

COVID-19 - CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY LOCKDOWN NR.2 Week 8 - UPDATE (1.03.2021)

CONSTRUCTION SITES



- Varadkar talks main restrictions into May
- Possible easing of construction restrictions from 5th April
- Growing frustration amongst contractors

DESIGN TEAMS



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

CONTRACTS

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



PIPELINE



- Active sectors moving (Resi; data centres etc)
- Retail and Hospitality slower

• Contractors seeking

Customs Clearance

materials

increases

payments for off-site

Agents being engaged

• IIFA warning to be ready

for when trade volume

Early stage pipeline has reduced but likely to rebound post-vaccine

STATISTICS

- 14-day incidence: 212 (240)
- Positivity rate: 4.4% (5.1%)
- 5-day avg new cases: 663 (738) 🕂

Previous week's numbers in *italics*

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Nr. of cases