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(A) Unrelated persons. During 1986, the sales on account to unrelated persons totaled \$6,000. On the last day of each of the months of 1986, F had total receivables from unrelated persons from sales of export properties A and B, as follows:

January 31	\$1,400
February 28	1,400
March 31	1,000
April 30	1,000
May 31	1,200
June 30	1,300
July 31	1,000
August 31	1,300
September 30	1,500
October 31	1,100
November 30	1,200
December 31	1,000

14,400

Carrying charges for 1986 with unrelated persons under the optional method of subdivision (iii) of this answer will be \$19.23, computed as follows:

Step 1: Determine the average short-term, monthly Federal rate for the year. For purposes of this example, the rate is assumed to be 9%.

Step 2: Determine the average receivables for the year. This average is calculated by totaling the end of the month receivables balance of each month of the year and dividing by twelve. In this example, the average monthly receivables balance is \$1,200, calculated as follows:

\$1.200=\$14.400/12

Step 3: Determine the number of times the receivables turn over during the year. This is calculated by dividing the sales on account for the year by the average monthly receivables balance for the year. For purposes of this example, receivables turned over 5 times for 1986, computed as follows:

$$5 = \frac{\$6,000}{\$1,200}$$

Step 4: Determine the number of days the average receivables are outstanding in excess of 60 days. In this example, there are 13 receivable days in excess of 60 days, computed as follows:

$$13 \,\mathrm{days} = \left(\frac{365}{5}\right) - 60 \,\mathrm{days}$$

Step 5: The amount of carrying charges, \$19.23, is calculated by using the following equation:

CC=(AR) (I/365) (X)(Y)

CC=Carrying charges

AR=Average monthly receivables balance for the taxable year (step 2)

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I=The average short-term monthly Federal rate for the year (step 1)

X=The number of times receivables turn over in the year (step 3)

Y=The number of days the average receivables are outstanding over 60 days (step 4). CC=\$19.23=(\$1,200) (.09/365) (5) (13)

(B) Related persons. Carrying charges, if any, on the sales on account to related persons must be computed separately using this optional method.

Q-3. Is a discount from the sales price of property or services for prompt payment considered to be stated carrying charges as defined in subdivision (ii)(A) of Q&A 9 of §1.921-2?

A-3. No.

Q-4. Is the receipt of an arm's length factoring payment from an unrelated person considered a payment of the sales proceeds for purposes of determining whether payment is made within the normal payment period and the possible imposition of carrying charges?  $A-\overline{4}$ . Yes.

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## 27(d)–2T Temporary regulations; definitions and special rules relat-§1.927(d)-2T Temporary ing to Foreign Sales Corporation.

(a) Definition of related supplier. For purposes of sections 921 through 927 and the regulations under those sections, the term "related supplier" means a related party which directly supplies to a FSC any property or services which the FSC disposes of in a transaction producing foreign trading gross receipts, or a related party which uses the FSC as a commission agent in the disposition of any property or services producing foreign trading gross re-ceipts. A FSC may have different related suppliers with respect to different transactions. If, for example, X owns all the stock of Y, a corporation, and of F, a FSC, and X sells a product to Y which is resold to F, only Y is the re-lated supplier of F. If, however, X sells directly to F and Y also sells directly to F, then, as to the transactions involving direct sales to F, each of X and Y is a related supplier of F.

(b) *Definition of related party.* The term "related party" means a person which is owned or controlled directly or indirectly by the same interests as the FSC within the meaning of section 482 and §1.482–1(a).

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