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Increasing main benefit abatement thresholds on 1 April 2021 and consequential adjustment to the Minimum Family Tax Credit

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These documents have been proactively released.

3 December 2020, Regulatory Impact Assessment – Increasing main benefit abatement thresholds on 1 April 2021 and consequential adjustments to the Minimum Family Tax Credit

7 December 2020, Cabinet paper – Increasing main benefit abatement thresholds on 1 April 2021 and consequential adjustments to the Minimum Family Tax Credit

7 December 2020, Cabinet paper – Appendix One

7 December 2020, Cabinet Minute CAB-20-MIN-0512, Cabinet Office.

Abatement thresholds for main benefits are being increased from 1 April 2021 to enable beneficiaries to work a greater number of hours before their benefit reduces. The Minimum Family Tax Credit will also be adjusted to reflect the increases to the abatement thresholds.

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