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www.gov.uk/guidance/get- confirmation-from-hmrc-that-you-are- trading-in-the-uk	Update on issue of certificates of status for UK businesses	Jul 22 4.5.1
www.gov.uk/guidance/how-to-value- goods-for-import-vat	Guidance on transactions involving Northern Ireland	Jul 22 4.3.1
www.gov.uk/guidance/mini-umbrella- company-fraud	Updated guidance on "mini umbrella company fraud"	Jul 22 6.9.2
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www.mynewsdesk.com/uk/hm- revenue-customs- hmrc/pressreleases/17-pounds- million-scrap-metal-fraudsters-jailed- 3175353	Sentencing of participants in MTIC fraud	Jul 22 6.9.4
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https://www.gov.uk/guidance/how-to-apply-for-a-repayment-of-import-duty-and-vat-if-youve-overpaid-c285	Updated guidance confirming VAT- registered importers must make any adjustment through their VAT return	Oct 22 4.3.4
https://www.gov.uk/guidance/nhs- bodies-partial-exemption-framework	Updated edition of the VAT partial exemption framework for NHS bodies	Oct 22 5.3.1
https://www.gov.uk/government/public ations/the-growth-plan-2022-	VAT-free shopping scheme to be (re)-introduced	Oct 22 5.8.5

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https://www.gov.uk/government/public ations/agent-update-issue-100/issue- 100-of-agent-update#g-form	The default option for reporting errors in a VAT return will be via the new online "G-form".	Oct 22 6.2.3
https://www.gov.uk/government/news/museums-and-galleries-urged-to-sign-up-for-vat-refund-to-support-free-entry-for-the-public	Museums and galleries encouraged to apply for the VAT refund scheme for	Oct 22 6.4.2

2 Statute and other Parliamentary material

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SI 2022/361	Scope of relief for installation of energy-saving materials extended and made zero-rated for 5 years	Apr 22 2.4.1
SI 2022/548	Value Added Tax (Reverse Charge Sales Statements) (Revocation, Saving and Transitional Provision) Regulations 2022	Jul 22 6.6.1
https://www.gov.uk/government/news/ the-retained-eu-law-revocation-and- reform-bill-2022	The Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Bill introduced to Parliament	Oct 22 6.9.3
https://bills.parliament.uk/bills/2979	Private Member's Bill to try to remove VAT from wider range of children's clothing	Jul 22 6.9.6
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www.gov.uk/government/news/hmrc- late-payment-interest-rates-to-be- revised-after-bank-of-england- increases-base-rate2	Changes to late payment interest rates	Apr 22 6.3.1
www.gov.uk/government/publications/ rates-and-allowances-hmrc-interest- rates-for-late-and-early- payments/rates-and-allowances-hmrc-	Changes to late payment interest rates	Apr 22 6.3.1

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www.cps.gov.uk/cps/news/three- fraudsters-sentenced-scamming- taxpayer-out-over-ps1-million	Jail terms for fraudulent VAT claims	Jul 22 6.9.4
www.cps.gov.uk/mersey- cheshire/news/take-away-boss-jailed- fraudulent-tax-returns-and-benefit- claims	Takeaway owner jailed for VAT fraud	Jul 22 6.9.4
www.judiciary.uk/announcements/pra ctice-statement-for-the-first-tier- tribunal-tax-chamber-witness- summonses-and-orders-to-produce- documents	Guidance about obtaining witness summonses in FTT	Jul 22 6.8.1
www.judiciary.uk/publications/practic e-direction-for-the-first-tier-tribunal- tax-chamber-allocation-of-cases-to- categories-in-the-tax-chamber/	Explanation of how appeals are categorised for FTT hearings	Jul 22 6.8.1
www.judiciary.uk/wp- content/uploads/2022/04/FTT-Tax- Chamber-guidance-Oral-Evidence- from-Abroad.pdf	Guidance on obtaining evidence for FTT from people who are abroad at the time	Jul 22 6.8.1

4 Case law: Court of Justice of the European Union

CJEU (A-G) (Case C-1/21): MC v Direktor na Direktsia 'Obzhalvane i danachno-osiguritelna praktika' Veliko Tarnovo pri Tsentralno upravlenie na Natsionalnata agentsia za prihodite	Liability of directors who appear to have extracted funds from company so it could not pay VAT	Jul 22 4.4.8
CJEU (A-G) (Case C-141/20): Finanzamt Kiel v Norddeutsche Gesellschaft für Diakonie mbH	A-G considers German group registration rules to be in breach of PVD	Apr 22 6.1.2
CJEU (A-G) (Case C-227/21): 'HA.EN.' UAB v Valstybinė mokesčių inspekcija	Purchase of goods from insolvent company was not within <i>Kittel</i> principle, but might not give rise to deduction entitlement for other reasons	Jul 22 4.4.3
CJEU (A-G) (Case C-235/21): Raiffeisen Leasing v Republic of Slovenia	A-G considers it possible that a contract could serve as a VAT invoice if it contained the right information	Jul 22 4.4.1
CJEU (A-G) (Case C-250/21): SzefKrajowej Administracji Skarbowej v O. Fundusz Inwestycyjny Zamknięty	Application of financial exemption to unusual financing arrangement considered	Jul 22 2.3.1

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CJEU (Case C-146/21): DirecţiaGenerală Regională a Finanţelor Publice Bucureşţi – Administraţia Sector 1 a Finanţelor Publice v Direcţia Generalā Regionalā a Finanţelor Publice Bucureşti - Serviciul Soluţionare Contestaţii 1	Romanian optional reverse charge mechanism considered	Jul 22 4.4.9
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CJEU (Case C-714/20): U.I. Srl v Agenzia delle dogane e dei monopoli – Ufficio delle dogane di Venezia	Rules on customs debt of customs representative considered	Jul 22 4.4.2
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5 Other European material

https://ec.europa.eu/commission/press corner/detail/en/IP_22_924	Proposing of VAT waiver for joint defence procurement projects	Apr 22 4.4.2
https://ec.europa.eu/info/publications/ first-meeting-trade-specialised- committee-vat-administrative- cooperation-and-recovery-taxes_en	First meeting of the Trade Specialised Committee on VAT Administrative Cooperation and Recovery of Taxes	Apr 22 4.3.1

6 Case law: House of Lords/Supreme Court

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Upper Tribunal: <i>HMRC v Netbusters</i> (UK) Limited	Hiring of sports pitches a single supply of land	Oct 22 3.1.1
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Upper Tribunal: HBOS plc and another v HMRC	Questions of what can be appealed by person who won in the FTT	Jul 22 6.8.5
Upper Tribunal: HMRC v AML Tax (UK) Ltd	Disclosure of tax avoidance schemes rules considered	Jul 22 6.9.3
Upper Tribunal: HMRC v Chelmsford City Council	FTT decision that local authority was supplying sporting services within "special legal regime" upheld	Jul 22 2.1.2
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