



PRIVATE FORESTS
TASMANIA

Explanation for fee increase

Increase in fees for Private Timber Reserve applications.

As of 1 July 2018 the private timber reserve application fee will increase from \$542.50 to \$553.00 per application.

The fee for a private timber reserve application is payable to Private Forests Tasmania and represents the cost of processing an application to declare land as a private timber reserve.

The fee to accompany an application to declare land as a private timber reserve is set under *Forest Practices Regulation 2007*. The private timber reserve application fee is 350 fee units.

The value of a fee unit is set annually via the *Fee Units Act 1997*. The value of a fee unit in for 2018 – 2019 is \$1.58.

The increase from \$542.50 to \$553.00 is an automatic increase, required under the *Fee Units Act 1997*.

This fee is exclusive of GST.

Other fees payable under the *Forest Practices Regulation 2007*, '*Application Fee to Certify Forest Practices Plan*' and '*Tree Fern Tag*', will also increase.

Summary

- Private timber reserve application fee increases from \$542.50 to \$553.00
- Payable from 1 July 2018

For more information

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