

Alliott NZ Spring 2021 Newsletter

Take your business to the next level with help from our experienced team of Chartered Accountants and Business Advisors

Message from Greg and Vanessa

Wage subsidy important information

If you're an employer that has applied for COVID-19 Wage Subsidy August 2021 #2, make sure you're across waiting periods and other important information for applicants which we outline [here](#).

If you miss a cut off you cannot apply later, like last year. Unlike the first level 4 lockdown in March last year, this year businesses only have a certain window to apply for each two-week tranche.

This change could catch out some applicants as the close-off date might come as a surprise to some people.

If you would like to review any COVID19 resources, please visit our [blog](#) or call our team on 09 520 9200.

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Alliott NZ's office in Auckland remains closed however we will keep you notified by email, [website](#) and on our social sites of any changes. Please [contact](#) our team or email enquiries@allriott.co.nz to discuss these and any other topics with us.

Kind regards,

Greg Millar & Vanessa Williams

Mandatory COVID19 vaccinations

Ross Henderson is getting a lot of calls from employers regarding whether or not they can make vaccination compulsory.

The short answer to this is that it depends on the nature of the business (e.g. health care), whether or not there has been a reasonable COVID programme introduced and whether or not there has been consultation in respect of inoculations. i.e. what do policy and procedure say?

Remember that people do not want vaccinations for a variety of reasons including underlying health conditions and religious reasons and you do not want to be seen as being discriminatory.

There are very few places that require mandatory vaccination at this stage, but this may change if the outbreak deepens as overseas jurisdictions have demonstrated it may well.

There is plenty of website material on these subjects so keep watch as the situation evolves and get good advice.

For employment law or HR advice on any matter, please contact Ross Henderson on 0272940301. Let his 38 years of experience provide lasting solutions to your people problems.

Buying off the plan

NZ real estate trends

During this year, Senior Accountant Angela Larkin looked at all different types of property and ultimately decided to buy off the plans, being her best choice.

Doing so taught Angela a lot during this process and this presentation is a snapshot of her experience with buying off the plans.

This is recommended viewing for any clients for whom this information may be valuable.:

[Real Estate Trends and Buying Off the Plan »](#)

Please [contact](#) our team with any questions you may have, or to schedule a further discussion.

Meet our newest team members

One thing we've been fortunate enough to do between lockdowns is get together for a group photo.

When you engage us, you gain access to a team of financial professionals with the skills, expertise and desire to lift your business to new levels of success.

[Meet Our People »](#)

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Doing Business in New Zealand

For any business considering expansion into a new market, an understanding of the local economy and culture is essential.

Through the partner-led service that member firms within Alliott Global provide, our clients have access to a constant contact point enabling a better understanding of their business needs.

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Final word

During lockdown we've noticed an uptick in usage of our digital resources, including video. Why not use the downtime to catch up on the multitude of videos we've created to help grow your business and succeed when restrictions are lifted.

Visit our YouTube channel [here](#) or catch our videos on [Facebook](#).