

COMMUNIQUE

CSG CHILD ALLOWANCE - Rs 2,000 MONTHLY

As announced in the Budget Speech 2023/2024, a monthly CSG Child Allowance of Rs. 2,000 will be paid by the Government of the Republic of Mauritius, for the months of July 2023 to June 2024, to children aged up to three years. The Mauritius Revenue Authority (MRA) has been entrusted with the responsibility to pay the allowance.

The MRA informs parents of eligible children that the facility to apply for the payment of the monthly allowance is available on MRA website: www.mra.mu

The application should be made on or before **30 September 2023** for children who were under the age of 3 years as at 01 July 2023 or within 3 months from the month in respect of which the child is eligible for the allowance.

Eligible parents are required to provide the bank details of the child held solely in his or her name or held jointly with one of his or her eligible parents. The MRA will make payment of the allowance solely in that bank account.

Eligible child

To benefit from the allowance, the child should be:

- i. a citizen of Mauritius;
- ii. a resident in Mauritius; and
- iii. under the age of 3 years on the first day of the month in respect of which the allowance is payable.

Eligible Parent

Eligible parents refer to:

- i. the mother
- ii. the father, or
- iii. the person to whom a Court of competent jurisdiction has entrusted the guardianship of the child.

Where an eligible parent has more than one eligible child, separate applications should be made for each child.

For further details, kindly visit the MRA website: www.mra.mu or phone the MRA Helpdesk on 207 6000 during working hours.

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