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Manitoba Retail Sales Tax (“PST”) Rate Decreases to 7%

Introduction

Dear Valued Clients and Colleagues:

The Manitoba government announced in its 2019 budget that its PST rate will be decreased from 8% to 7%, effective July 1, 2019.

The tables below sets out the general Canadian sales tax rates for each province as at July 1, 2019:

Province	GST/HST Rate	PST Rate
Newfoundland & Labrador	15%	N/A
Nova Scotia	15%	N/A
Prince Edward Island	15%	N/A
New Brunswick	15%	N/A
Quebec	5%	9.975%
Ontario	13%	N/A
Manitoba	5%	Before July 1, 2019: 8% On or after July 1, 2019: 7%
Saskatchewan	5%	6%
Alberta	5%	N/A
British Columbia	5%	7%
Yukon and the Territories	5%	N/A

Transitional rules will also apply relating to the decrease in the Manitoba PST rate.

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