

Bulletin

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Extension to exemption period for compliance with Digital Plan Lodgement CAD Standard

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In March 2022, [Customer Information Bulletin \(CIB-371\)](#) advised industry that from 4 April 2022 all plans able to be lodged through the Electronic Plan Lodgement (EPL) System were required to be lodged in the Digital Plan Lodgement (DPL) CAD Standard. In addition, CIB-371 provided a sunset date of 1 January 2023 from which previously drafted plans uploaded to EPL that did not comply with the DPL CAD Standard would need to be redrafted to the DPL format.

Although all plans currently being uploaded to EPL are in the DPL format, there remains a reasonable number of previously uploaded plans being lodged that are requiring exemption requests.

The purpose of this notice is to advise industry that the original exemption sunset date of 1 January 2023 has been **extended to 31 March 2023** in recognition of the volume of previously uploaded plans that still require lodgement.

Any plans lodged after 31 March 2023 that have not been prepared to the DPL format will be required to be redrafted to the DPL CAD Standard.

Exemption requests for the lodgement of image file plans after 31 March 2023 must be made to DPL@landservices.com.au prior to plan lodgement providing the EPL ID and the reason for requesting an exemption.

Further exemptions will only be considered for large, staged developments where the initial stage(s) of the subdivision were lodged with Land Services SA prior to 1 January 2023. In addition, Land Services SA will consider exemption requests for complex plans determined to be unsuitable for lodgement in the DPL format.



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