



Wage Subsidy Scheme – Strand 1

MAX WAGE SUBSIDY PER ANNUM = €12,776

HOURLY WAGE SUBSIDY RATE = € 6.30

15 – 39 Hours per Week

HOURS WORKED	Hourly	Weekly	Per Annum
15	6.30	94.50	4,914
16	6.30	100.80	5,241.60
17	6.30	107.10	5,569.20
18	6.30	113.40	5,881.20
19	6.30	119.70	6,224.40
20	6.30	126	6,552
21	6.30	132.30	6,879.60
22	6.30	138.60	7,207.20
23	6.30	144.90	7,534.80
24	6.30	151.20	7,862.40
25	6.30	157.50	8,190
26	6.30	163.80	8,517.50
27	6.30	170.10	8,845.20
28	6.30	176.40	9,172.80
29	6.30	182.70	9,500.40
30	6.30	189	9,828
31	6.30	195.30	10,155.60
32	6.30	201.60	10,483.20
33	6.30	207.90	10,810.80
34	6.30	214.20	11,138.40
35	6.30	220.50	11,466
36	6.30	226.80	11,793.60
37	6.30	233.10	12,121.20
38	6.30	239.40	12,448.80
39	6.30	245.70	12,776.40

Strand 2 - Bonus

3 to 6 WSS employees	10% top-up of wage subsidy paid
7 to 11 WSS employees	20% top-up of wage subsidy paid
12 to 16 WSS employees	30% top-up of wage subsidy paid
17 to 22 WSS employees	40% top-up of wage subsidy paid
23 +WSS employees	50% top-up of wage subsidy paid

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