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Fact sheet

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The Non-Mains Energy Concession assists cardholders who rely on liquefied petroleum gas (LPG), firewood or heating oil for domestic heating, cooking or hot water, or who access non-mains electricity via an embedded network, or who rely on a generator. Special conditions apply for the firewood concession.

All non-mains energy costs are covered from 1 January to 31 December each year. The amount of the rebate depends on the annual amount of each non-mains energy source purchased.

The rebate amount for 2015 on each utility is as follows:

- \$46 for spending from \$100 to \$260.99
- \$137 for spending from \$261 to \$785.99
- \$229 for spending from \$786 to \$1307.99
- \$327 for spending from \$1308 to \$1866.99
- \$418 for spending from \$1867 to \$2388.99
- \$508 for spending \$2389 or more.

Rebates are reviewed each year.

To be eligible cardholders must hold one of the following cards:

- Pensioner Concession Card
- Health Care Card
- Veterans' Affairs Gold Card.

How to apply

Application forms are available from LPG suppliers, local councils, caravan park proprietors or by contacting the Concessions Information Line on 1800 658 521 (toll free). Applications for 2015 close 30 June 2016.

You will need to include copies of your non-mains energy invoices.

More information

For help in your language call the Concessions Information Line on 1800 658 521 (toll free) and ask to speak to an interpreter.

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