

# Notice

To Lodging Parties

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## **New Error Acknowledgement Process – DPL Closure and Joins Report**

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As detailed in [Customer Information Bulletin #414](#), on Thursday, 13 November 2025, the new Closure and Joins Report was made available for Survey Industry users within DPL. This interactive report replaced the redundant PCPlans system and enables industry to validate the closure and joins of a plan prior to lodgement, reducing requisitions and saving time and costs.

This report is just one of the ways the State Government and Land Services SA have invested to support improved plan lodgement quality in South Australia, ensuring data accuracy requirements are met. I am pleased to announce that further enhancements have been made to the Closure and Joins Report, and on 14 April 2026, new error acknowledgement functionality will be introduced to support the requirement for industry to correct or provide explanation for identified data errors on a plan prior to lodgement. This new error acknowledgement requirement is an important step to drive quality improvements and protect the integrity of the South Australian Cadastre.

Plan quality and requisition volumes will be closely monitored over the coming months to assess if further remediation activities need to be considered.

The new error acknowledgement process has been incorporated into the Diagram and Plan Certification tabs within DPL. This requirement will apply to all plans lodged on or after 14 April 2026.

Land Services SA is offering a range of support to Industry, and you are encouraged to take advantage of these:

### **Recommended approach to training:**

1. Ensure you have **installed and using the most up to date CAD Tools** as this will impact the results of the Closure and Joins Report.  
Download the relevant zip file for your CAD Software Package: [CLICK HERE](#)
2. **Watch the CAD Tools Tips and Tricks Training Video:** [CLICK HERE](#)  
An instructive step-by-step view of the new CAD Tools to support you to draft plans in a way that reduces requisitions and leverages the new pre-lodgement validations within DPL.

3. **Watch the Closure and Joins Report Training Video: [CLICK HERE](#)**

A high-level overview of the DPL Closure and Joins Reports, with an introduction to the new acknowledgement process.

**Other support materials include:**

- [Closure and Joins Report Factsheet](#)
- [Closure and Joins Report FAQs](#)
- [Industry Education Hub](#)

Should you have any queries regarding the new Closure and Joins Report, please direct your enquiry to Land Services SA at [DPL@landservices.com.au](mailto:DPL@landservices.com.au).



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