



## မ့မတၢတဒီးန့ၣ်ဘၣ်တၢ်မၤန့ၣ်တၢ်သးလီၤပလီၢ်တခါအံၤအတၢ်လဲၣ်န့ၣ်လဲၣ်.

နတဒီးန့ၣ်ဘၣ်တၢ်သးလီၤပလီၢ်အလဲတခါအံၤဖဲနတဟ့ၣ်ကဒါက့ၤန့ၣ်ကမၤနီၣ်တခါဘၣ်အခါ,ဖဲတၢ်ဒုးသ့ၣ်ညါနၤလၢန အိၣ်ဒီးဒ့ၣ်ကမၤခီဖျိတၢ်သူတၢ်မၤဘၣ်လီၢ် ATO တၢ်ဟဲန့ၣ်အတၢ်ဂ့ၢ်တၢ် ကျိၤအခါဒၣ်လဲၣ်န့ၣ်မ့ၢ်တဟ့ၣ်ကဒါအခါန့ၣ်လီၤ.

နတကြးဘၣ်ဝဲဒၣ်လၢတၢ်ကဒီးန့ၣ်တၢ်ဖဲန့ၣ်ကမၤန့ၣ်တၢ်မ့ၢ်ဒွဲးအီၤခီဖျိတၢ်သူတၢ်မၤဘၣ်လီၢ် ATO တၢ်ဟဲန့ၣ်အတၢ် ဂ့ၢ်တၢ်ကျိၤဒီးဖဲမ့ၢ်ဘၣ်လီၢ်အသးဒီးတၢ်ဂ့ၢ်လၢလၢ်ခံမံၤအခါ-

- တၢ်န့ၣ်တၢ်က့ၤဒွဲးက့ၤအီၤလၢအဒီးသန့ထီၣ်လၢတၢ်ဂ့ၢ်တၢ်ကျိၤအဂၤလၢနဟ့ၣ်ပုၤ,အဒိဒ်သိး payslips မ့တမ့ၢ်စ့တးစရီတၢ်ဟံၤဖျါတဖၣ်န့ၣ်လီၤ
- စ့အနီၢ်ဂံၢ်နီၢ်ဒွဲးလၢနဟ့ၣ်ကဒါန့ၣ်စ့ၤန့ၣ်ဒီးမ့တမ့ၢ်ထဲသိးဒီးဒ့ၣ်ကမၤလၢတၢ်က့ၤဒွဲးက့ၤအီၤ

ဖဲန့ၣ်ကမၤအံၤမ့ၢ်တဒီးသန့အသးလၢတၢ်မၤဘၣ်လီၢ် ATO စ့တၢ်ဟဲန့ၣ်အတၢ်ဂ့ၢ်တၢ်ကျိၤ ဘၣ်ဒီး,နတန့ၣ်ဘၣ် တၢ်ဒီး န့ၣ်တၢ်သးလီၤပလီၢ်အလဲတခါအံၤန့ၣ်ဘၣ်.

ပုၤလၢအဟးထီၣ်ကွံာ်လၢပုၤဂ့ၢ်ဝီတီၤပတီၢ်အတၢ်ဟံးန့ၣ်အရ့တခါအံၤအပူၤန့ၣ်တဒီးန့ၣ်ဘၣ်တၢ်မၤန့ၣ်တၢ်သးလီၤပလီၢ်အ လဲတဖၣ်ဖဲအဝဲသ့ၣ်မ့ၢ်ဟ့ၣ်ကဒါဘၣ်ဒ့ၣ်ကမၤတဖၣ်လၢအဘၣ်တၢ်ယုက့ၤအီၤခီဖျိတၢ်သူတၢ်မၤဘၣ်လီၢ်ATO စ့တၢ်ဟဲ န့ၣ်အတၢ်ဂ့ၢ်တၢ်ကျိၤအခါဒၣ်လဲၣ်န့ၣ်လီၤ.

## မ့ၢ်တၢ်န့ၣ်ဘၣ်တၢ်သးလီၤပလီၢ်အတၢ်အလဲတဖၣ်န့ၣ်ကမၤတၢ်ဒ်လဲၣ်.

ပကကျဲၤမၤဝဲဒၣ်တၢ်ဒီးန့ၣ်တၢ်သးလီၤပလီၢ်အလဲတဖၣ်လၢကျိၤကွံာ်တမံၤဃီဒ်တၢ်ဒွဲးတၢ်အထိးနီၣ်အသိးန့ၣ်လီၤ. နဟ့ၣ် ကဒါပုၤတၢ်အလဲမ့ၢ်အီၤဒီးတၢ်ဆၢကတီၢ်မ့ၢ်ယံာ်ဝဲဒၣ်လၢနဘၣ်အိၣ်မူအိၣ်ဂဲၤလၢတအိၣ်ဒီးကျိၣ်စ့န့ၣ်,နကန့ၣ်ဘၣ်က့ၤတၢ် သးလီၤပလီၢ်အစ့တခါအံၤလၢအအါန့ၣ်လီၤ.

## မ့ၢ်ယကဒီးန့ၣ်ဘၣ်တၢ်လၢတၢ်သးလီၤပလီၢ်အတၢ်ဟ့ၣ်အလဲတခါအံၤအအိၣ်န့ၣ်ထဲ လဲၣ်.

ပုၤအါဒၣ်တၢ်တက့ၢ်န့ၣ်တမၤန့ၣ်စ့အါအါဂီၢ်ဂီၢ်လၢတၢ်သးလီၤပလီၢ်အလဲတခါအံၤအအိၣ်ဘၣ်. စ့အနီၢ်ဂံၢ်နီၢ်ဒွဲးလၢပုၤတ ဂၤစုာ်စုာ်ကဒီးန့ၣ်ဘၣ်အီၤန့ၣ်ကလီၤဆီလီၢ်အသးန့ၣ်လီၤ.စ့အနီၢ်ဂံၢ်နီၢ်ဒွဲးလၢပုၤတီၣ်ထီၣ်ပုၤဂ့ၢ်ဝီတီၤပတီၢ်တၢ်ဟံးန့ၣ်အရ့အ တၢ်ဂ့ၢ်တခါအံၤအကရၢဖိကဒီးန့ၣ်ဘၣ်အီၤန့ၣ်ဒီးသန့ထီၣ်လၢ-

- အခါလၢအဝဲသ့ၣ်ဟ့ၣ်ကဒါစ့လၢဒ့ၣ်ကမၤလၢအကြးဘၣ်တုၤထီၣ်ထီၣ်ဘး
- စ့အနီၢ်ဂံၢ်နီၢ်ဒွဲးလၢအဟ့ၣ်ကဒါ

- အခါလၢတၢ်ဟ့ၣ်ကဒါက့ၤအဝဲသ့ၣ်န့ၣ်လီၤ.

ပှၤအါဒၣ်တၢ်တက့ၢ်ဟ့ၣ်ကဒါဘၣ်စ့တဆံးတက့ၢ်, မ့တမ့ၢ်တယံာ်ဘၣ်ဒီးမၤန့ၢ်က့ၤစ့လၢအဟ့ၣ်ဘၣ်တ့ၢ်ဝဲတဖၣ်န့ၣ်လီၤ. တၢ်အံၤအခီပညီန့ၣ်ပှၤတနီၤကဒီးန့ၢ်ဘၣ်စ့ၤန့ၢ်ဒီး\$10 ဒ်တၢ်မၤန့ၢ်တၢ်သးလီၤပလိာ်အလဲတခါအသိးန့ၣ်လီၤ.

## လၢတၢ်ကဒီးန့ၢ်ဘၣ်ယတၢ်သးလီၤပလိာ်အတၢ်အလဲအဂီၢ်ယကဘၣ်မၤတၢ်မန့ၤလဲၣ်.

ဖဲန့ၣ်တဒီးန့ၢ်ဘၣ်ဒီးတၢ်ဟ့ၣ်ပှၤကဒါန့ၢ်ဒီးန့ၢ်တၢ်ဟဲန့ၢ်အတၢ်လူၤပိာ်ထွဲအဒ့ၣ်ကမၢ်အတၢ်ဟ့ၣ်ကဒါတဖၣ်ဘၣ်အခါ, နကဘၣ်တဲဘၣ်ပှၤဒီးတၢ်လီၢ်တၢ်ကျဲလၢတၢ်ကဟ့ၣ်ကဒါန့ၢ်တၢ်သးလီၤပလိာ်အလဲတချး ၁၁ သီ ဖ့ၤတြုၤအါရံၤ ၂၀၂၂ န့ၣ်လီၤ. ဖဲန့ၣ်တမၤတၢ်အံၤဘၣ်အခါ, တၢ်သးလီၤပလိာ်အတၢ်ဟ့ၣ်ကဒါအလဲအခွဲးယာ်အံၤကလဲပှၤန့ၣ်လီၤ.

န့ၢ်မ့တမ့ၢ်ပှၤလၢန့ၣ်ယထုထီၣ်အီၤဆဲးလီၤန့ၢ်တၢ်ဆဲးကျိးအဂ့ၢ်အကျိၤလီၤတံၢ်ဒီးစ့တၢ်စရိခီဖျိတၢ်သူ Centrelink လီၤပှၤယဲၤအဖီခိၣ်အစရိခီဖျိ myGov န့ၣ်သ့လီၤ. ပှၤလၢန့ၣ်ယထုထီၣ်အီၤန့ၢ်မ့ၢ်ပှၤတဂၤလၢန့ၣ်ဟ့ၣ်ကမိၤအီၤလၢကဖံးမၤတၢ်လၢန့ၣ်လီၤဖဲရဲၣ်ကျဲၤမၤတၢ်ဒီးပှၤအခါန့ၣ်လီၤ. ဆဲးကျိးဘၣ်ပှၤခီဖျိတၢ်သူလီၤတဲစိအနီၢ်ဂံၢ်လၢလၢဖဲန့ၣ်လိာ်ဘၣ်တၢ်မၤစၢၤလၢတၢ်ကယုထုထီၣ်န့ၣ်စးတဂၤအခါန့ၣ်တက့ၢ်.

လၢတၢ်ကဆဲးလီၤန့ၢ်တၢ်ဆဲးကျိးအဂ့ၢ်အကျိၤလီၤတံၢ်ဒီးစ့တၢ်စရိအဂီၢ်

- န့ၣ်လီၤဆူ myGov အစရိအပူၤ
- လဲၤဆူ Centrelink
- မၤပဲၤ 'Class action settlement pending' အတၢ်မၤန့ၣ်တက့ၢ်.

ဖဲန့ၣ်ဟ့ၣ်လံပှၤဒီးန့ၣ်စ့တၢ်စရိတဖၣ်လၢတၢ်ကဟ့ၣ်က့ၤစ့အဂီၢ်န့ၣ်, နကဟ့ၣ်န့ၢ်တၢ်မၤန့ၢ်တၢ်သးလီၤပလိာ်အလဲလၢစ့တၢ်တခါယီလၢန့ၣ်ပှၤအပူၤန့ၣ်လီၤ. မ့တမ့ၢ်ဘၣ်လၢန့ၣ်အဲၣ်ဒီးဘၣ်ဒီးန့ၣ်တလိာ်မၤသီထီၣ်တၢ်အံၤဘၣ်. ဖဲန့ၣ်အဲၣ် ဒီးဆီတလဲစ့တၢ်အစရိတခါအခါ, နကဘၣ်မၤတၢ်အံၤတချး ၁၁ သီ ဖ့ၤတြုၤအါရံၤ ၂၀၂၂ န့ၣ်လီၤ. ဖဲမုၢ်န့ၣ်တခါအံၤမ့ၢ်တလၢကွံာ်အလီၢ်ခဲန့ၣ်န့ၣ်ဆီတလဲအီၤတန့ၢ်လၢၤဘၣ်.

လၢတၢ်မၤစၢၤလၢတၢ်ကတဲဘၣ်ပှၤဒီးန့ၣ်စ့တၢ်စရိအဂ့ၢ်အကျိၤလီၤတံၢ်အဂီၢ်မ့တမ့ၢ်မ့ၢ်တၢ်ကဘၣ်ဟ့ၣ်န့ၣ်လၢကျိၤကွံာ်ဒ်လဲၣ်န့ၣ်, ကိးဘၣ် **1800 171 846** တက့ၢ်. န့ၣ်ယထီၣ်ပှၤကျိးထံတၢ်တဂၤသ့လီၤ. ပကကျဲၤန့ၢ်န့ၣ်လၢတလိာ်ဟ့ၣ်အပူၤတခါန့ၣ်လီၤ.

# ဖဲယဆိကမိန်လၢယဒုန်ကမၢ်န့ၣ်မ့ၢ်အိၣ်ဝဲဒုန်လၢအကရူၢ်အဂၤတခါအခါမီၤ,တၢ်ကမၤအသးဒ်လဲၣ်.

န့ၣ်လီၤပရၢရဲၣ်လီၤန့ၣ်ကမၢ်တဖၣ်ဒီးအကရူၢ်လၢအဝဲသ့ၣ်အိၣ်လၢအပူၤန့ၣ်လီၤ. ထဲဒုန်ဒုန်ကမၢ်အကရူၢ်တနီၤန့ၣ်ကြးဘၣ်ဝဲဒုန်လၢတၢ်သးလီၤပလိၣ်အတၢ်ဟ့ၣ်အလဲတခါအဂီၢ်လီၤ. ဖဲန့ၣ်ဆိကမိန်လၢန့ၣ်ကမၢ်အံၤမ့ၢ်အိၣ်လၢအကရူၢ်လၢအကမၢ်အတခါအပူၤန့ၣ်, နယုထီၣ်တၢ်ကကွၢ်သမံသမိးကဒါက့ၤတၢ်တခါအဂီၢ်သ့လီၤ. နယုထီၣ်စ့ၢ်ကီးတၢ်ကကွၢ်သမံသမိးကဒါက့ၤတၢ်တခါဖဲပမ့ၢ်တထၢ်လီၤဘၣ်န့ၣ်ကမၢ်လၢန့ၣ်ဆိကမိန်န့ၣ်ကြးဘၣ်ဝဲဒုန်အခါန့ၣ်သ့လီၤ. န့ၣ်လီၤမၤတၢ်တခါအံၤတချး ၁၀သီ ဒိန်စဲဘၣ် ၂၀၂၁ န့ၣ်လီၤ. ပကွၢ်သမံသမိးကဒါက့ၤဒုန်ကမၢ်အကရူၢ်တဖၣ်အံၤဖဲမ့ၢ်န့ၣ်အံၤပူၤကွၢ်အခါန့ၣ်တသ့ဘၣ်.

န့ၣ်မ့ၢ်ပုၤလၢန့ၣ်ယုထီၣ်န့ၣ်ခၢၣ်စးယုထီၣ်တၢ်ကသမံသမိးကဒါတၢ်တခါခိဖျိတၢ်သူ Centrelink လီၤဟ့ၣ်ယဲၤအဖီခိၣ်စရီခိဖျိ myGov န့ၣ်သ့လီၤ-

- န့ၣ်လီၤဆူ myGov အစရီအပူၤ
- လဲၤဆူ Centrelink
- ယုထီၣ် 'Class action settlement query' လၢအအိၣ်လၢ 'Income Compliance' အစရီဖျိအကျိန့ၣ်တက့ၢ်.

န့ၣ်ကီးပုၤလၢ **1800 171 846** လၢတၢ်မၤစၢၤလၢတၢ်ကမၤန့ၣ်တၢ်သမံသမိးကဒါတၢ်တခါအဂီၢ်သ့စ့ၢ်ကီးလီၤ. န့ၣ်ယုထီၣ်ပုၤကျိးထံတၢ်တဂၤသ့လီၤ. ပကကျဲၤန့ၣ်န့ၣ်လၢတလိၣ်ဟ့ၣ်အပူၤတခါန့ၣ်လီၤ.

## လၢတၢ်ဂ့ၢ်တၢ်ကျိၤဆူညါအဂီၢ်-

- ကိး **1800 171 846** ဒီးဒုးသ့ၣ်ညါဘၣ်ပုၤလၢန့ၣ်လိၣ်ဘၣ်ပုၤကတိၤကျိးထံတၢ်တဂၤန့ၣ်တက့ၢ်. ပကကျဲၤန့ၣ်န့ၣ်လၢတလိၣ်ဟ့ၣ်အပူၤတခါန့ၣ်လီၤ.
- ကိးဘၣ် **131 202** လၢတၢ်ကကတိၤတၢ်ဒီးပုၤ လၢန့ၣ်ကျိၣ် ဒုန်နဲဘၣ်ဃး Centrelink တၢ်ဟ့ၣ်ဒီးတၢ်မၤစၢၤအတၢ်ဖံးတၢ်မၤ တဖၣ်အဂီၢ်တက့ၢ်.
- လဲၤဘၣ်ဆူ [servicessaustralia.gov.au/classaction](https://servicessaustralia.gov.au/classaction) လၢတၢ်ဂ့ၢ်တၢ်ကျိၤဆူညါလၢအအိၣ်ဝဲဒုန်လၢအဲးကလံးကျိၣ်အဂီၢ်န့ၣ်တက့ၢ်.
- လဲၤဆူ [servicessaustralia.gov.au/yourlanguage](https://servicessaustralia.gov.au/yourlanguage) တၢ်လီၤလၢနဖး, ကန့ၣ်တၢ်မ့ၢ်ကွၢ်တၢ်တဂီၢ်မူယုၣ်ဒီးတၢ်ဂ့ၢ်တၢ်ကျိၤလၢအအိၣ်လၢန့ၣ်ကျိၣ်န့ၣ်တက့ၢ်.
- လဲၤအိၣ်သကိးဘၣ်တၢ်မၤစၢၤအတၢ်ဖံးတၢ်မၤအလီၢ်ခၢၣ်သးတခါတက့ၢ်.

- လာတင်ဟုန်ကူန်ဟုန်ဖးဘန်ဃးဒီးဒုန်ကမင်အကရူတဖန်ဒီးတင်မန့တင်သးလီပလိတ်အတင်နီဟုန်လိတ်သးတင်အဂီၢ်,လဲဘန်ဆူ Gordon Legal လာအမ့ၢ် **robodebtclassaction.com.au** မ့တမ့ၢ်ကိးဘန် **1300 001 356** တက့ၢ်.

တိၢ်နီၣ်-တင်ကိးလီတဲစိလၢနဟံၣ်အလီကျိၤဆူ '13'အနီၢ်ဂံၢ်တဖန်လၢအိးစတြဲလယါတင်လီၢ်တခါလၢလၢန့ၣ်တင်ဃုအပူၤလၢအယုၢ်လၢတင်ဟံၣ်ပနီၣ်ဃာ်အိၣ်အသိးအဖီခိၣ်လီၤ.တင်ဃုအယုၢ်ဘန်တဘန်ကလီၤဆီလိတ်အသးလၢတင်အပူၤလၢလီၢ်ကဝီၤပူၤအဖီခိၣ်ဒီးဘန်တဘန်ကလီၤဆီစ့ၢ်ကိးလၢပူၤဟုန်လီတဲစိအတင်မၤစၢၤအတင်ဖံးတင်မၤတဖန်အဘၢၣ်စၢၤန့ၣ်လီၤ. တင်ကိးလီတဲစိဆူ'1800'အနီၢ်ဂံၢ်လၢနဟံၣ်အလီတဲစိန့ၣ်အပူၤတအိၣ်ဘန်. တင်ကိးလၢကမျၢၢ်အလီတဲစိဒီးလီတဲစိစိၣ်စုတဖန်ဘန်တဘန်တင်ဟံၣ်ပနီၣ်ဃာ်တင်ဆၢကတီၢ်ဒီးတင်ဃုအပူၤလၢအယုၢ်လၢအအါသ့ဝဲဒၣ်လီၤ.



# Robodebt class action and settlement payments

## Information for class action members

In November 2019, Gordon Legal filed a class action on behalf of people who received debts under the Income Compliance Program. You may know this as robodebt. A class action is a legal case where a group of people sue another person or organisation. The Commonwealth and Gordon Legal agreed on a settlement. The Federal Court approved the settlement in June 2021. The settlement amount is \$112 million. Gordon Legal's costs will be deducted from this, and the remainder shared between eligible class action members.

## Who can get a settlement payment?

Not every class action member will be eligible for a settlement payment.

If your debt was calculated using averaged Australian Taxation Office (ATO) income information and you made repayments on the debt, you may be eligible for a settlement payment.

You may also be eligible if all the points below apply to you:

- your debt was based in full or in part on averaged ATO income information
- your debt was recalculated based on information you gave us, like payslips
- you paid back more than the recalculated amount.

## Who will not get a settlement payment?

You will not get a settlement payment if you did not repay any of your debt, even if that debt was raised using averaged ATO income information.

You will not be eligible if your debt was calculated using averaged ATO income information and both points below apply:

- it was recalculated based on other information you gave us, like payslips or bank statements
- the amount you paid back was less than or equal to the recalculated debt.

If your debt was not based on averaged ATO income information, you will not get a settlement payment.

People who opted out of the class action will not get settlement payments even if they made repayments on debts that were raised using averaged ATO income information.

## How are settlement payments worked out?

We will work out settlement payments in a similar way to interest. The more you paid us back and the longer you went without your money, the larger your share of the settlement.

## How much will I get in the settlement?

Most people will not get large amounts of money from the settlement. The amount each person gets will be different. The amount class action members will receive depends on:

- when they paid back money on an eligible debt
- how much they paid back
- when they were refunded.

Many people only paid back a small amount, or got a refund soon after they paid it back. This means some people will get less than \$10 as a settlement payment.

## What do I need to do to get my settlement payment?

If you have not had a refund for your income compliance debt repayments, you must tell us where to pay your settlement payment by 11 February 2022. If you do not, you will miss out on your settlement payment.

You or your nominee can register your contact details and bank account using your Centrelink online account through myGov. A nominee is a person who is authorised to act on your behalf when dealing with us. Contact us using the telephone numbers below if you need help to appoint a nominee.

To register your contact details and bank account:

- Sign into your myGov account
- Go to Centrelink
- Complete the 'Class action settlement pending' task.

If you have already given us your bank details for a refund, we will pay your settlement payment to the same bank account. You do not need to update it unless you want to. If you want to change the bank account, you need to do it by 11 February 2022. We cannot change it after this date.

For help to tell us your bank details or how to pay you, phone **1800 171 846**. You can ask for an interpreter. We will arrange one for free.

## What if I think my debt is in the wrong category?

Your letter lists your debts and the category they are in. Only some debt categories are eligible for a settlement payment. If you think your debt is in the wrong category, you can ask for a review. You can also ask for a review if we have not included a debt you think should be eligible. You need to do this before 10 December 2021. We cannot review debt categories after this date.

You or your nominee can request a review using your Centrelink online account through myGov:

- Sign into your myGov account
- Go to Centrelink
- Select 'Class action settlement query' from the 'Income Compliance' menu.

You can also call us on **1800 171 846** for help to get a review. You can ask for an interpreter. We will arrange one for free.

## For more information

- Call **1800 171 846** and let us know you need an interpreter. We will arrange one for free.
- Call **131 202** to speak with us in your language about Centrelink payments and services
- Go to **servicesaustralia.gov.au/classaction** for more information in English
- Go to **servicesaustralia.gov.au/yourlanguage** where you can read, listen to or watch videos with information in your language
- Visit a service centre.
- For advice on debt categories and the settlement distribution, go to Gordon Legal at **robodebtclassaction.com.au** or call 1300 001 356.

Note: calls from your home phone to '13' numbers from anywhere in Australia are charged at a fixed rate. That rate may vary from the price of a local call and may also vary between telephone service providers. Calls to '1800' numbers from your home phone are free. Calls from public and mobile phones may be timed and charged at a higher rate.