Media statement



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Officeworks is committed to supporting our teammembers who have played an important role in recent months supporting the communities in which we operate and each other.

Today, Officeworks confirmed that permanent store team members affected by the Victorian Government's announcement this week to move to Stage 4 restrictions in Melbourne, will remain employed and paid in full for the duration of the six-week lockdown.

In addition, casual team members who regularly work 12 hours or more a week will also continue to be paid throughout the six-week period and casuals who work less than 12 hours will receive payment of the equivalent of two weeks of their normal rostered hours at a minimum.

Officeworks Managing Director, Sarah Hunter, said: "The safety and wellbeing of our team members and customers is our absolute priority, so we're really pleased that we can continue to support our Melbourne team members and provide some assurance through this six-week period."

Officeworks remains committed to supporting all Victorians with the products and services they need to run their business, learn, work or school from home.

"Our online store is open 24/7 for customers to shop for products and services that can be delivered to their door with contactless home deliveryor via our contactless click & collect service at their local store.

Stores across Melbourne remain open for COVID-19 related printing services such as JobKeeper forms, work permits and social distancing signage.

"We will continue to ensure appropriate measures are in place across our business so that customers can shop for what they need, safely," she said.