Business support payments — South Australia FEDERATION FUNDING AGREEMENT - AFFORDABLE HOUSING, COMMUNITY SERVICES AND OTHER

Table 1: Formalities and operation of Schedule		
Parties	Commonwealth South Australia	
Duration	This Schedule is expected to expire on 30 June 2022.	
Purpose	This Schedule will support the delivery of business support packages (the packages) to eligible South Australian businesses financially impacted by lockdowns due to COVID-19. Details of each package can be found in the relevant appendix to this Schedule.	
	Implementation and compliance will be managed by South Australia.	
Reporting arrangements	At the conclusion of each support package, South Australia must provide a report to the Commonwealth that includes:	
	<ul> <li>total number of unique applications received, total number of unique applications paid, total value of applications paid</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>total value of payments already made to businesses that were subsequently found, to have been ineligible for support under this scheme; and</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>a statement of assurance confirming that the money has been disbursed to applicants in accordance with the criteria set out in the appendices to the Schedule.</li> </ul>	
	The data should be broken down by each element of each support package as set out in the appendices to the Schedule.	
	The final reports should be provided to the Commonwealth as soon as practicable after the conclusion of each package.	
	The Commonwealth may request additional data on the support packages in writing.	
Estimated financial contributions	The Commonwealth's financial contributions under each package will be set out in the appendices to this Schedule.	

	Payments to South Australia will be made following the conclusion of each package based on the final reports provided by South Australia.
Additional terms	South Australia agrees to implement each package in accordance with the parameters outlined in the Appendix.
	Where businesses that received a support payment are later found to have been ineligible, South Australia will repay the Commonwealth's financial contributions towards those businesses where the funding has been recovered.
	Repayments to the Commonwealth may be managed by either the Commonwealth reducing a future payment to South Australia under this Schedule by the relevant amount, or by the Commonwealth invoicing South Australia for the relevant amount.
	Sole traders who receive business support through the programs listed in the appendices will not be eligible to receive the COVID-19 Disaster Payment for the same relevant period.

The Parties have confirmed their commitment to this Schedule as follows:

**Signed** for and on behalf of the Commonwealth of Australia by

The Honourable Josh Frydenberg MP
Treasurer of the Commonwealth of Australia

December 2021

**Signed** for and on behalf of the State of South Australia by

The Honourable Rob Lucas MLC Treasurer of the State of South Australia

31/12/21

# Appendix A: South Australia business support announced 9 August 2021

- This appendix to the Business support payments South Australia Schedule (the Schedule) supports the delivery of the South Australia Business Support Package announced on 9 August 2021 (this package). This package (known as the South Australia COVID-19 Additional Business Support Grant) will give South Australian small and medium sized businesses further financial support as they continue to recover from the recent lockdown. The package has an estimated value of \$18 million.
- 2. The Commonwealth will reimburse South Australia 50 per cent of all payments made to eligible businesses under this package.
- 3. Payment to South Australia will be made following the provision of a report in relation to this package that satisfies the requirements outlined in the Schedule.
- 4. In agreeing to this appendix, South Australia agrees to implement this package, for the listed programs, in accordance with the parameters and eligibility criteria detailed below.

#### Grants

- 5. There are two types of grants available:
  - 5.1. \$3,000 for employing businesses
  - 5.2. \$1,000 for non-employing businesses
- 6. A further \$1,000 will be available for eligible businesses (employing and non-employing) with a commercial premise in the Adelaide CBD.

#### Eligibility criteria

- 7. Eligible businesses for both grants must, as at the start of the restriction period (12:01 am, Wednesday 28 July 2021):
  - 7.1. Have a valid and active Australian business number (ABN) and were carrying on the operation of a business in South Australia;
  - 7.2. Be registered for the GST;
  - 7.3. have an Australia-wide grouped payroll of less than \$10 million in the 2019-20 financial year;
  - 7.4. operate in an eligible industry sector identified in the list of eligible ANZSIC classes (see Attachment A), and
  - 7.5. have experienced at least a 30 per cent reduction in turnover over the two weeks from 28 July 2021 (the commencement date of the trading restriction) compared to average fortnightly turnover in the June quarter 2021 (prior to restrictions) due to the restricted trading conditions.
    - 7.5.1. Businesses must be able to provide evidence of this reduction in turnover if requested and retain these records for 2 years from the date the grant was approved.
    - 7.5.2. Applications may be subject to audit.
    - 7.5.3. Where multiple non-employing businesses meeting the eligibility criteria are controlled by one individual, company, partnership, or trustee, funding will be restricted to one grant for all non-employing businesses controlled by the individual, company, partnership or trustee.

This Appendix was agreed by the Commonwealth and South Australia when the overarching Schedule was signed.

# Appendix B: South Australia business support announced 13 September 2021

- This appendix to the Business support payments South Australia Schedule (the Schedule) supports the delivery of the South Australia Business Support Package announced on 13 September 2021 (this package). This new package includes the COVID-19 Tourism and Hospitality Support Grant and COVID-19 Business Hardship Grant. It will give South Australian small and medium tourism and hospitality related businesses impacted by on-going trading restrictions and border closures, further financial support. The package has an estimated value of \$15 million.
- 2. The Commonwealth will reimburse South Australia 50 per cent of all payments made to eligible businesses under this package.
- 3. Payment to South Australia will be made following the provision of a report in relation to this package that satisfies the requirements outlined in the Schedule.
- 4. In agreeing to this appendix, South Australia agrees to implement this package, for the listed programs, in accordance with the parameters and eligibility criteria detailed below.

#### COVID-19 Tourism and Hospitality Support Grant

#### Grants

- 5. There are four types of top up grants available:
  - 5.1. \$1,000 for non-employing businesses
  - 5.2. \$3,000 for employing businesses with turnover less than \$2 million
  - 5.3. \$10,000 for employing businesses with turnover of greater than \$2 million
  - 5.4. \$20,000 for employing businesses with turnover of greater than \$5 million
- These payments are on top of grants already received under the COVID-19 Additional Business Support Grant.

#### Eligibility criteria

7. The COVID-19 Tourism and Hospitality Support Grant is available for businesses in eligible tourism and hospitality sectors (and other sectors such as performing arts, creative artists, taxis and car rental – see Attachment B) that have already received the COVID-19 Additional Support Grant.

#### COVID-19 Business Hardship Grant

#### Grants

- 8. There are two types of grants available:
  - 8.1. \$2,000 for non-employing businesses
  - 8.2. \$6,000 for employing businesses with annual Australia wide grouped payroll of less than \$10 million in 2019-20.

#### Eligibility criteria

- 9. The COVID-19 Business Hardship Grant is available for businesses that:
  - 9.1. have experienced a 50 per cent reduction in turnover over the eligible period (20 July 2021 to 31 August 2021 compared to 20 July 2019 to 31 August 2019 or relevant benchmark period); and
  - 9.2. have not received previous South Australian COVID-19 support packages launched on or after 20 July 2021; and
  - 9.3. Are located/operating in South Australia and have a valid Australian Business Number and are registered for GST.

# Attachment A – Eligible ANZSIC classes for the purposes of Appendix A

Hospitalit	y
<u>4511</u>	Cafes and Restaurant
4513	Catering Services
4520	Pubs, Taverns and Bars
4530	Clubs (Hospitality)
Arts, even	ts and other services
5511	Motion Picture and Video Production
5513	Motion Picture Exhibition
5522	Music and Other Sound Recording Activities
6619	Other Motor Vehicle and Transport Equipment Rental and Hiring
6631	Heavy Machinery and Scaffolding Rental and Hiring
6632	Video and Other Electronic Media Rental and Hiring
6639	Other Goods and Equipment Rental and Hiring n.e.c
5004	Professional Photographic Services (e.g. wedding and events photographers
<u>6991</u>	videographers)
7299	Other Administrative Services n.e.c (e.g. events management / organisers)
9001	Performing Arts Operation
9002	Creative Artists, Musicians, Writers and Performers
9003	Performing Arts Venue Operation
9511	Hairdressing and Beauty Services
9539	Other personal services n.e.c. (e.g. wedding celebrants)
Transport	
4621	Interurban and Rural Bus Transport
4623	Taxi and Other Road Transport
4900	Air and Space Transport
5029	Other Transport n.e.c (e.g. ski lift, ski tow operators)
5299	Other Transport Support Services n.e.c
6611	Passenger Car Rental and Hiring
Tourism	
4400	Accommodation
4820	Water Passenger Transport
5010	Scenic and Sightseeing Transport
7220	Travel Agency and Tour Arrangement Services
8910	Museum Operations
8921	Zoological and Botanical Gardens Operations
8922	Nature Reserves and Conservation Park Operation
9131	Amusement Parks and Centres Operation
9139	Amusement and Other Recreational Activities n.e.c.
Services ar	nd Education
7311	Building and Other Industrial Cleaning Services
7712	Investigation and Security Services
7313	Gardening Services
8211	Sports and Physical Recreation Instruction
8212	Arts Education
8219	Adult, Community and Other Education n.e.c.
9111	Health and Fitness Centres and Gymnasia Operation
9112	Sports and Physical Recreation Clubs and Sports Professionals

9113	Sports and Physical Recreation Venues, Grounds and Facilities Operation	
9114	Sports and Physical Recreation Administrative Service	
9429	Other Machinery and Equipment Repair and Maintenance	
9491	Clothing and Footwear Repair	
9499	Other Repair and Maintenance n.e.c.	
9512	Diet and Weight Reduction Centre Operation	
9531	Laundry and Dry-Cleaning Services	
9532	Photographic Film Processing	
Non-essential retail		
3911	Car Retailing	
3912	Motor Cycle Retailing	
3913	Trailer and Other Motor Vehicle Retailing	
<u>3921</u>	Motor Vehicle Parts Retailing	
3922	Tyre Retailing	
4129	Other Specialised Food Retailing	
4211	Furniture Retailing	
4212	Floor Coverings Retailing	
4213	Houseware Retailing	
4214	Manchester and Other Textile Goods Retailing	
4221	Electrical, Electronic and Gas Appliance Retailing	
4222	Computer and Computer Peripheral Retailing	
4229	Other Electrical and Electronic Goods Retailing	
4232	Garden Supplies Retailing	
4241	Sport and Camping Equipment Retailing	
4242	Entertainment Media Retailing	
4243	Toy and Game Retailing	
4244	Newspaper and Book Retailing	
4245	Marine Equipment Retailing	
<u>4251</u>	Clothing Retailing	
4252	Footwear Retailing	
<u>4253</u>	Watch and Jewellery Retailing	
4259	Other Personal Accessory Retailing	
4260	Department Stores	
4272	Stationery Goods Retailing	
4273	Antique and Used Goods Retailing	
4274	Flower Retailing	
<u> 4279</u>	Other Store-Based Retailing n.e.c.	
4320	Retail Commission-Based Buying and / or Selling	
Health Care	e and Social Assistance	
8531	Dental Services	
<u>8532</u>	Optometry and Optical Dispensing	
8533	Physiotherapy Services	
8534	Chiropractic and Osteopathic Services	
<u>8539</u>	Other Allied Health Services	
3599	Other Health Care Services n.e.c.	

# Attachment B - Eligible ANZSIC classes for the purposes of Appendix B

# Hospitality 4511 Cafes and Restaurant 4513 **Catering Services** 4520 Pubs, Taverns and Bars 4530 Clubs (Hospitality) **Tourism** 4400 Accommodation Water Passenger Transport 4820 5010 Scenic and Sightseeing Transport 7220 Travel Agency and Tour Arrangement Services 8910 **Museum Operations** 8921 **Zoological and Botanical Gardens Operations** 8922 Nature Reserves and Conservation Park Operation 9131 **Amusement Parks and Centres Operation** 9139 Amusement and Other Recreational Activities n.e.c.

# Other 4623 Taxis and Other Road Transport 6611 Car rental and hiring 9001 Performing Arts Operation Creative Artists, Musicians, Writers and Performers Performing Arts Venue Operation