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Minister of Finance Regulation No. 82/PMK.03/2021 ("MoF-82") extends the period for which tax incentives to help alleviate the impact of COVID-19 are available. MoF-82 also reduces the number of categories of taxpayers who can take advantage of the tax incentives previously offered under MoF Regulation No. 9/PMK.03/2021 ("MoF-9").

Highlights of the incentives and changes are set out below.

Summary of Incentives

The types of incentives available remain the same as before:

- Article 21 employee income tax: Employee income tax payable on the regular and fixed income received by employees who earn less than IDR 200 million annually is borne by the government.
- Final income tax of 0.5% for taxpayers with annual gross income of no more than IDR 4.8 billion (based on Government Regulation No. 23/2018) is borne by the government.
- Article 22 income tax on imports: Taxpayers are granted an exemption from this tax.
- Article 25 monthly corporate income tax: The income tax installment is reduced by 50%.
- Value Added Tax: A VATable entrepreneur (PKP) can apply for a preliminary refund of up to IDR 5 billion.
- Final income tax on income from construction services under the Acceleration Program to Improve the Use of Irrigation Water (*Program Percepatan Peningkatan Tata Guna Air Irigasi*) ("P3-TGAI") is borne by the government.

The extension period granted for the tax incentives is until December 2021.

Changes to KLU

Taxpayers in industries which may take advantage of these incentives have been significantly reduced, except for the Art. 21 incentive. The eligible business classifications (*klasifikasi lapangan usaha* ("KLU")) are listed in the applicable attachment to MoF-82.

Tax Incentive	Number of Eligible Industries (KLUs)		Attachment
	MoF-9	MoF-82	
Art. 21	1,189	1,189	Attachment A
Art. 22	730	132	Attachment J
Art. 25	1,018	216	Attachment O
VAT	725	132	Attachment R



We suggest that taxpayers who have previously used the incentives and want to apply for an extension check their KLU in the respective attachment to MoF-82 to ensure they are still eligible.

Other

- a) Reapplication for tax incentives
 - Tax Taxpayers who have obtained and utilized tax incentives for income tax Art. 21, Art. 22, and Art. 25 based on MoF-9 are required to resubmit the notification/application through the DGT online.
 - Taxpayers can utilize the tax incentives for income tax Art. 21 and Art. 25 starting from the July 2021 tax period by submitting a notification at the latest by 15 August 2021.
- b) Realization report
 - Taxpayers who use the MoF-82 tax incentives are required to submit a realization report.
 - Taxpayers who have submitted a realization report for income tax Art. 21, final income tax as intended in GR-23, or final income tax for P3-TGAl taxpayers can submit an amended report for tax periods January 2021 through June 2021 at the latest by 31 October 2021.

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