐ Students employed by the school			
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TYPES OF CONTRIBUTIONS P. 373	
Contributions may be the following:  • 1. Elective deferrals	
$\circ$ 2. Nonelective contributions, i.e. (Employer Contributions)	
<ul> <li>3. After-tax employee contributions</li> <li>Any combination of 1, 2, and 3</li> </ul>	
Employer reports contributions on W-2	
Practitioner Note: Self-employed ministers deduct on line 15, Form 1040, Sch. 1	
CONTRIBUTION LIMITS P. 373	
Limited to the lesser of:	
∘ The limit on annual additions;	
<ul> <li>The limit on elective deferrals (for 2021- lesser of \$58,000 or 100% includable compensation)</li> </ul>	
Includable compensation= taxable wages; also includes; see list pg. 373	
Includable compensation does not include any compensation received if the employer is not an eligible employer.	
CONTRIBUTION LIMITS P.374	-
Most Recent Year of Service:	
The employee's <u>last full year of service</u> , ending on the last day of the employee's tax year that the employee worked for the	
employer that maintained a 403(b) account on his or her behalf.	
If the employee's tax year is not the same as the employer's	
annual work period, the most recent year of service is made up of parts of at least two of the employer's annual work periods.	

CONTRIBUTION LIMITS - CONTINUED P. 374	
Most Recent Year of Service	-
Examples  10.1 Pg. 374 Jackson is a professor at ABC University. Most recent year is academic year, January through May and October through December.	
10.2 Pg. 374 Felicia works at the hospital. Most recent year of service includes	
fraction from current year and prior years. (Figure 10.1)	
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CONTRIBUTION LIMITS, CONT. PP. 375-376	
(2021)	
Generally, <b>limit on elective deferrals is \$19,500</b> if taxpayer is under age 50	
Amount is reduced by contributions to other plans	
15-Year Rule – limit may be increased (up to \$3,000)	
Catch-up contributions age 50 or older - \$6,500 (2021)	
EX. 10.3 § 403(B)RETIREMENT PLAN MAXIMUM CONTRIBUTION	
How much can be contributed in 2021? (Under age 50)	
Employee's yearly limit \$19,500 Employer contribution 38,500	
Total \$58,000 Age 50 or older, catch-up limit is \$6,500.	
2022: Maximum employee contribution (under age 50) is \$20,500; 50 or older, catch-up limit is still \$6,500	

DISTRIBUTIONS P. 376
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Distributions taxed as ordinary income and can be made when:
Reach 59.5 years
<ul> <li>Severance from employment</li> <li>Dies</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Becomes disabled</li> <li>Financial hardship</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Qualified reservist distribution</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Qualified birth or adoption distribution</li> <li>Certain distributions of lifetime income investments</li> </ul>
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The RMD rules apply to all employer sponsored retirement plans, including:
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Profit-sharing plans, 401(k) plans, <b>403(b) plans</b> , and 457(b) plans. The RMD rules
also apply to traditional IRAs and IRA-based plans such as SEPs, SARSEPs, and
SIMPLE IRAs.
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#### SOCIAL SECURITY CALCULATION

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PIA (Primary Insurance Amount) formula
For an individual who first becomes eligible for old-age insurance benefits or disability insurance benefits in 2021, or who dies in 2021 before becoming eligible for benefits, his/her PIA will be the sum of:

(a) 90 percent of the first \$996 of his/her average indexed monthly earnings (AIME), plus(b) 32 percent of his/her average indexed monthly earnings over \$996 and through \$6,002, plus(c) 15 percent of his/her average indexed monthly earnings over \$6,002.

Computation of 2021 bend points: First bend point; \$180 times 54,099.99 divided by 9.779.44 equals \$995.76, which rounds to \$996. Second bend point \$1,085 times 54,099.99 divided by 9.779.44 equals \$6,002.23, which rounds to \$6,002

#### SOCIAL SECURITY CALCULATION

Ex. 10.5 Retirement @ age 66, Retired 7/1/21after earning \$45,000; AIME = \$6,000 based on top 35 years indexed annual earnings. PIA calc. using 2017 bend points (when she was 62). (\$45,000 is less than \$50,520 2021 FRA limit no reduction in benefits)

#### Fig. 10.3 PIA Calculation

2017 Bend Pts.	AIME	PIA %	PIA
0 through \$885	\$ 885	90%	\$ 796.50
> \$885 thro. \$5,336	\$4,451	32%	\$1,242.32
> \$5,336	\$ 664	15%	\$ 99.60
Total	\$5,000		\$2,320.40

## ISSUE 2: SOCIAL SECURITY PLANNING

Year of Birth.	Full Retirement Age.	Mos. To FRA	@ Age 62 \$1,000 reduced.	% Reduction
1943-1954.	66	48	\$750	25%
1955	66 + 2 Mos.	50	\$741	25.83%
1956	66 + 4 Mos.	52	\$733	26.67%
1957	66 + 6 Mos.	54	\$725	27.50%
1958	66 + 8 Mos.	56	\$716	28.33%
1959	66 + 10 Mos.	58	\$708	29.17%
1960 & Later	67	60	\$700	30%

Note: If delaying SS benefits, apply for Medicare benefits within 3 months of the 65th birthday to avoid increased cost of Medicare Part B and prescription drug coverage. Fig. 10.4

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#### • Spousal Retirement Benefits (Example 10.6)

- Bill and Mary retired in 2021 at FRA. Combined benefit is \$2,100. (1400X.150=2100). Bill's = \$700 which is greater than his \$600 benefit.
- Early or Late Retirement (Example 10.7)
   Figure 10.5 Sandy's benefits at ages 62, 66, 67. Assume Sandy's life expectancy is 18.80 more years @ age 70, and he will receive an annual benefit of \$46,740 if he waits to age 70 to take benefits as opposed to \$27,888 if he starts @ age 62. But see, the continuation Figure 10.5 next

COMPARISON	EARLY	OR FRA	BENEFITS

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#### Fig.10.5 and Ex. 10.7 Cont'd.

Age	Annual Payme	nt	Total An. Payment	Total Benefits Received
62	\$2,324 X 12	=	\$27,888	\$153,384 (\$27,888 X 5.5)
66	\$3,113 X 12	=	\$37,356	\$56,034 (\$37,356 X 1.5)
70	\$3,895 X 12	=	\$46,740	\$0

Assume Sandy dies @ age 67.5:

Age @ age 62 begins benefits, lives 5.5 years, Total benefits received=\$153,384 FRA = @ age 66, begins benefits, lives 1.5 years, Total benefits rec'd = \$56,034 Benefits @ age 70 = \$0

#### WORKING BEFORE FRA

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- <u>Working before FRA & Drawing SSI</u> Excess of some or all benefits received must be repaid
- 2021 Wage Base Amount = \$142,200; 2022 = \$147,000
   2021 Under FRA Annual earnings limit \$18,960; 2022 = 19,560
- 2021 FRA during year, limit = \$50,520; **2022 = 51,960**
- FRA before year, no limit on earnings
- Special Payments received after Retirement
- Earned before retirement, can be excluded ex. Wage earner vacation pay, severance pay, bonuses paid offer retirement
   Sb benefit recipients before FFA- receiving earnings above limit can exclude, but must notify SSA of special payments received.

TAXATION OF SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS	PP. 383-385		
Figure 10.6 Form SSA-1099 Social Security Benefit Statement Figure 10.7 Social Security Tax Calculation Terms		-	
Modified adjusted gross income     Provisional Income			
Base amount			
Adjusted base amount			
Example 10.8 Provisional Income Exceeds Adjusted Base Amount  Mary and Jeff have \$20,000 social security benefits. \$14,500 < \$	517,000 (\$20,000 X		
.85) \$14,500 is includable. See SSB Worksheet. P. 384			
SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS PLANNING	PP. 386-388		
Qualified Charitable Distributions • Example 10.9 Jeanne single, makes a \$10,000 QCD. None of her SSI is ta	ixable. Fig. 10.10		
<ul> <li>See Planning Pointer: Consider opting out of installment sale if beneficion over multiple years and increase AGI for those years if receiving SSI.</li> </ul>	al to not spread sale		
Planning for Spouses  Example 10.10 Both Spouses below the Wage Base – no change in end	result.		
<ul> <li>Example 10.11 One Spouse above and One Spouse below the Wage Ba (Spouses form 50/50 P/S H shifts ½ his income to W whose income is aboveduces their total SS fax. Shifting income depends on the Average Inde Earnings (AIME) of each</li> </ul>	ase – SS tax reduced. ve wage base) exed Monthly		
Maximizing Social Security Benefits			
<ul> <li>Example 10.12 Same Bend Points. Profit Shifting –decrease H AMIE- increamt. offsets PIA amounts.</li> </ul>			
<ul> <li>Example 10.13 Different Bend Points-Profit shift- H AMIE decreases, but V</li> </ul>	w increases		
SSUE 3: IRA CONVERSIONS	P. 389		
Conversions from a traditional IRA to a Roth IRA			
No current deduction, but Roth's have two advantages:			
<ul> <li>Distributions of regular and qualified distributions are tax free</li> <li>No RMD required during original owner's lifetime</li> </ul>			
<b>2021 MAGI limits apply</b> • Individuals \$140,000			
Married filing jointly \$208,000     Married filing congretaly \$10,000			
Married filing separately \$10,000     No income limit applies to conversions			 
Married filing separately \$10,000			

ROTH IRA DISTRIBUTIONS P. 389	7		
Qualified distributions from a Roth IRA are not included in gross income it			
Made on or after age of 59%     Made to a beneficiary (or estate) on or after the death of the individual			
3. A payment made attributable to the individual's being disabled			
<ol> <li>A qualified special purpose distribution</li> <li>Traditional IRA Contribution Limits. If more than 1 IRA, limit applies to tota</li> </ol>	ıl contrib.		
made to all traditional IRAs during the year  • \$6,000 per year or taxpayer's compensation			
\$7,000 per year with the "catch-up" amount if taxpayer is 50 or older			
GENERAL CONVERSION RULES P. 390	)	<u> </u>	
Taxpayer can receive a withdrawal from a traditional IRA and within 60 days re same assets into a Roth IRA	invest the		
A conversion can be done as a trustee-trustee transfer			
The <b>10% additional tax on an early distribution does not apply</b> HOWEVER, if the traditional IRA was a deductible IRA, then all or part of the dist	tribution	-	
may be included in gross income and subject to ordinary income tax.			
Example 10,14 Conversion from a Traditional Deductible IRA			
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17 If you completed Part I, enter the amount from line 11. Otherwise, enter your basis in the amount on line 16 (see instructions)			
18 Tasable amount, Subtract line 17 from line 16. If more than zero, also include this amount on 2000 from 1040, 1040-5R, or 1040-8R, time 4b			
CREATING A BACKDOOR ROTH IRA P. 391	1		
Contribute to traditional nondeductible IRA then convert to	Roth		
Practitioner Note: Backdoor Strategy – TCJA conference re			
Contribution to a traditional IRA, then convert it to a Roth IR			
Example 10.15 Backdoor Roth IRA – Jason earns too much t	to		
make Roth IRA contribution. He contributes \$7,000 to			
nondeductible traditional IRA reports on F8606, takes a distr from the traditional IRA, then rolls to it a Roth w/i 60-day time			
Reports \$100 earnings on F 8606 & line 4 of F1040.			

If the taxpayer has a traditional IRA with deductible contributions, the basis in a newly established IRA will be allocated among the new and any existing IRAs, increasing the amount of tax the taxpayer must pay when a conversion is executed.  Example 10.16 Multiple IRAs  See Figure 10.12 for the calculation of basis: \$5,829  Taxable amount is \$5,929  Observation—IRA Basis and Value  It is important for the tax practitioner to obtain information about all the taxpayer's IRAs because basis is divided among all IRA's.					
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DISQUALIFIED PERSON	P. 395
Is defined under I.R.C. § 4975(e)(2) as <b>any of the fr</b> 1. Fiduciaries (discretionary authority or cor  2. A person providing services  3. An employer whose employees are cov  4. An employee organization whose memb Certain other persons and entities (see 5-9, pg. 39  Example 10.17 Disqualified Persons. Ray has a self- properties. Ray is owner & has discretion to make	ered under the plan bers are covered under the plan 5) -directed IRA. He owns 3 rental
cannot sell a rental property to the IRA or engage with the IRA.	

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Examples of possible prohibited transactions:

- $_{\odot}$  Borrowing money from an IRA
- $_{\odot}\,\text{Selling}$  property to an IRA
- $_{\odot}\,\text{Using}$  an IRA as security for a loan
- $_{\odot}\,\mbox{Buying}$  property for personal use (present or future) with IRA funds

<u>Thiessen v. Commissioner</u> 146 T.C. 7 (2016) T/p's used corp. owned by self directed IRA to acquire assets of a business. Corporation signed a promissory note for some of purchase & t/p's personally guaranteed the note. T.C. held that the guarantees were indirect extensions of credit from the t/p to their IRAs and was a prohibited transaction.

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A loan made by the plan to a disqualified person who is a participant or beneficiary of the plan is not a prohibited transaction if the loan

- 1. is available to all such participants or beneficiaries,
- 2. is not made available to highly compensated employees in an amount greater than the amount made available to other employees,
- 3, is made in accordance with specific provisions regarding such loans as set forth  $\hfill \hfill \hfill$ 
  - 4. bears a reasonable rate of interest, and
  - 5. is adequately secured

 ${\it Practitioner\ Note:}\ {\it Prohibited\ Transaction\ Exemptions-Issued\ by\ DOL}$ 

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REAL PROPERTY IN A SELF-DIRECTED IRA	
A self-directed IRA can purchase real property, but must avoid p rules must comply with the following:	rohibited transaction
1. IRA cannot purchase property from the owner or a Disqu	ualified Person
<ol><li>Must title the property in the name of the IRA</li></ol>	
3. Purchase the property using IRA funds	
4. Must be Nonrecourse financing and IRA owner or DQO I borrower/guarantor	s not
Financing Real Property	
Example 10.18 see ex. 10.17, pg. 395 – self directed IRA pu For \$125 k IRA has \$100 k, lender must finance \$25k with nonreco guaranteed by Ray or his wife.	
Managing Rental Property - can be done through an IRA owned	LLC.
Rental income may be Unrelated Business Taxable Income (UBTI), financed Income (UDFI) – If $>$ \$1,000 UDFI then file Form 990-T-pay	/Unrelated debt tax @ trust & estate rate

#### REAL PROPERTY IN A SELF-DIRECTED IRA

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#### Taxation of Rental Income: @ Estates & Trusts rates

- ∘ Unrelated Business Taxable Income (UBTI) > \$1,000, file F-990-T
- Unrelated Debt Financed Income (UDFI) > \$1,000, File F-990-T
   Ex. 10.19, Pg. 397

Rebecca's IRA has a \$100,000 balance, purchases rental prop. for \$125,000, IRA borrows \$35,000. Yr. I IRA collected \$11,400 rent, had \$3,000 property expense. Avg. adj. basis of the property or yr. I was \$120,000. UDFI for yr. I Ratio (debt to val. of prop.) is calculated: \$30,000/120,000 = .25

.25 X \$11,400 rent inc. = \$2,850. Rent Exp. = .25 X 3,000 or \$750. + \$1,000 specific deduction.

See Fig. 10.13 pg. 398

## RISK OF FRAUD WITH SELF-DIRECTED IRA

PP. 399-400

SEC issued Investor Alert: Self-Directed IRAs and Risk of Fraud (8/8/2018) Summary:

- o Custodial Responsibilities and Information Misrepresented
- o Avoiding Fraud
- o Verify Self-Directed IRA Account Statement Information
- o Avoid Unsolicited Investment Offers
- o Ask Questions
- o Be Wary of Guaranteed Returns
- o Consult a Professional
- o Recourse for Fraud Victims

o See list p. 400

SSUE 5: HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNTS	PP. 400-403
Eligible taxpayers can claim an above-the-line deduction	n for HSA contributions.
o Setting up an HSA – bank or insurance co.	
<ul> <li>Qualifying for an HSA – need a High Deductible Health f ex.</li> </ul>	Plan (HDHP) on Dec.1 for
<ul> <li>Contributions - 2021 annual limit \$7,200 family/\$3,600 selfup over for &gt; 55 indiv.</li> </ul>	f-only, plus \$1,000 catch-
<ul> <li>Distributions – tax free if used for qualified medical expe</li> </ul>	enses
o Reporting Contributions – Form 5498-SA- Pg. 403. Emplo	yer contrib. = W-2, box 12
• Example 10.20 Deduction for HSA Contribution	
o Jamal contributed \$3,600	
o Reports deduction on Form 8889 (Figure 10.15) - pg. 40	03

RM 5498-SA	FROM EXAM	PLE 10.20			P. 403
2727 TRUSTEE'S name, street address, c ZP or foreign postal code, and tele First Bank of Oregon 100 River Street Bend, Oregon 97701	illy or town, state or province, country,	ECTED  1 Employee or self-employed person's Archer MSA contributions made in 2021 and 2022 for 2021  \$ 2 Total contributions made in 1202 \$ 3.600	2021	Med	, Archer MSA, dicare Advantag MSA Informatio
TRUSTEE'S TIN	PARTICIPANT'S TIN XXXX-XXXXXX	3 Total HSA or Archer MSA co \$		for 2021	Copy
PARTICIPANT'S name		4 Rollover contributions	5 Fair market value of Archer MSA, or MA		Internal Revenu Service Cente
Jamal Wilson		s	s	9.200	File with Form 1096
Street address (including apt. no.)		6HSA 🕝			For Privacy Act an
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Bend, Oregon 97701		MSA			the 2021 General Instructions for
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ISSUE 6: INDIV. COVERAGE HRA (ICHRA)  PP. 404-405	
I.R.C. § 105 allows for <b>reimbursement of medical expenses</b> under an employer-	<u> </u>
sponsored health plan. o As of Jan 1, 2020, regulations allow employers to establish <b>Individual Coverage</b>	
Health Reimbursement Arrangement (ICHRA)s.  o Funded solely by employer	
<ul> <li>Required Insurance</li> <li>Employees and dependents must be covered by health insurance (or</li> </ul>	
Medicare A or B) to receive reimbursements from an ICHRA. Reimb. Can include premiums for indiv. Health coverage and Medicare.	
<ul> <li>Integration of an HRA can occur with individual health coverage –</li> <li>See the list on page 405</li> </ul>	
TAX SAVINGS P. 405	
ICHRA reimbursements for employee, employee's spouse, and	
dependents for medical care are excluded from the employee's income and wages for federal income tax and employment tax.	
Example 10.21 ICHRA Tax Savings  H&W no children, their t.i. = \$200,000. W pays for her own indiv. Ins.	
coverage she paid 1200 per month. W's employer has a ICHRA and pays reimbursement up to \$12,000 per year. \$12,000 is excluded from	
W's income, which can provide a federal income tax savings \$2,880 (24% rate). The exclusion is also exempt from FICA and state income tax.	-
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SUBSTANTIATION P. 405	
Employers must require that employees - To enroll in ICHRA plan, Employee covered by the plan, must 1) prove enrollment in	
eligible health care (including Medicare) coverage for employee, spouse, and dependents for each month covered. And	
<ol> <li>for reimbursement, employee must prove eligible individual was covered by health care, during month medical care expense</li> </ol>	
incurred.	
IRS Sample attestation forms @www.irs.gov/pub/irs-util/health-reimbursement- arrangements-faqs.pdf.	

NONDISCRIMINATION P. 406	
Employers can offer group health plans to one class of employees, and an ICHRA to another class of employees. See list of allowed classes. Pg. 406	
Minimum class size rules may apply.  Employer with fewer than 100 employees, minimum class size is 10	
New versus grandfathered current employees may have different options.	
Can offer increased amounts for older workers & those with more dependents.	
Age class cannot discriminate in favor of highly-compensated employees.	
IMPACT ON THE PREMIUM TAX CREDIT PP. 406-407	
ICHRAs will provide tax-advantaged savings for many employees purchasing of health care insurance or services.	_
However, for <u>some employees</u> , an ICHRA could increase their costs because an offer of an affordable ICHRA makes recipient <u>ineligible for a premium tax credit</u> .	
Cross-Reference to 2020 NITW for calculation of affordability-pg. 395	
Employers must provide <b>a written notice at least 90 days prior to offer of ICHRA</b> - impacts of an ICHRA on the employee's premium tax credit eligibility.	
SAFE HARBORS: APPLICABLE LARGE EMPLOYERS P.P. 407-408	
ALEs have an average of 50 or more Full Time Equivalent Employees (FTEs) in the preceding calendar year- o Location Safe Harbor	
<ul> <li>where employee's employment is located instead of residence- whether offer is affordable</li> <li>Look-Back Month Safe Harbor</li> <li>Employer-use any calendar month to determine employees required contribution</li> </ul>	
o Household Income Safe Harbor o W-2; federal poverty line	
<ul> <li>Example 10.21 Application of the Safe Harbors</li> <li>Use applicable premium in work location</li> </ul>	
o January 2020 is <b>lookback month</b> o \$2,000/month using <b>rate-of-pay safe harbor</b>	

ISSUE 7: STOCK OPTIONS PP. 409-410	
Statutory stock options are incentive stock options (ISOs) under I.R.C. § 422 and options granted under an employee stock purchase plan (ESPP) described in I.R.C. § 423.  • Exercise of the Option	
oGenerally, no income inclusion oDisposition of the Stock	
olf stock from an ISO is held 2 years from granting, and 1 year from exercise then capital gain/loss	
olf holding period not met, ordinary income	
NONSTATUTORY STOCK OPTIONS P. 410	
A <b>nonstatutory stock option</b> Employee or independent contractor can purchase the employer's stock. Generally, there are no tax consequences for the employer or the employee on the grant of a nonstatutory stock option in connection with the performance of services if the option does not have a readily ascertainable FMV.	
o Exercise of the Option o Employee has ordinary income	
<ul> <li>Risk of Forfeiture</li> <li>If risk exists, then the compensation not included in the employee's income</li> <li>Section 83(b) Election</li> </ul>	
o Recipient can elect to include the FMV of stock in income in year transferred	
NONSTATUTORY STOCK OPTIONS P. 411-413	
Section 83(i) Deferral	
oAllows qualified employees of privately held corps to defer paying income tax for up to 5 years on the exercise	
<ul> <li>Qualified stock options and restricted stock units</li> <li>See Notice 2018-97 for additional guidance</li> </ul>	

EXAMPLES	P. 411-414
10.23 pg. 414 Restricted Nonstatutory Opti	ions – No Election
Emilio doesn't include in income until	vested
\$100,000 income	
10.24 pg.414 Restricted Nonstatutory Option	ons – With Election
Emilio makes 83(b) election to include	e at exercise
\$50,000 income	

Questions?