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Domino's returns JobKeeper: thanks the Australian community for its support

Domino's Pizza Enterprises Ltd (the **Company**) will return JobKeeper assistance received by a subsidiary printing company during the early stages of the COVID-19 pandemic, and has thanked the Australian community for its ongoing support.

After widespread economic changes resulted in a sudden downturn in revenue, the printing company received \$792,000 in JobKeeper assistance in FY20.

In October 2020, Domino's confirmed it would not accept any further JobKeeper assistance, despite the subsidiary business's eligibility.

Domino's Group CEO and Managing Director Don Meij said the short-term assistance had served an important purpose – to keep employees connected to their employer where their work had stopped through no fault of their own.

Mr Meij said the return of JobKeeper assistance was consistent with the Company's approach throughout COVID-19.

"We have applied straightforward principles to navigate this pandemic: to put people first (both customers and team-members); to stand side-by-side with our franchisees; to listen to health experts; and to avoid relying on unnecessary government assistance.

"We appreciate the availability and support of JobKeeper during a period of significant uncertainty. That period has passed, the assistance package has served its purpose, and we return it to Australian taxpayers with our thanks¹.

"It has been a privilege to continue trading during this time, and we will continue to work hard every day to provide employment to tens of thousands of team members in Australia, and to provide hot, freshly prepared meals to customers and those in need – especially those on the frontline."

Throughout the pandemic Domino's has been busy giving back to the local communities in which they operate through several initiatives including Feeding the Frontline, hiring thousands of drivers when many lost their jobs and announcing a three-year partnership with suicide prevention charity, Lifeline through their registered charity, Give for Good to help support the increase of services to reach all Australians in crisis.

No executive has received short term incentives for the financial year where JobKeeper had contributed to their division's performance, Domino's confirmed at its October AGM.

A small number of independently-owned Domino's franchisees have separately received JobKeeper support. This was significantly offset in FY20 by \$6.8m, which the Company

¹ Note to analysts: The return of the JobKeeper payments has been provisioned in the Group 1H FY21 results with the repayment to occur in early H2 FY21.



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previously announced was to support Australian and New Zealand stores affected by rapid changes in customer ordering behaviour.

This information has been authorised for release by Group CEO & Managing Director, Don Meij.

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