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2015 Company, Trust or Partnership Tax Return Checklist

Name of taxpayer: _____

Address: _____

Preferred contact no.: _____

Information Required	Information Provided	Not Applicable
Income		
Accounting information, including trial balance, profit and loss (P&L) and balance sheet	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Asset register detailing depreciable assets bought and sold or scrapped during the year	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cashbook (if maintained)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Copies of sell notes and settlement statements for shares sold (and original contract notes and settlement statements if possible)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Copies of sell notes for units in managed funds sold (and original purchase notes if possible)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of any other income such as rental income	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of any other investment income	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of any subsidies, grants and payments received	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of interest and repayments received from shareholders	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of proceeds from disposal of capital assets	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Managed funds distribution statements, annual tax statements and capital gains statements	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dividend statements	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Deductions		
Details of advertising and marketing expenses	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of bad debts actually written off during the year	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of bonuses and commissions paid to employees	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of bonuses and commissions paid to external parties	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Details of bonuses paid to directors	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of borrowing costs for new loans entered into during the year	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of directors' fees	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of donations of \$2 and over to registered charities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of entertainment expenses	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of expenses incurred during the year that were associated with establishing, expanding, merging or liquidating the entity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of fringe benefits tax (FBT) paid (and a copy of the FBT return lodged)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of interest on loans	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of lease expenses for motor vehicles, premises and equipment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of legal expenses	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of lump sum payments (including for retirement and redundancy)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of motor vehicle expenses	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of prepayments	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of professional subscriptions and journals	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of rates, land taxes and insurance premiums	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of repairs and maintenance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of research and development activities and expenses	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of royalties paid	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of salaries paid, including fringe benefits (provide PAYG summaries)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of superannuation contributions for directors	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of superannuation contributions for employees	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of tax and accounting and audit fees paid	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of any assets purchased, including date of purchase and amount	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of travel expenses (provide travel diaries)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Balance Sheet – Assets		
Asset register detailing depreciable assets bought and sold or scrapped during the year	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bank statements	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cheque book butts and deposit books	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Copies of confirmation of any units in managed funds purchased	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Copies of contract notes and settlement statements for any shares purchased	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of any other investments purchased	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of capital assets purchased during the year	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of leases entered into and terminated during the year	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of loans, payments, forgiveness of debts, or provision for use of assets to shareholders or their associates	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of work-in-progress	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Listing of trade debtors with amounts outstanding	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Value of stock as at 30 June 2014 (and basis of valuation)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Balance Sheet – Liabilities		
Accrued expenses (eg audit fees and bonuses) and unearned revenue	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of all loans	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Listing of trade creditors with amounts owing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Provisions for long service leave and annual leave	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Statements from lending authorities detailing the opening and closing balances of existing loans during the financial year	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Balance Sheet – Equity		
Details of any changes to shareholding	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of loans from shareholders or partners	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of any increase or decrease in reserves	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Addition Information – Company		
Auditor's report (if applicable)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Copies of Instalment Activity Statements and/or Business Activity Statements lodged for the income year	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Copies of minutes of company meetings	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of any share buy-backs or share cancellations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Additional Information – Trust		
Copies of Instalment Activity Statements and/or Business Activity Statements lodged for the income year	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Copies of minutes of trustee meetings, in particular distribution resolutions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Copy of trust deed or any amendments during year, if not already supplied	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of any units redeemed or issued during the year (for a unit trust)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of any unpaid present entitlements to beneficiaries or associate private companies	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Details of any elections eg family trust election, interposed entity election	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If closely held trust, any relevant notices eg tax file number (TFN) report, trustee beneficiary (TB) statement	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Additional Information – Partnership		
Copies of Instalment Activity Statements and/or Business Activity Statements lodged for the income year	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Copies of minutes of partnership meetings	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Copy of partnership agreement	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If the partnership was restructured during the year, please provide details	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Additional Information – All Entities		
If you have any doubts about any income or expenses that the entity has received or incurred, bring the documents in with you	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Any other information that you think is relevant	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>