#### Changes to our LMI Waiver Policies and more.



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# **Broker update**

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Hi,

At St.George, we believe it's important to consistently look for new ways to help you and your customers. Stay up to date with the latest information to help your business and customers, including:

- Changes to Credit Policy.
- New CCR Pre-fill feature on ApplyOnline.

#### Your latest must-knows

From **3 July 2023**, (unless specifically noted otherwise), the following changes will apply for new and existing customers and new applications, including applications for an increase to an existing loan or any servicing/variation activity requiring a serviceability assessment.

Changes to Credit Policy:

- Brokers welcome to offer Westpac Group Employees staff LMI Waiver Policy.
- We've included eligible temporary visa holders for our LMI Waiver Policies.

- Increased Automated Valuation Model LVR Limits to validate purchase price.
- Accountant Letters Self Employed.
- Purple Title change in Western Australia.

#### Find out more

#### New CCR Pre-fill feature on ApplyOnline

To help reduce manual process and unnecessary rework, ApplyOnline will have the option for brokers to automatically have missing liabilities or mismatches prefilled, based on the customer's CCR.

#### Find out more

### Helpful tips to help you prosper

A reminder that all escalations must be raised via BrokerHub. Here are some helpful tips to keep in mind when raising an escalation on BrokerHub:



#### Ensure the escalation meets our escalation criteria.



## Provide detailed context surrounding the escalation by including information such as:

- Why is an escalation required?
- What you need from us to help resolve the escalation?
- When finance or settlement is due, specify the date per the Contract of Sale?
- Provide the Contract of Sale for any escalation relating to an Approval in Principle converting to full approval.

Once the escalation has been raised, the Escalations team will review the application and the escalation details. Where an escalation has been accepted, your escalation will remain on file until the outcome of the escalation has been achieved.

There is no need for any follow ups or repeat escalations.

You've got questions? We've got time to talk.



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Thanks,

Your St.George team



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Things you should know:

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