

EMPLOYMENT AND SERVICES TAX (AMENDMENT TO SCHEDULE) REGULATIONS 2021

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The Cabinet makes the following Regulations under Section 29 of the Employment and Services Tax Act 2014:

1 Citation

These Regulations may be cited as the *Employment and Services Tax* (Amendment to Schedule) Regulations 2021.

2 Commencement

These Regulations come into effect on the day they are notified in the Gazette.

3 Amendment of the Employment and Services Tax Act 2014

These Regulations amend the Employment and Services Tax Act 2014.

4 Amendment of Schedule

The Schedule of the Act is omitted and substituted with the following:

SCHEDULE

[Sections 11 and 12]

RATES OF TAX

- (1) The rates of employment tax applicable to a resident individual are:
 - (a) for a monthly pay period:

Monthly Employment Income	Rate
\$0 - \$8,400	0%
Above \$8,400	20%

(b) for a fortnightly pay period:

Fortnightly Employment Income	Rate
\$0 - \$3,870	0%
Above \$3,870	20%

(c) for a weekly pay period:

Weekly Employment Income	Rate
\$0 - \$1,935	0%
Above \$1,935	20%

- (d) for an employee with a pay period other than monthly, fortnightly or weekly, the rate or rates, advised by the Secretary to the employer of the employee under Section 17(3).
- (2) The rates of employment tax applicable are:
 - (a) for non-resident individuals engaged as employees in respect of employment in connection with the Regional Processing Centre is 30%;
 - (b) for non-resident individuals engaged as employees by the Republic or a State-owned enterprise as expatriate employees, where annual employment income is:
 - (i) 0 \$20,000 rate is 0%; and
 - (ii) above \$20,000 rate is 20%; and
 - (c) for any other non-resident is 20%.
- (3) The rates of services tax applicable to a resident individual are:
 - (a) for a monthly payment period:

Monthly Services Income	Rate
\$0 - \$8,400	0%
Above \$8,400	20%

(b) for a fortnightly payment period:

Fortnightly Services Income	Rate
\$0 - \$3,870	0%
Above \$3,870	20%

(c) for a weekly payment period:

Weekly Services Income	Rate
\$0 - \$1,935	0%
Above \$1,935	20%

- (4) The rates of services tax applicable are:
 - (a) for non-resident persons providing services to or in connection with the Regional Processing Centre is 30%;
 - (b) for non-resident individuals providing services to the Republic or a Stateowned enterprise, where annual services income is:
 - (i) 0 \$20,000 rate is 0%; and

- (ii) above \$20,000 rate is 20%; and
- (c) for any other non-resident person providing services is 20%.
- (5) For the purpose of these Regulations, 'Regional Processing Centre' has the same meaning as contained in the Asylum Seekers (Regional Processing Centre) Act 2012.