

Communication Providers Rebate - Local Service Providers Fact Sheet

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What is a Local Service Provider?

For the purposes of this rebate 'Local Service Providers' are defined as 'commercial entities which solely or predominately service communities in a limited number of low and /or medium locations (refer to [Density Classifications for Communication Sites on Crown land](#)). Their business operations must be predominantly in these areas. The rebate is available only for sites in low and medium locations.'

Eligibility

To be eligible for the rebate the organisation must meet the following eligibility requirements:

- The definition of 'Local Service Provider' (as stated above);
- The Assessment Criteria (as stated in this document);
- Requirements stated in the 'Application Process' (refer to fact sheet titled [Rebate General Information for Communication Facilities Located on Crown Land](#)).

Exclusions

Any Local Service Provider who meets the following criteria is not eligible for a rebate:

- An organisation whose customers are spread throughout most of NSW, or whose operations are part of a national or international business.

Submission

To be eligible for this rebate, applicants are required to provide information addressing each Assessment Criteria point and provide supporting documentation, as stated in this document. Applications must be made using the NSW Department of Primary Industries - Lands [Rebate Application](#) form.

Assessment Criteria

1. Demonstrate that the organisation's customer base is mostly in 3 or 4 local council areas in low and/or medium locations
2. Describe the nature of the organisation;
3. Describe the type of activity undertaken by the organisation;
4. Explain the primary business purpose of the use of the communication site;



5. Describe how the services offered through your organisation provide a benefit to the local community;
6. Identify who uses the services provided by the organisation (eg: commercial, community or residential); and
7. Audited Financial Statements including funding and expenditure details.

More information

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