**VARIATION REQUEST - TSMIT CONCESSION**

The Federal Government recently released a Migration Review report and is implementing an increase to TSMIT, effective 1 July 2023. From this date TSMIT will increase from $53,900 to $70,000.

Several occupations under the EK DAMA allow for a 10% TSMIT concession, however many businesses that have been endorsed under the EK DAMA did not request a TSMIT concession because proposed salaries were higher than $53,900 and it was not necessary.

Considering the new TSMIT of $70,000, it is open to you to request to vary your agreement to include a TSMIT concession to account for the new threshold.

If so, please complete this form and return as soon as possible to [dama@ekcci.com.au](mailto:dama@ekcci.com.au)

* **Please tick if you have an existing Labour Agreement under the EK DAMA and would like to add the TSMIT concession.**
* **Please tick if you have a pending EK DAMA Labour Agreement and would like to add the TSMIT concession?**

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| Business / Employer name: |  |
| ABN |  |
| Contact person |  |
| Contact number |  |
| Contact email |  |
| Please provide the date of your EK DAMA endorsement letter |  |
| Please provide the date your DATE EK DAMA Labour Agreement was signed (if applicable) |  |
| Please provide the date your EK DAMA Labour Agreement ceases? |  |

**Please note**: If you would like to vary your Labour Agreement in any other way other than adding the TSMIT concession, you will need to resubmit the EK DAMA Endorsement form and any associated information.

Please outline in the tables below the occupations you have approved in your existing Labour Agreement or those applied for in your pending Labour Agreement.

Temporary Skill Shortage (TSS) visa (482)

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| ANZSCO or 6 Digit Code | Occupation | Maximum number of approved nominations in Labour Agreement.  “Number (Year)” | Concession to TSMIT sought?  YES/NO |
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Skilled Employer Sponsored Regional (SESR) visa (494)

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| ANZSCO or 6 Digit Code | Occupation | Maximum number of approved nominations in Labour Agreement.  Number (Year) | Concession to TSMIT sought?  YES/NO |
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Employer Nomination Scheme (ENS) visa (186)

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| ANZSCO or 6 Digit Code | Occupation | Maximum number of approved nominations in Labour Agreement.  Number (Year) | Concession to TSMIT sought?  YES/NO |
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| Please provide some details below about **each** occupation for which TSMIT concession is sought: ie. What is the current proposed salary, how was this determined and why you are requesting the TSMIT concession? |
| Please describe if anything has changed within your business since your EK DAMA endorsement is. Location, workforce size etc? |

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| Are you using a registered migration agent/immigration lawyer? YES / NO  If you want us to communicate directly with the registered migration agent/immigration lawyer, provide their details here:   * Company name: * Agent/lawyer name: * Agent number: * Agent email: * Agent phone: |

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| *Declaration*  I confirm that the information provided in this form is true and correct.  I am aware of our obligations under the EK DAMA and that the are consequences for providing incorrect information or breaching those obligations, including any exploitation of overseas workers nominated under the EK DAMA.  I understand that the terms and conditions in our original Endorsement request and still current and are also applicable against this request for TSMIT concession.  **Signed (business authorised person):**  Name (printed): Date signed: |

**Please note:**

The EKCCI has submitted an addendum to our current deed of variation request around the level of TSMIT concessions available under the EK DAMA.

The EKCCI has requested additional TSMIT concessions for lower skilled level jobs that have an award or market salary below 90% of the new TSMIT ($63,000).

We have requested that our deed of variation request be considered urgently and hope to have an update around this soon.