

Customer Service Guarantee Exemption Advice – 20251204-TAS-S-B-I-EAST COAST DISTRICTS EXT

We've previously advised of an interruption to Telstra's normal operations, due to parts of the Glamorgan–Spring Bay local government area, in the East Coast Districts of Tasmania was impacted by out-of-control bushfires resulting in Telstra's inability to install and repair fixed telephone services between 4th December 2025 to 8th December 2025.

We are continuing to experience ongoing delays in installation and repair activities due to this event. We estimate that as many as 9 Telstra services may be impacted.

Services in the area mentioned above with phone numbers in the following number ranges may have been affected:

- 03 6215 1000 To 03 6215 1999
- 03 6238 9000 To 03 6239 0999
- 03 6254 6000 To 03 6259 9999
- 03 6297 7300 To 03 6297 8999

How will this affect you?

We anticipate that most services will be restored by 23rd December 2025. We're sorry for any inconvenience this delay may cause but we can assure you we are working hard to get things back on track.

In the event this timeframe is extended, a revised notification will be provided.

What else do you need to know?

Due to this event, we're claiming an exemption under section 24 of the Telecommunications (Customer Service Guarantee) Standard 2023, including an exemption from the payment of compensation between 4th December 2025 to 23rd December 2025 inclusive for any delays in fixing or connecting services, and the keeping of appointments relating to these activities in the impacted area.

The exemption process is explained in sections 24–30 of the *Telecommunications (Customer Service Guarantee) Standard 2023*, which can be found on the [Australian Government, Federal Register of Legislation](#) website.

What's next?

You don't need to do anything. We're doing all we can to return to normal operating standards.

To request a copy of the CSG exemption notice, or, for any questions about your service, the CSG exemption, or to ask us to reconsider whether the circumstances are a proper basis for claiming the exemption, please call 132200.

To report a service disruption or fault, please call 132203.

If you're not satisfied with this exemption or our approach to your request, you can contact the Telecommunications Industry Ombudsman.