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In France, companies making donations to eligible charitable organizations can benefit from a tax reduction of up to 60% of the donation amount, provided certain conditions are met.

☑ Key Conditions for the 60% Tax Reduction

- 1. **Eligible Beneficiaries**: The donation must be made to an organization recognized as serving the public interest, such as those with a humanitarian, cultural, educational, or scientific purpose.
- 2. **No Direct Counterpart**: The donation should not result in a direct benefit to the company, ensuring the donation is genuinely philanthropic.
- 3. **Issuance of a "Reçu Fiscal"**: The recipient organization must provide a "reçu fiscal" (tax receipt) to the donor company. This document serves as proof of the donation and is necessary for claiming the tax reduction.
- 4. **Taxable Limitations**: The total amount of donations eligible for the tax reduction is capped at either €20,000 or 0.5% of the company's annual turnover (whichever is higher). Donations exceeding this limit can be carried forward and deducted in the following five fiscal years. Ministère de la Culture+3Ma générosité+3impots.gouv.fr+3
- 5. **Documentation Requirements**: Since January 1, 2022, companies must retain and present to the tax authorities, upon request, documents justifying the reality of the donations, including the "reçu fiscal" .Compta Online

Example: €5,000 Donation by a French Company

- Company turnover (hypothetical): €1 million per year
- Maximum eligible donation for tax reduction: 0.5% of €1,000,000 = €5,000

▼ Tax Credit Calculation:

- **Donation made**: €5,000
- Tax reduction (60%): 60% of €5,000 = €3,000
- Actual cost therefore of only €2000

What the Company Needs:

- A valid "reçu fiscal" from the recipient organization
- Proof that the donation was without direct counterpart
- Record of the donation in accounting

Importance of the "Reçu Fiscal"

The "reçu fiscal" is crucial for substantiating the donation during tax assessments. It must include specific information, such as: Economy Ministry+2cogedis.com+2Compta Online+2

- The donor's and recipient's details.
- The donation amount.
- The date of the donation.
- A statement confirming the absence of any direct benefit to the donor.

This receipt ensures the company can claim the tax reduction and serves as evidence in case of an audit.