

**Reprint
as at 8 March 2021**



**COVID-19 Resurgence Support Payments Scheme
(February 2021) Order 2021
(LI 2021/12)**

COVID-19 Resurgence Support Payments Scheme (February 2021) Order 2021: revoked, on 8 March 2021, by clause 8 of the COVID-19 Resurgence Support Payments Scheme (March 2021) Order 2021 (LI 2021/33).

Patsy Reddy, Governor-General

Order in Council

At Wellington this 22nd day of February 2021

Present:

The Right Hon Jacinda Ardern presiding in Council

This order is made under section 7AAC of the Tax Administration Act 1994 on the advice and with the consent of the Executive Council.

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Note

Changes authorised by subpart 2 of Part 2 of the Legislation Act 2012 have been made in this official reprint.
Note 4 at the end of this reprint provides a list of the amendments incorporated.

This order is administered by the Inland Revenue Department.

Order

1 Title

This order is the COVID-19 Resurgence Support Payments Scheme (February 2021) Order 2021.

2 Commencement

This order comes into force on 23 February 2021.

3 Interpretation

(1) In this order, unless the context otherwise requires,—

7-day period means a period of 7 consecutive days

Commissioner means the Commissioner of Inland Revenue

CRSP scheme means the COVID-19 resurgence support payment scheme (February 2021)

full-time equivalent worker means a person who is an employee and who regularly works 20 or more hours a week

part-time equivalent worker means a person who is an employee and who regularly works less than 20 hours per week

specified person means—

- (a) an individual who is self-employed:
- (b) a body corporate or an unincorporated body:
- (c) a registered charity:
- (d) an incorporated society:
- (e) a post-settlement governance entity:
- (f) a trust:
- (g) a partnership (as defined in sections 8 and 9 of the Partnership Law Act 2019):
- (h) any department of state or organisation in the state services (as defined in section 5 of the Public Service Act 2020) that is approved by the Minister of Finance as a participant in the CRSP scheme:
- (i) a non-government organisation:
- (j) a pre-revenue firm:
- (k) a joint venture.

(2) For the purposes of this order, a **part-time equivalent worker** must be treated as 0.6 of a full-time equivalent worker.

4 Activation and operation of CRSP scheme

- (1) The CRSP scheme is activated on 23 February 2021.
- (2) The CRSP scheme operates on and after 23 February 2021 until 1 month after all areas of New Zealand return to COVID-19 alert level 1.

5 Eligible persons for grant

A specified person living, or if a non-natural person registered or otherwise established, in New Zealand is eligible to receive a grant of money under the CRSP scheme if—

- (a) the person has a minimum 30% decline in revenue in relation to their business or organisation, which is calculated by comparing the following:
 - (i) the revenue received by the person during a 7-day period nominated by the person—
 - (A) in accordance with the eligibility criteria set by the Commissioner; and
 - (B) which period must be during the period starting on or after 15 February 2021 and ending immediately before all areas of New Zealand return to COVID-19 alert level 1:
 - (ii) the revenue received by the person during a 7-day period nominated by the person—
 - (A) in accordance with eligibility criteria set by the Commissioner; and
 - (B) which period must be during the comparator period set by the Commissioner that applies to that person's business or organisation; and
- (b) the person has been operating the business or organisation in relation to which the revenue is received for a period of at least 6 months before 15 February 2021.

6 Amount of grant

- (1) An eligible person is eligible for 1 payment only, which is the lesser of the following:
 - (a) \$1,500 plus an additional amount of \$400 for each full-time equivalent worker employed by the person (up to a maximum of 50 full-time equivalent workers); or
 - (b) 4 times the amount by which the eligible person's revenue has declined (as calculated in accordance with clause 5 and declared by the person in their application).
- (2) For the purposes of calculating the number of full-time equivalent workers employed by a person, the number of full-time and part-time workers must be

Reprints notes

1 *General*

This is a reprint of the COVID-19 Resurgence Support Payments Scheme (February 2021) Order 2021 that incorporates all the amendments to that order as at the date of the last amendment to it.

2 *Legal status*

Reprints are presumed to correctly state, as at the date of the reprint, the law enacted by the principal enactment and by any amendments to that enactment. Section 18 of the Legislation Act 2012 provides that this reprint, published in electronic form, has the status of an official version under section 17 of that Act. A printed version of the reprint produced directly from this official electronic version also has official status.

3 *Editorial and format changes*

Editorial and format changes to reprints are made using the powers under sections 24 to 26 of the Legislation Act 2012. See also <http://www.pco.parliament.govt.nz/editorial-conventions/>.

4 *Amendments incorporated in this reprint*

COVID-19 Resurgence Support Payments Scheme (March 2021) Order 2021: clause 8