



Coversheet

Recognising housing contributions from all boarders

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These documents have been proactively released.

29 January 2025, Cabinet paper - Decisions for implementing the Budget 2024 cost-savings initiative to recognise housing contributions from all boarders, including Appendices:

Appendix 1: Mandatory Reviews – detailed design

Appendix 2: Decisions which the retrospective delegated authority to Joint Ministers will apply to

Regulatory Impact Statement: Introducing mandatory reviews to support implementation of the Budget 2024 cost-savings initiative to recognise housing contributions from all boarders

29 January 2025, Cabinet Economic Policy Committee Minute ECO-25-MIN-0002, Cabinet Office.

23 March 2025, Cabinet Minute Additional Item: Recognising Housing Contributions from All Boarders: Proposed Changes CAB-25-MIN-0050, Cabinet Office.

This paper sought decisions relating to the introduction of mandatory reviews for some benefits, to support implementation of Budget 2024 initiative to recognise housing contributions from all boarders in the assessment of housing subsidies.

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Please note the Cabinet paper and Regulatory Impact Statement provide indicative savings amounts. These costings were refined through the Budget 2025 process.

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