



**MINISTRY OF FINANCE, ECONOMIC PLANNING  
AND DEVELOPMENT**

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**COMMUNIQUÉ**

**National COVID-19 Vaccination Programme Fund**

Government has set up the National COVID-19 Vaccination Programme Fund under the Finance and Audit Act to finance the implementation of the National COVID-19 Vaccination Programme.

**Bank Account**

In this context, the private sector, the public at large, international organisations, development partners and friendly countries are kindly invited to contribute to the Fund through the following bank accounts:

- (i) National COVID-19 Vaccination Programme Fund

State Bank of Mauritius Ltd

**Account No. 50300000705949**

- (ii) National COVID-19 Vaccination Programme Fund

Mauritius Commercial Bank Ltd

**Account No. 000 44 822 3163**

**Tax Relief**

To encourage the public and enterprises to contribute to the Fund, Government will allow them to deduct the amount contributed from their taxable income. In this context, the following will apply:

- (i) an individual will be able to claim the deduction in the income tax return of October 2021 for donation made up to 30 June 2021;
- (ii) any unrelieved deduction in the income year may be carried forward for a maximum period of two successive income years; and
- (iii) any company will be able to claim the deduction at time of submission of its income tax return.

For any information, you may contact the Secretary of the Fund on (+230) 260 1300 or [covidvaccinefund@govmu.org](mailto:covidvaccinefund@govmu.org).

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