

# COVID-19 – CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY LOCKDOWN NR.2

## Week 7 – UPDATE (23.02.2021)

### CONSTRUCTION SITES



- Shutdown extended to April 5th
- ‘Gradual reopening’ of construction from 5<sup>th</sup> April – phasing
- PUP fallen by 2.3% in last two weeks to 61,077



### BREXIT & SUPPLY CHAIN



- Contractors seeking payments for off-site materials
- Customs Clearance Agents being engaged
- IIFA warning to be ready for when trade volume increases



### DESIGN TEAMS



- Phased reopening of schools from 1<sup>st</sup> March
- 55-60% of people to be fully vaccinated by June
- Business supports extended to June 21



### PIPELINE



- Active sectors moving (Resi; data centres etc)
- Retail and Hospitality slower
- Early stage pipeline has reduced but likely to rebound post-vaccine



### CONTRACTS

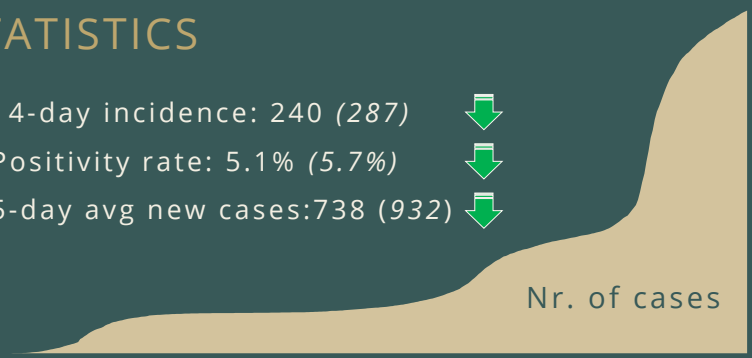


- Contract delay notices being issued
- Tender period extensions due to supply chain resource issues
- New round of negotiations commence



### STATISTICS

- 14-day incidence: 240 (287)
- Positivity rate: 5.1% (5.7%)
- 5-day avg new cases: 738 (932)



Previous week's numbers in *italics*