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Welcome to yet another monthly newsletter, one in which you'll read during our country's most unsettling time as we continue with our nationwide Covid-19 lockdown.

So, I will be brief.

This pandemic is unprecedented – as many of you will appreciate – for two reasons: one; the impacts this global pandemic will have on our health and wellbeing, and two; the economic repercussions.

The environment has changed rapidly, and I expect it to continue for a while yet. So, we have prepared COVID-19-specific content for this newsletter to address some of your concerns.

Alongside that, if we follow the Government's official advice – to also stay safe and be kind – then I hope we will come out the other side relatively intact.

Importantly, if you or your business has been impacted by COVID-19 and the ensuing lockdown, please read our other material on the financial support the Government is offering as well as check the below links:

- [Business cashflow and tax measures factsheet](#)
- [COVID-19 leave and self-isolation support factsheet](#)
- [Wage subsidy scheme factsheet](#)
- [Income support factsheet](#)

And please be assured that CANZ will continue to work closely with government agencies and officials to express our concerns around the financial difficulties many of you members may be experiencing.

We plan to communicate regularly with you to ensure you're always up to date on the ever-changing scenario that is COVID-19.

I hope that you, your family and team keep safe and well through the coming days and weeks, too!

Thanks

Tony Gibson

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