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Starting 1 January 2027

Portable Long Service Leave for the Services Industry

ACT Leave is here to help you understand your valuable worker entitlements

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Start building portable long service leave from 1 January 2027.

The Services Industry Scheme is expanding to cover eligible workers in:

- hairdressing and beauty services
- accommodation and food services, including hospitality services.

If you're an eligible worker in these industries, your employer must register you by 30 April 2027 so you can start building your portable long service leave entitlements.

You'll get 6.06 weeks of leave after 7 years of service and 0.867 weeks of leave for every year after that.

Find out if you're eligible by using the Services Scheme Eligibility Assessment Tool on our website.

Portable long service leave means you keep working towards long service leave, even if you change employers – as long as you stay in the services industry!



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