



## Work Incentive Transport Subsidy Scheme Monthly Income and Asset Limits

**From the claim month of February 2018, the monthly income and asset limits of the Work Incentive Transport Subsidy (WITS) Scheme will be maintained as follows:**

Household Size <sup>(2)</sup>	Application for Subsidy from February 2018 onwards <sup>(1) (2)</sup>		
	Monthly Income Limit	Monthly Asset Limit <sup>(3)</sup>	Effective Income Level <sup>(4)</sup> (for reference only)
1 person or individual-based application	<b>\$10,000</b>	<b>\$91,500</b>	\$10,526
2 persons	<b>\$17,000</b>	<b>\$123,000</b>	\$17,894
3 persons	<b>\$19,500</b>	<b>\$184,500</b>	\$20,526
4 persons	<b>\$22,800</b>	<b>\$246,000</b>	\$24,000
5 persons	<b>\$23,900</b>	<b>\$246,000</b>	\$25,157
6 persons or above	<b>\$25,200</b>	<b>\$246,000</b>	\$26,526

Note: (1) Same as the monthly income and asset limits adopted since February 2017.

- (2) The household-based WITS will be abolished on 1 April 2018 upon implementation of the Working Family Allowance Scheme. From the claim month of April 2018 onwards, the WITS Scheme will only accept individual-based applications. Household-based applicants can still apply for WITS up to the claim month of March 2018 and such applications can be submitted in April 2018 at the earliest.
- (3) The asset limit is increased by \$35,000 for each elderly applicant or (in household-based application) household member aged 60 or above.
- (4) Under the WITS Scheme, “income” does not include employees’ mandatory contributions to Mandatory Provident Fund (MPF) schemes (i.e. 5% of employees’ salary). “Effective Income Level” refers to income before deducting mandatory employees’ MPF contributions. “Effective Income Level” is for reference only, and income assessment is based on “Monthly Income Limit”.