

**QUEENSLAND GOVERNMENT RETICULATED NATURAL GAS REBATE*****GAS SUPPLY ACT 2003***

I hereby advise that the Queensland Government Reticulated Natural Gas Rebate, which is to be provided by retailers under section 175A of the *Gas Supply Act 2003*, will be provided on the terms set out in the following schedule.

Dated this 6<sup>th</sup> day of June 2008

**GEOFF WILSON MP**  
**Minister for Mines and Energy**

**QUEENSLAND GOVERNMENT RETICULATED NATURAL GAS REBATE**

1. A Queensland Government Reticulated Natural Gas Rebate is available to a customer provided the customer:

- (a) holds a current and valid card of the following type –
- (i) Pensioner Concession Card, issued by either Centrelink or the Department of Veterans' Affairs; or
  - (ii) Repatriation Health Card for All Conditions (Gold Card) and is in receipt of one of the following payments:
    - (A) War Widow (including Widowed Mother [AMS] Pension); or
    - (B) Special Rate T.P.I. (including Blinded Disability) Pension; or
  - (iii) Queensland Government Seniors Card; and
- (b) is a customer of a retailer at the premises for which the rebate is claimed and the premises is the customer's principal place of residence, and the only residence in Queensland for which the customer claims the rebate; and
- (c) lives alone or shares the premises in respect of which the rebate is claimed with:
- (i) the customer's spouse; or
  - (ii) other persons who hold a current and valid card of the type described in paragraph (a) above; or
  - (iii) other persons wholly dependent on the customer; or
  - (iv) other persons who receive an income support payment from Centrelink, Family Assistance Office or Department of Veterans' Affairs and who do not pay rent; or
  - (v) other persons who live with the customer to provide care and assistance and who do not pay rent; and

declares that no other person(s) except casual visitors share the residence with the customer; and

(d) makes application for a rebate either by submitting the relevant form or, at the discretion of the retailer, by providing the relevant information and declarations by telephone or electronic means.

2. Where a gas account is in more than one name, and more than one resident is eligible to receive the rebate, each resident may have their eligibility established. However, only one rebate per household will be paid.
3. The retailer may, at any time, require a new application from a customer and if the customer fails to lodge a new application within the time specified by the retailer the rebate shall cease.
4. A Queensland Government Reticulated Natural Gas Rebate is also applicable to the gas account of residential home parks and other similar multi-tenanted residential premises provided the following sub-conditions are met:

(a) the customer (i.e. the owner or operator of the multi-tenanted residential premises) of the retailer at the premises concerned –

- (i) supplies gas to each of the separately identifiable vans, flats or home units, or other similar living units at the premises; and
- (ii) charges for gas on the basis of metered consumption; and
- (iii) is claiming the rebate on behalf of eligible persons (other than the person being a customer of the retailer) residing at the premises ('claimant residents'); and
- (iv) will fully pass on the rebate to each claimant resident by way of a reduction in charges for gas; and
- (v) has obtained each claimant resident's authority to:
  - (A) apply for the rebate; and
  - (B) verify the claimant resident's details with Centrelink or the Department of Communities; and
  - (C) disclose their details in connection with eligibility and receiving the rebate; and
- (vi) has sighted the claimant resident's Pensioner Concession Card, Repatriation Health Card for all Conditions (Gold Card) or Queensland Government Seniors Card (as applicable) at the time the application for the rebate is made, to ensure it is issued in the name of the claimant resident; and

(b) each separately identifiable living unit for which the rebate is claimed is occupied for the entire billing period in respect of which the rebate is claimed by persons who, if they had been supplied directly by the retailer, would have been eligible for the Reticulated Natural Gas Rebate; and

(c) a rebate is only applicable to claimant residents for gas consumed in the billing period to which the customer's gas account relates; and

(d) a completed rebate application form, in writing, must be produced with the customer's gas account at the time payment is tendered.

5. The rebate is \$0.1436 (GST exclusive) per day applied against the dollar and cents value of the gas consumed based on the applicable (GST exclusive) tariff.

The rebate paid shall not be greater than the amount billed (excluding GST) for customer retail services provided to the customer in the billing period to which the rebate relates. To avoid doubt, this does not prohibit the retailer crediting a customer's bill with the full amount of a rebate that is paid retrospectively.

**QUEENSLAND GOVERNMENT ELECTRICITY REBATE*****ELECTRICITY ACT 1994***

I hereby advise that the Queensland Government electricity rebate, is to be provided by retailers under section 55DA of the *Electricity Act 1994*, will be provided on the terms set out in the following schedule.

Dated this 6<sup>th</sup> day of June 2008

**GEOFF WILSON MP**  
**Minister for Mines and Energy**

**QUEENSLAND GOVERNMENT ELECTRICITY REBATE**

1. A Queensland Government Electricity Rebate is available to a customer provided the customer:

- (a) holds a current and valid card of the following type –
- (i) Pensioner Concession Card, issued by either Centrelink or the Department of Veterans' Affairs; or
  - (ii) Repatriation Health Card for All Conditions (Gold Card) and is in receipt of one of the following payments:

- (A) War Widow (including Widowed Mother [AMS] Pension); or
- (B) Special Rate T.P.I. (including Blinded Disability) Pension; or
- (iii) Queensland Government Seniors Card; and
- (b) is a customer of a retail entity at the premises for which the rebate is claimed and the premises is the customer's principal place of residence, and the only residence in Queensland for which the customer claims the rebate; and
- (c) lives alone or shares the premises in respect of which the rebate is claimed with:
- the customer's spouse; or
  - other persons who hold a current and valid card of the type described in paragraph (a) above; or
  - other persons wholly dependent on the customer; or
  - other persons who receive an income support payment from Centrelink, Family Assistance Office or Department of Veterans' Affairs and who do not pay rent; or
  - other persons who live with the customer to provide care and assistance and who do not pay rent; and declares that no other person(s) except casual visitors share the residence with the customer; and
- (d) makes application for a rebate either by submitting the relevant form or, at the discretion of the retail entity, by providing the relevant information and declarations by telephone or electronic means.
2. Where an electricity account is in more than one name, and more than one resident is eligible to receive the rebate, each resident may have their eligibility established. However, only one rebate per household will be paid.
3. The retail entity may, at any time, require a new application from a customer and if the customer fails to lodge a new application within the time specified by the retail entity the rebate shall cease.
4. A Queensland Government Electricity Rebate is also applicable to the electricity account of residential home parks and other similar multi-tenanted residential premises provided the following sub-conditions are met:
- the customer (i.e. the owner or operator of the multi-tenanted residential premises) of the retail entity at the premises concerned –
    - supplies electricity to each of the separately identifiable vans, flats or home units, or other similar living units at the premises; and
    - charges for electricity on the basis of metered consumption; and
    - is claiming the rebate on behalf of eligible persons (other than the person being a customer of the retail entity) residing at the premises ('claimant residents'); and
    - will fully pass on the rebate to each claimant resident by way of a reduction in charges for electricity; and
    - has obtained each claimant resident's authority to:
      - apply for the rebate; and
      - verify the claimant resident's details with Centrelink or the Department of Communities; and
      - disclose their details in connection with eligibility and receiving the rebate; and
    - has sighted the claimant resident's Pensioner Concession Card, Repatriation Health Card for all Conditions (Gold Card) or Queensland Government Seniors Card (as applicable) at the time the application for the rebate is made, to ensure it is issued in the name of the claimant resident; and
  - each separately identifiable living unit for which the rebate is claimed is occupied for the entire billing period in respect of which the rebate is claimed by persons who, if they had been supplied directly by the retail entity, would have been eligible for the electricity rebate; and
  - a rebate is only applicable to claimant residents for electricity consumed in the billing period to which the customer's electricity account relates; and
  - a completed rebate application form, in writing, must be produced with the customer's electricity account at the time payment is tendered.
5. The rebate is \$0.4109 (GST exclusive) per day applied against the dollar and cents value of the electricity consumed based on the applicable (GST exclusive) tariff.
- The rebate paid shall not be greater than the amount billed (excluding GST) for customer retail services provided to the customer in the billing period to which the rebate relates. To avoid doubt, this does not prohibit the retail entity crediting a customer's bill with the full amount of a rebate that is paid retrospectively.

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*South Bank Corporation Act 1989*

**SOUTH BANK CORPORATION (PERMANENT ROAD CLOSURE)  
NOTICE (No. 1) 2008**

**Short Title**

1. This Notice may be cited as the *South Bank Corporation (Permanent Road Closure) Notice (No. 1) 2008*.

**Commencement**

2. This notice commences on the day that it is published in the *Queensland Government Gazette*.

**Closure of Road**

3. Pursuant to section 40 of the *South Bank Corporation Act 1989*, the Governor in Council has approved the permanent closure of part of Grey Street at South Bank, as set out in the Schedule.

**SCHEDULE**

**REAL PROPERTY DESCRIPTION OF ROAD AREA**

1. Lot number 1 on Survey Plan 205025 registered under dealing number 711086632.

*Parish, County*

2. The land described above is in the Parish of South Brisbane, County of Stanley.

**END NOTES**

- Made by the Governor in Council on 5 June 2008.
- Published in the Gazette on 6 June 2008.
- Not required to be laid before the Legislative Assembly.
- The administering agency is the Department of the Premier and Cabinet.

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**NOTIFICATION OF EXEMPTION**

*Transport Operations (Marine Safety) Act 1994*

Maritime Safety Agency of Queensland  
3 June 2008

**I, James Huggett, Director (Maritime Services), Maritime Safety Queensland**, pursuant to section 18A of the *Transport Operations (Marine Safety) Act 1994*, exempt all persons operating ships in the event detailed in the Schedule from section 206A of the *Transport Operations (Marine Safety) Act 1994*.

**SCHEDULE**

The event consisting of water ski races to be conducted by the organisers, North Queensland Offshore Ski Association Inc. between the hours of 8am and 1pm on 7 June 2008, as shown in red on the course map prepared by Maritime Safety Queensland, designated plan "A1-246", and held at the Regional Harbour Master's office in Cairns.

JAMES HUGGETT  
Director (Maritime Services)  
Maritime Safety Queensland

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