

Information Notice

NOTICE RST 20-03
The Retail Sales Tax Act
Issued March 2020
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GOVERNMENT EXTENDS TAX DEADLINES

Manitoba businesses hit by the economic downturn from COVID-19 will have more time to submit provincial taxes.

Retail sales tax (RST) returns for small and medium businesses with monthly RST remittances of no more than \$10,000 per month that would normally be due on April 20, May 20, June 22, **July 20, August 20 and September 21** will now be due on **October 20, 2020**.

Businesses that file on a quarterly basis that have a due date of April 20 **and July 20** will now have the due date extended to **October 20, 2020**.

Businesses that qualify for the above filing extension that were not able to file and remit their February sales tax return by the March 20th due date will not be assessed a late filing penalty and interest will not be applied until after **October 20, 2020**.

Interest will continue to apply on all outstanding tax debts established prior to the March remittance deadlines.

Businesses will still receive paper returns in the mail or web notice reminders by email for return periods March, April, May, **June, July and August**.

Further information may be obtained from:

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Note: Revisions to contents of previous Notice (June 2020) have been identified by shading ().