

EMERGENCY RELIEF FUND
CHAPTER 1103 OF THE LAWS OF HONG KONG
PAYMENT SCHEDULE

(Effective from 1.4.2024)

Type of Payment	*Time Limit for Application	Level of Grant
<p>B. Domestic re-accommodation, re-equipment, site formation and repair grants and grant for severe <u>damage to home appliances</u> *</p> <p>1. Domestic structures rendered uninhabitable</p> <p>Victims moving to Housing Authority permanent rental housing or multi-storey interim housing with improved facilities comparable in quality to permanent rental housing or private housing</p>	<p>6 months</p>	<p>(i) Re-equipment grant of \$2,490 for a single person, \$3,710 for a family of 2 persons, and \$1,240 for each additional family member where there is loss of property.</p> <p>(ii) Re-accommodation grant of -</p> <p>(a) \$10,030 for a single person;</p> <p>(b) \$17,300 for a family of 2 to 3 persons;</p> <p>(c) \$24,570 for a family of 4 to 5 persons;</p> <p>(d) \$31,910 for a family of 6 persons and above.</p>

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2. Domestic structures rendered uninhabitable – victims resited and allowed to rebuild, or victims rebuild in situ	6 months	<p>(i) Re-equipment grant of \$2,490 for a single person, \$3,710 for a family of 2 persons, and \$1,240 for each additional family member where there is loss of property.</p> <p>(ii) Re-accommodation grant of -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) \$8,120 for a single person; (b) \$15,280 for a family of 2 persons; (c) \$16,450 for a family of 3 persons; (d) \$18,750 for a family of 4 persons; (e) \$21,480 for a family of 5 persons; (f) \$24,560 for a family of 6 persons and above. <p>(iii) Site formation grant of \$1,580 per structure.</p>

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<p>3. Domestic structures damaged – victims repair in situ</p> <p>(a) Structures substantially damaged</p>	<p>6 months</p>	<p>(i) Repair grant of -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) \$3,860 for a single person; (b) \$7,660 for a family of 2 persons; (c) \$8,270 for a family of 3 persons; (d) \$9,400 for a family of 4 persons; (e) \$10,750 for a family of 5 persons; (f) \$12,310 for a family of 6 persons and above. <p>(ii) Re-equipment grant of \$2,490 for a single person, \$3,710 for a family of 2 persons, and \$1,240 for each additional family member where there is loss of property.</p>
<p>(b) Structures not substantially damaged, but warrant some assistance</p>	<p>6 months</p>	<p>Repair grant of \$4,610 per family irrespective of size.</p>

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<p>4. Domestic structures (undamaged) to be permanently evacuated</p> <p>(a) Victims moving to Housing Authority permanent rental housing or multi-storey interim housing with improved facilities comparable in quality to permanent rental housing or private housing</p>	<p>6 months</p>	<p>(i) Re-accommodation grant of -</p> <p>(a) \$10,030 for a single person;</p> <p>(b) \$17,300 for a family of 2 to 3 persons;</p> <p>(c) \$24,570 for a family of 4 to 5 persons;</p> <p>(d) \$31,910 for a family of 6 persons and above.</p> <p>(ii) Re-equipment grant of \$2,490 for a single person, \$3,710 for a family of 2 persons, and \$1,240 for each additional family member where there is loss of property.</p>

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(b) Victims resited	6 months	<p>(i) Re-accommodation grant of -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) \$8,120 for a single person; (b) \$15,280 for a family of 2 persons; (c) \$16,450 for a family of 3 persons; (d) \$18,750 for a family of 4 persons; (e) \$21,480 for a family of 5 persons; (f) \$24,560 for a family of 6 persons and above. <p>(ii) Re-equipment grant of \$2,490 for a single person, \$3,710 for a family of 2 persons, and \$1,240 for each additional family member where there is loss of property.</p> <p>(iii) Site formation grant of \$1,580 per structure.</p>
5. Domestic structures not substantially damaged but victims suffer from damage or extensive loss to their home appliances, furniture and other personal belongings	30 working days	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) \$3,780 for a single person; (b) \$6,260 for a family of 2 persons; (c) \$7,710 for a family of 3 persons; (d) \$9,320 for a family of 4 persons; (e) \$11,010 for a family of 5 persons; (f) \$12,770 for a family of 6 persons and above.

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<u>D. Primary producer grants</u> 1. Stock houses and farm buildings destroyed or severely damaged *	30 working days	Assessment is to be made on the basis of 50% of cost of replacement, up to a maximum of \$23,910.

Notes

* *Sections B & D1*

- (i) For damaged or evacuated (either moved to rental housing, interim housing or resided) unauthorized domestic structures including unsurveyed squatter structures, only re-equipment grant is payable where there is loss of property; re-accommodation grant, site formation grant or repair grant is not payable.
- (ii) Cases due to piling in the neighbourhood or other occurrences resulting from human acts cannot qualify for assistance. Cases where a forced eviction takes place as a result of a house or a private tenement being rendered uninhabitable by a natural occurrence may qualify for assistance provided that compensation has not been provided by the landlord.
- (iii) In reckoning the time limit for application, the day on which the incident takes place is excluded.