

What do you
need to know?

EMPLOYMENT RETENTION PROGRAM (ERP)

"FOR EMPLOYEES WHO RECEIVED UNPAID LEAVE NOTICE"



WHAT IS THE EMPLOYMENT RETENTION PROGRAM (ERP)?

The Employment Retention Program (ERP) is an immediate financial assistance provided for employees who have been instructed to take unpaid leave by their employers who are economically affected by COVID-19 pandemic.



QUALIFYING CONDITIONS

Employees registered and contributing to EIS (minimum one contribution) who receives a notice of unpaid leave of minimum 30 days.



BENEFIT/INCENTIVE AMOUNT

RM600 per month (max. of 6 months) depending on period of notice of unpaid leave.



FUNDING

Partial Government and partial EIS Fund.



HOW TO APPLY?

Applications must be made by employers on behalf of the employees using [Form ERPC-19](#), with effect from 20th March 2020 and to be submitted to prihatin.perkeso.gov.my.



PAYMENT METHOD

Payment made directly to employer's. Employers will then credit the payment to employee's account within 7 days of receiving payment from SOCSO.

If you have any questions or require further assistance, please contact SOCSO via:

- Website: <https://www.perkeso.gov.my/index.php/en/>

- Email: perkeso@perkeso.gov.my

- Customer Service Hotline: 03 4264 5555/03 8091 5100