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Taxation Ruling IT 2214 is withdrawn with effect from today.

- 1. Taxation Ruling IT 2214 provides guidelines for the exercise of the Commissioner's discretion to remit the statutory penalty for late lodgment of income tax returns, where a person voluntarily lodges outstanding returns.
- 2. A uniform administrative penalty regime was introduced for the 2000-2001 and later income years, and the penalty for failing to lodge a document on time (under Division 286 of Schedule 1 to the *Taxation Administration Act 1953*) is now calculated by reference to penalty units, rather than the relevant tax liability.
- 3. Therefore this Ruling does not have application to income tax years after the 1999-2000 income year.

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