B#:	18740-23
Date:	July 13, 2023
То:	All Participants
Category:	Tax Relief, Distributions
From:	International Services
Attention:	Operations, Reorg & Dividend Managers, Partners & Cashiers
Subject:	*****Revised Notice- Fixing form links****  Tax Relief Country: Italy  Security Name: Ermenegildo Zegna N.V.  CUSIP: N30577105  Record Date: 7/6/2023  Payable Date: 7/28/2023  Relief at Source CA Web Instruction Deadline: 7/14/2023 8:00 PM ET  Quick Refund CA Web Instruction Deadline: 9/8/2023 8:00 PM ET

Participants can use DTC's Corporate Actions Web (CA Web) service to certify all or a portion of their position entitled to the applicable withholding tax rate. Participants are urged to consult TaxInfo respectively before certifying their instructions over the CA Web.

Important: Prior to certifying tax withholding instructions, participants are urged to read, understand and comply with the information in the Legal Conditions category found on TaxInfo on the CA Web.

Questions regarding this Important Notice may be directed to GlobeTax 212-747-9100.

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**ERMENEGILDO ZEGNA N.V.** has announced a dividend distribution and Computershare, Inc. acts as the transfer agent for the company.

Participants may use DTC's Corporate Actions Web ("CA Web") instructions tab to certify all or a portion of their position entitled to each applicable withholding tax rate. Use of this instruction method will permit entitlement amounts to be paid through DTC. By making submissions of such certifications the submitter warrants that it has the required authority to make them, that the party for which the submission is made is eligible therefore, and will indemnify, as applicable, Globe Tax Services, Inc., the applicable depositary, the applicable custodian, and other acting, directly or indirectly, in reliance thereon, including for any inaccuracy therein.

As outlined in the Eligibility Matrix, all qualifying holders will have the opportunity to receive their full treaty benefits on pay date through the Relief At-Source process. There will be one "Quick Refund" filing deadline as stipulated below; all claims submitted after this date should be submitted through the Standard "Long-Form" filing procedure.

# PLEASE NOTE:

- 1. ORIGINAL DOCUMENTATION WILL BE REQUIRED.
- 2. ALL DATES ON ALL FORMS MUST BE BEFORE THE LOCAL PAYMENT DATE IN ITALY.
- 3. A LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE MUST BE NAMED AND SIGN ALL CLAIM DOCUMENTS.
- 4. TAX RELIEF AND CUSTODIAL FEES WILL BE REQUIRED UPFRONT ON ANY ITALIAN LONG FORM CLAIMS FILED.

DIVIDEND EVENT MATRIX						
ISSUE	CUSIP#	UNDERLYING ISIN	RECORD DATE	PAY DATE	GROSS DIVIDEND RATE	
ERMENEGILDO ZEGNA N.V.	N30577105	NL0015000PB5	JULY 6, 2023	JULY 28, 2023	EUR 0.10	

FEES & DEADLINES							
FILING METHOD	ВАТСН	PAYMENT METHOD	CUSTODIAL FEE	TAX RELIEF FEE	MINIMUM FEE PER BENEFICIAL OWNER	FINAL SUBMISSION DEADLINE	
RELIEF AT-SOURCE	PAYMENT ON	VIA DTC	NO FFF	LID TO \$0.04 DED SHADE	NO MINIMI IM	DOCUMENTATION & ESP DEADLINE JULY 14, 2023 5PM EST	
RELIEF AT-SOURCE	PAY DATE VIA DTC NO FEE UP TO \$0.01 PER SHARE NO MINIMUM	NO MINIMOM	CA WEB INSTRUCTION DEADLINE JULY 14, 2023 8PM EST				
OHIOK BEELIND	SEPTEMBER	VIA DTC	NO FEE		NIO NAINIINAI INA	DOCUMENTATION & ESP DEADLINE SEPTEMBER 8, 2023 5PM EST	
QUICK REFUND	22, 2023	VIA DTC	NO FEE	UP TO \$0.01 PER SHARE NO MINIMUM		CA WEB INSTRUCTION DEADLINE SEPTEMBER 8, 2023 8PM EST	
LONG FORM	N/A	VIA ACH OR CHECK	NO FEE	UP TO \$0.01 PER SHARE	\$25.00 TAX RELIEF FEE	MARCH 1, 2027	

Long Form claims will only be accepted after the Quick Refund window has closed. We encourage beneficiaries to file Long Form only as a last resort alternative to Relief At-Source and Quick Refund. This important notice does not contain the required exhibits to file Long Form claims.

#### Indemnification

I / We certify that to the best of my knowledge the individual beneficial owners are eligible for the preferential rates as stated herein and I declare that I have performed all the necessary due diligence to satisfy myself as to the accuracy of the information submitted to me by these beneficial owners.

In consideration of the assistance of GlobeTax, Computershare, and the Issuer in processing such claims, the Participant expressly agrees that neither GlobeTax, Computershare, nor the Issuer nor any of their agents or affiliates shall have any liability for, and shall indemnify, defend and hold the Issuer and its respective agents and affiliates harmless from and against, any and all loss, liability, damage, judgment, settlement, fine, penalty, demand, claim, cost or expense (including without limitation fees and expenses of defending itself or enforcing this agreement) arising out of or in connection herewith. The Participant further agree that their obligations hereunder shall be free from all defenses.

ELIGIBILITY MATRIX – AT-SOURCE & QUICK REFUND							
RATE DESCRIPTION	RECLAIM RATE	ELIGIBLE RESIDENTS		DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED		SIGNATURE REQUIRED	
UNFAVORABLE 26%	0%	NON-TREATY COUNTRIES AND ENTITIES NOT MENTIONED AS FAVORABLE OR EXEMPT BELOW	1.	NONE	1.	N/A	
FAVORABLE 25%	1%	INDIA, PAKISTAN (INDIVIDUALS & NON-INDIVIDUALS)			2. 3.	YES – PARTICIPANT LOCAL TAX AUTHORITIES YES – BENEFICIARY OR LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE YES – LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE	
FAVORABLE 20%	6%	THAILAND, TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO (INDIVIDUALS & NON-INDIVIDUALS)	2.	RESIDENCY FORM A	2. 3.	YES – PARTICIPANT LOCAL TAX AUTHORITIES YES – BENEFICIARY OR LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE YES – LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE	
FAVORABLE 15%	11%	ALGERIA, ARGENTINA, AUSTRALIA, AUSTRIA, BANGLADESH, BARBADOS, BELARUS, BELGIUM, BRAZIL, CANADA, CONGO (REPUBLIC OF), COLOMBIA, CROATIA, CYPRUS, CZECH REPUBLIC, DENMARK, ECUADOR, ESTONIA, FINLAND, FRANCE, GERMANY, GHANA, GREECE, ICELAND, INDONESIA, IRELAND, ISRAEL, IVORY COAST (COTE D'IVOIRE), JAPAN, KAZAKHSTAN, KOREA (REPUBLIC OF), KYRGYZSTAN, LATVIA, LEBANON, LITHUANIA, LUXEMBOURG, MALTA, MAURITIUS, MEXICO, MOLDOVA, MONGOLIA. MOROCCO, MOZAMBIQUE, NETHERLANDS, NEW ZEALAND, NORTH MACEDONIA (FORMER YUGOSLAV REPUBLIC OF), NORWAY, PHILIPPINES, PORTUGAL, QATAR, SAN MARINO, SENEGAL, SLOVAKIA, SLOVENIA, SOUTH AFRICA, SPAIN, SRI LANKA, SWEDEN, SWITZERLAND, TAJIKISTAN, TUNISIA, TURKEY, TURKMENISTAN, UGANDA, UKRAINE, UNITED ARAB EMIRATES, UNITED KINGDOM, UNITED STATES, URUGUAY, VIETNAM, ZAMBIA (INDIVIDUALS & NON-INDIVIDUALS)	1. 2.	CERTIFICATE OF RESIDENCY OR IRS FORM 6166 FORM A	<ol> <li>3.</li> </ol>	YES – PARTICIPANT LOCAL TAX AUTHORITIES OR IRS REPRESENTATIVE YES – BENEFICIARY OR LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE YES – LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE	

FAVORABLE 11%	15%	EU/EEA PENSION FUNDS	1. 2.	COVER LETTER EU PENSION CERTIFICATE OF RESIDENCY		YES – PARTICIPANT LOCAL TAX AUTHORITIES
FAVORABLE 10%	16%	ALBANIA, ARMENIA, AZERBAIGIAN, BOSNIA-HERZEGOVINA, BULGARIA, CHILE, CHINA, ETHIOPIA, GEORGIA, HONG KONG, HUNGARY, JAMAICA, JORDAN, MALAYSIA, MONTENEGRO, OMAN, PANAMA, POLAND, RUSSIAN FEDERATION, SAUDI ARABIA, SERBIA, SINGAPORE, TAIWAN, TANZANIA, UZBEKISTAN (INDIVIDUALS & NON-INDIVIDUALS)	1. 2. 3. 4.	COVER LETTER CERTIFICATE OF RESIDENCY FORM A LIMITED POWER OF ATTORNEY	2. 3.	YES – PARTICIPANT LOCAL TAX AUTHORITIES YES – BENEFICIARY OR LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE YES – LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE
FAVORABLE 5%	21%	ROMANIA (INDIVIDUALS & NON-INDIVIDUALS), COLOMBIA RECOGNIZED PENSION FUND	2.	COVER LETTER CERTIFICATE OF RESIDENCY FORM A LIMITED POWER OF ATTORNEY	2. 3.	YES – PARTICIPANT LOCAL TAX AUTHORITIES YES – BENEFICIARY OR LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE YES – LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE
FAVORABLE 1.20%	24.80%	EU/EEA CORPORATE ENTITIES		COVER LETTER EU CORPORATE CERTIFICATE OF RESIDENCY		YES – PARTICIPANT LOCAL TAX AUTHORITIES
EXEMPT 26%	EU/EEA INVESTMENT FUNDS  NON-RESIDENT PERSONS HOLDING THE COMMON SHARES THROUGH A PERMANENT ESTABLISHMENT IN ITALY.  AS OF JANUARY 1, 2021, PURSUANT TO ARTICLE 1(631) OF FINANCE ACT 2021, NO ITALIAN TAX IS WITHHELD AT SOURCE ON DIVIDENDS PAID TO (I) FOREIGN UNDERTAKINGS FOR COLLECTIVE INVESTMENT THAT COMPLY WITH DIRECTIVE 2009/65/EC, OR (II) FOREIGN UNDERTAKINGS FOR COLLECTIVE INVESTMENT THAT DO NOT FALL WITHIN THE SCOPE OF DIRECTIVE 2009/65/EC BUT WHOSE ASSET MANAGER IS SUBJECT TO REGULATORY SUPERVISION ACCORDING TO DIRECTIVE 2011/61/EU, PROVIDED THAT IN BOTH CASE (I) AND (II) THE FOREIGN UNDERTAKING FOR COLLECTIVE INVESTMENT IS ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF AN EU MEMBER STATE OR AN EEA STATE THAT IS INCLUDED IN THE WHITE LIST.	3. 4.	COVER LETTER EU INVESTMENT FUND CERTIFICATE OF RESIDENCY FORM A LIMITED POWER OF ATTORNEY	2. 3.	YES – PARTICIPANT LOCAL TAX AUTHORITIES YES – BENEFICIARY OR LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE YES – LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE	
		U.S. GOVERNMENTAL ENTITIES WITH A FORM 6166 THAT SPECIFIES THE RESIDENT AS "THE STATE"	2.	COVER LETTER IRS FORM 6166 FOR STATE ENTITIES FORM A LIMITED POWER OF ATTORNEY	2. 3.	YES – PARTICIPANT IRS REPRESENTATIVE YES – BENEFICIARY OR LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE YES – LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE

#### ITALIAN RESIDENT PERSONS:

- ITALIAN RESIDENT INDIVIDUALS WHO HOLD THE COMMON SHARES IN CONNECTION WITH A BUSINESS ACTIVITY
- ITALIAN PARTNERSHIPS (SUCH AS ITALIAN "SOCIETÀ SEMPLICI", "SOCIETÀ IN NOME COLLETTIVO", "SOCIETÀ IN ACCOMANDITA SEMPLICE" AND SIMILAR PARTNERSHIPS AS REFERRED TO IN ARTICLE 5 PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 917 OF DECEMBER 22, 1986 (THE CONSOLIDATED INCOME TAX ACT- "CITA")
- O WITH REFERENCE TO "SOCIETÀ SEMPLICE", DIVIDENDS ARE DEEMED TO BE RECEIVED ON A TAX TRANSPARENCY BASIS BY THE ITALIAN RESIDENT PARTNERS AND ARE SUBJECT TO TAX UNDER THE TAX REGIME APPLICABLE TO THE RELEVANT PARTNER (I.E., AS IF THEY WERE DIRECTLY PAID TO EACH PARTNER). MOREOVER, THE DIVIDENDS PAID TO NON-RESIDENT PARTNERS ARE SUBJECT TO 26 PERCENT TAX WITHHELD AT SOURCE OR TO THE DOMESTIC WITHHOLDING TAX RATE 1.2 PERCENT (AND NOT 26 PERCENT) IF THE RECIPIENTS AND BENEFICIAL OWNERS OF THE DIVIDENDS ON COMMON SHARES ARE COMPANIES OR ENTITIES THAT ARE (A) RESIDENT FOR TAX PURPOSES IN AN EU MEMBER STATE OR IN AN EEA STATE THAT IS INCLUDED IN THE ITALIAN WHITE LIST AND (B) SUBJECT TO CORPORATE INCOME TAX IN SUCH STATE.
- ITALIAN RESIDENT COMPANIES AND OTHER ITALIAN RESIDENT BUSINESS ENTITIES AS REFERRED TO IN ARTICLE 73(1)(A)-(B) CITA, INCLUDING, AMONG OTHERS, CORPORATIONS ("SOCIETÀ PER AZIONI"), PARTNERSHIPS LIMITED BY SHARES ("SOCIETÀ IN ACCOMANDITA PER AZIONI"), LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANIES ("SOCIETÀ A RESPONSABILITÀ LIMITATA") AND PUBLIC AND PRIVATE ENTITIES WHOSE SOLE OR PRIMARY PURPOSE IS TO CARRY OUT BUSINESS ACTIVITIES
- ITALIAN RESIDENT NON-BUSINESS ENTITIES REFERRED TO IN ARTICLE 73(1)(C) CITA (INCLUDING ITALIAN RESIDENT TRUSTS THAT DO NOT CARRY OUT A BUSINESS ACTIVITY), EXCEPT FOR ITALIAN COLLECTIVE INVESTMENT VEHICLES ("OICR"). ACCORDING TO ARTICLE 1(44 46) OF FINANCE ACT 2021, 50 PERCENT OF THE DIVIDENDS PAID TO NON-BUSINESS ENTITIES REFERRED TO IN ARTICLE 73(1)(C) CITA WILL BE EXCLUDED FROM THEIR IRES TAXABLE BASE PROVIDED THAT THEY: (I) EXCLUSIVELY OR MAINLY CARRY OUT ANY OF THE QUALIFYING NON-PROFIT ACTIVITIES LISTED IN ARTICLE 1(45) OF FINANCE ACT 2021 AND (II) EARMARK THE RELATED TAX SAVINGS TO A NON-DISTRIBUTABLE RESERVE AND USE THESE RESOURCES TO FINANCE THESE NON-PROFIT ACTIVITIES.
- PERSONS THAT ARE OUTSIDE THE SCOPE OF IRES (ESCLUSI) UNDER ARTICLE 74(1) CITA
- ITALIAN PENSION FUNDS GOVERNED BY LEGISLATIVE DECREE NO. 252 OF DECEMBER 5, 2005 ("DECREE 252") AND ITALIAN OICR, OTHER THAN REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT FUNDS AND ITALIAN REAL ESTATE SICAFS (REAL ESTATE ALTERNATIVE INVESTMENT FUNDS, "REAL ESTATE AIF")
- ITALIAN REAL ESTATE AIF

- 1. COVER LETTER
- 2. CERTIFICATE OF RESIDENCY
- 1. YES PARTICIPANT
- 2. LOCAL TAX AUTHORITIES

\*Note: All documents listed in BLUE font are generated by GlobeTax's ESP website after submission of beneficial owner data

\*\*In scenarios where a legal representative is signing documentation a Power of Attorney is also required. Should the POA be signed by a broker a copy of a trust agreement or limited

POA between the broker and beneficial owner must ALSO be provided

	DESCRIPTION OF VARIOUS DOCUMENTATION					
DOCUMENT NAME	DESCRIPTION					
COVER LETTER	Listing of beneficial owner information					
CERTIFICATE OF RESIDENCY	Must be for the same tax year of the dividend and must be dated prior to the pay date.					
FORM A	The "BENEFICIAL OWNER" section of FORM A must contain an ORIGINAL signature from the beneficial owner as well as an ORIGINAL signature and stamp of the DTC participant.  NOTE: If a signature cannot be obtained from the beneficial owner, a representative may sign on their behalf if a notarized ORIGINAL Power of Attorney signed by the beneficial owner to the entity signing on their behalf is provided. Alternatively, a notarized copy of EITHER a Power of Attorney (POA), a Trust Agreement, or a Custody Agreement signed by the beneficial owner to the entity signing on their behalf can be supplied along with an ORIGINAL Self Certified Power of Attorney, printed on the letterhead of the signing entity authorized. The Self Certified POA should be signed by the individual who will be signing the forms on the beneficial owner's behalf.					
EU CORPORATE- CERTIFICATE OF RESIDENCY	Must be original COR for the tax year of the dividend provided that that form is dated prior to the pay date and mentions that the beneficial owner is subject to "Article 2 of Directive 90/435/EEC July 1990"					
EU PENSION - CERTIFICATE OF RESIDENCY	Must be original COR for the tax year of the dividend provided that that form is dated prior to the pay date and mentions that the beneficial owner is subject to "Article 1 of Directive 95/208/EEC September 1973"					
FUND - CERTIFICATE	Must be original COR for the tax year of the dividend confirming that the beneficial owner is either (i) foreign undertakings for collective investment that comply with directive 2009/65/EC, or (ii) foreign undertakings for collective investment that do not fall within the scope of directive 2009/65/EC but whose asset manager is subject to regulatory supervision according to directive 2011/61/EU, provided that in both case (i) and (ii) the foreign undertaking for collective investment is organized under the laws of an EU member state or an EEA state that is included in the white list.					
IRS FORM 6166	Must be certified for the tax year of the dividend, dated prior to the payment date, and contain the wording "for purposes of U.S. taxation"					
LIMITED POWER OF ATTORNEY	If the Form A is signed by an authorized representative, a copy of a Power of Attorney (POA), Trust Agreement, or Custody Agreement must also be submitted.					

# **ESP**



Computershare offers <u>ESP</u> powered by GlobeTax, an electronic withholding tax submission system. This system allows for the secure and simplified transfer of beneficial owner level data from the Participant to GlobeTax and creates applicable documentation on the Participants' behalf.

Submit the data online through the web site below, print out the documents on letterhead, sign them, and mail them to GlobeTax, along with the necessary required documents.

These claims should be submitted through the following website.

# https://ESP.GlobeTax.com

Please contact us via the ESP Service Desk at 212-747-9100 if you have any questions about this process.

CONTACT DETAILS					
INTERNATIONAL PHONE	1-212-747-9100				
INTERNATIONAL FAX	1-212-747-0029				
GROUP EMAIL	ITALYESP@GLOBETAX.COM				
COMPANY	GLOBETAX SERVICES INC.				
STREET ADDRESS	ONE NEW YORK PLAZA, 34 <sup>TH</sup> FLOOR				
CITY/STATE/ZIP	NEW YORK, NY 10004				

# FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQs)

## **GENERAL QUESTIONS**

Will the transfer agent accept claims filed directly to it by beneficial owners?

The transfer agent only accepts claims filed by the DTC participant which was holding the securities through DTC and only to the extent that DTC has reported these holdings to us as valid record date holding. Beneficial owners are required to file their claims through the custody chain to the DTC participant of record. All claims not received directly from the DTC participant will be returned to the beneficial owner.

Is the process for tax relief offered by Computershare, Inc. an optional process?

**Yes**, this is a discretionary, optional service.

FORMS AND ATTACHMENTS						
COVER LETTER	FORM A	POWER OF ATTORNEY				
COVER LETTER.pdf	FORM A.pdf	SELFCERT_POA.pdf				

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IN CONSIDERATION OF THE ASSISTANCE OF GLOBETAX AND THE ISSUER IN PROCESSING SUCH CLAIMS, THE PARTICIPANT EXPRESSLY AGREES THAT NEITHER GLOBETAX NOR THE ISSUER NOR ANY OF THEIR AGENTS OR AFFILIATES SHALL HAVE ANY LIABILITY FOR, AND SHALL INDEMNIFY, DEFEND AND HOLD THE ISSUER AND ITS RESPECTIVE AGENTS AND AFFILIATES HARMLESS FROM AND AGAINST, ANY AND ALL LOSS, LIABILITY, DAMAGE, JUDGMENT, SETTLEMENT, FINE, PENALTY, DEMAND, CLAIM, COST OR EXPENSE (INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION FEES AND EXPENSES OF DEFENDING ITSELF OR ENFORCING THIS AGREEMENT) ARISING OUT OF OR IN CONNECTION HEREWITH. THE PARTICIPANT FURTHER AGREES THAT THEIR OBLIGATIONS HEREUNDER SHALL BE FREE FROM ALL DEFENSES.