26 U.S. Code § 331. Gain or loss to shareholder in corporate liquidations

U.S. Code Notes

(a) DISTRIBUTIONS IN COMPLETE LIQUIDATION TREATED AS EXCHANGES

Amounts received by a <u>shareholder</u> in a distribution in complete liquidation of a <u>corporation</u> shall be treated as in full<u>payment</u> in exchange for the <u>stock</u>.

(b) NONAPPLICATION OF SECTION 301

Section 301 (relating to effects on <u>shareholder</u> of distributions of <u>property</u>) shall not apply to any distribution of <u>property</u> (other than a distribution referred to in paragraph (2)(B) of section 316(b)) in complete liquidation.

(C) CROSS REFERENCE

For general rule for <u>determination</u> of the amount of <u>gain</u> or <u>loss</u> recognized, <u>see</u> section 1001.

(Aug. 16, 1954, ch. 736, 68A Stat. 101; Pub. L. 88-272, title II, § 225(f)(2), Feb. 26, 1964, 78 Stat. 88;

<u>Pub. L. 94–455, title XIX</u>, §1901(b)(28)(A), Oct. 4, 1976, <u>90 Stat. 1799</u>; <u>Pub. L. 97–248, title II</u>, §222(a), (e)(1)(B), Sept. 3, 1982, <u>96 Stat. 478</u>, 480; <u>Pub. L. 115–141, div. U, title IV</u>, §401(a)(63), Mar. 23, 2018, <u>132 Stat. 1187</u>.)

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