

Circular 3543

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2017/18 Lifesaving Equipment Grant (LEG)

Attention: Branch Presidents, Branch Directors of Lifesaving, Branch CEO's, Branch Secretaries, Club Presidents, Club Captains, Club Directors of Lifesaving and Club Secretaries.

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Summary	This circular outlines the application process, eligibility criteria and timelines of the 2017-18 Lifesaving Equipment Grant (LEG).
Objective	The Lifesaving Equipment Grant is facilitated annually with the objective of providing contestable financial assistance to Lifesaving Services to promote upgrading and maintaining primary rescue and patrolling equipment essential to lifesaving services.
Actions	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. SLSNSW provides Branches with spreadsheets for funding allocations by: 20th April 20182. Branches provide SLSNSW with completed funding allocation spreadsheets by: 25th May 20183. SLSNSW reviews and approves funding allocation spreadsheets by: 1st June 20184. SLSNSW bulk purchases all approved equipment items and coordinates deliveries

2017/18 Lifesaving Equipment Grant (LEG) Overview

The annual Lifesaving Equipment Grant (LEG) proudly funded by the NSW Government and facilitated by Surf Life Saving NSW is once again open to all NSW Surf Clubs. The Lifesaving Equipment Grant aims to provide contestable financial assistance to Clubs to promote maintaining and upgrading operational gear and equipment items essential to Lifesaving operations.

This year, SLSNSW will continue to provide bulk purchasing processes in order to obtain competitive discounts on top quality operational equipment for Surf Clubs from SLSNSW preferred suppliers. A list of approved equipment that is eligible for purchase as part of the Lifesaving Equipment Grant is available as an appendix to this circular

Obligations for the Lifesaving Equipment Grant

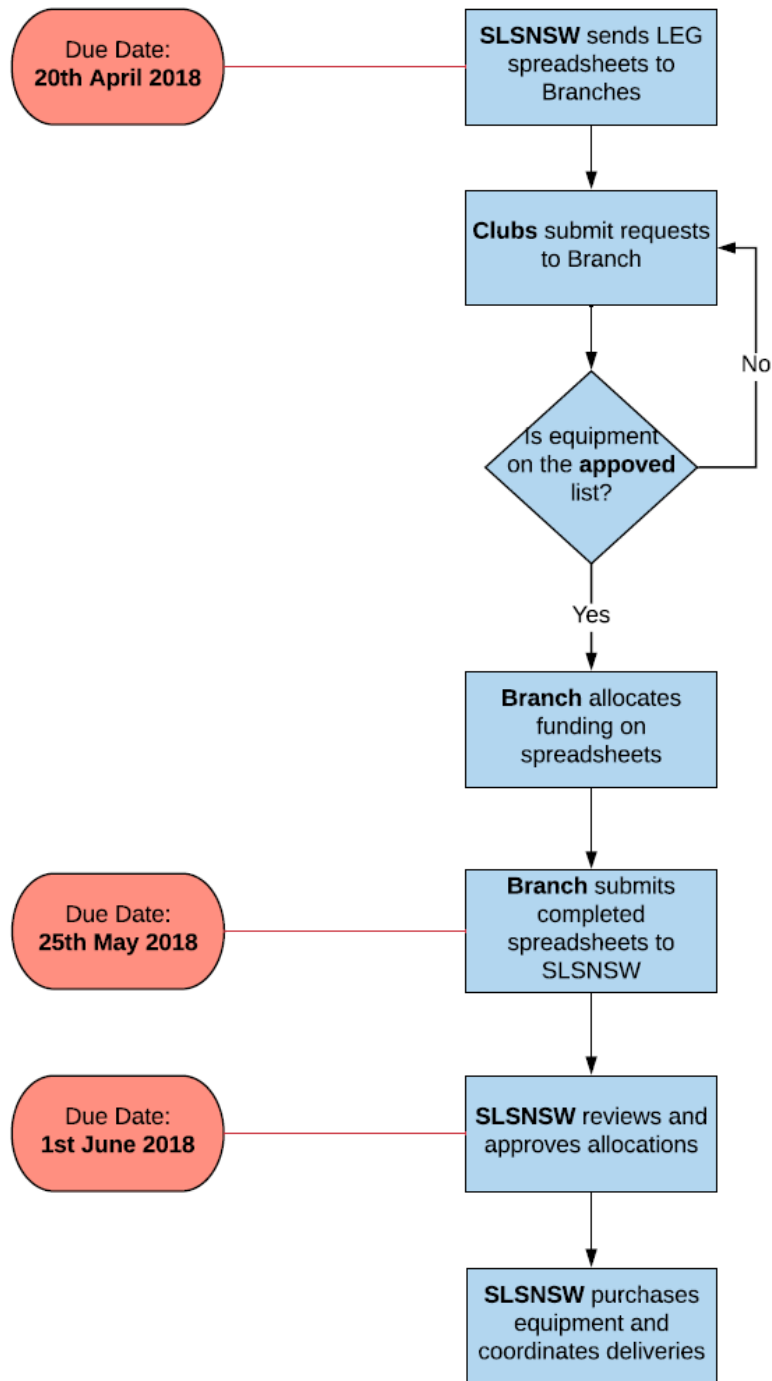
NSW Branches are obliged to meet certain requirements in order to be successful in receiving their allocated funding. Firstly, they will need to adhere to the above timelines, with no extensions to be given. In the case of step 2 of the above actions, if Branches do not submit their completed allocations prior to 25th May 2018, they will lose all allocated funding and it will be made available to other Branches to assist with their purchasing.

Branches are also to clearly communicate with Surf Clubs on funding allocations and equipment that they will be receiving. This is particularly important for any equipment that is partially funded by SLSNSW, requiring Clubs to pay remaining portions of equipment direct to suppliers.

Lifesaving Equipment Grant Processes Guidelines

Please see below guidelines to assist NSW Branches and Surf Clubs with the process for the 2017/18 Lifesaving Equipment Grant. All submission required by SLSNSW from Branches shall be sent to Lachlan Wild, SLSNSW Lifesaving Officer at lwild@surflifesaving.com.au.

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2017/18 Lifesaving Equipment Grant – Eligible Equipment List

All equipment ordered as part of the 2017/18 Lifesaving Equipment Grant will be from the below eligible equipment list and adhere to Surf Life Saving Equipment Specifications. This list has been developed to target primary rescue and patrolling equipment items essential to lifesaving services and thus, SLSNSW is using preferred suppliers to ensure the highest quality equipment will be purchased.

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All Premium Equipment will be partially funded, with SLSNSW paying half of the total price and the Surf Club to pay the remaining half. All other equipment will be fully funded by SLSNSW. Different sizing is available for all Personal Protective Equipment, with quantities available on the Branch Allocation spreadsheet. For assistance on choosing the correct sizing, please use the “*Equipment Sizing Charts*” table below.

Equipment Type	Equipment Name	Supplier	Price (ex GST)	Image
First Aid Equipment	Defibrillator - Laerdal FrX	Australian Lifesaving Academy	\$ 2,590.00 (GST Exempt)	
	Oxy-Resus Kit - Neann - Fully Stocked	Australian Lifesaving Academy	\$ 670.00	
	First Aid Kit - Neann - Fully Stocked	Australian Lifesaving Academy	\$ 1,600.00 (GST Exempt)	
Aquatic Rescue Equipment	Rescue Tube - w/ Red Lanyard and Clip	SLSA	\$ 105.00	
	Robustlite Rescue Board - Removable box style fin - Full length straps	Bennet	\$ 1,300.00	
	Soft Rescue Board - Removable box style fin - Beaded Polypropylene Core	Bennet	\$ 1,150.00	
Communication Equipment	Hytera PD782 Radio - Fully Programmed with Antenna, Battery, Belt Clip and Single Bay Desktop Charger	Karera	\$ 800.00	
	Binoculars - 10X50 Action EX	Nikon	\$ 280.00	
WHS Equipment	Fuel Storage Cabinet - 100L, 160L &250L Cabinets Available - Mandatory Spill Kit for Class3 Flammable Liquids included	Trafalgar	100L = \$ 1,200.00 160L = \$ 1,400.00 250L = \$ 1,645.00	

Personal Protective Equipment	PFD <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Back fin pocket, walkie talkie pocket - Sizing Available - Please note that a minimum combined State order of 150 PFD's is required 	Nalu	\$ 95.00	
	Rescue Fins <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Lifeguard Red & Yellow - Sizing Available 	DaFin	\$ 40.00	
	Wetsuit <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Long Arm, Short Leg, Back Zip - "RESCUE" model - Mens and Ladies Sizing Available - Please note that a minimum combined State order of 150 wetsuits is required 	Nalu	\$ 125.00	
	Patrol Uniform <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Include Patrol Shirt, Shorts and Peaked Cap - Price is per single uniform set 	SLSA	\$ 45.00	
Premium Equipment	ATV <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Defender HD8DPS 	BRP	\$ 18,000.00	
	IRB <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 385 Gen III 	Thundercat	\$ 12,800.00	
	IRB Motor <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Stainless Steel Prop and Prop Guard - PSP Surf Kit 	Tweed Coast Marine	\$ 4,920.00	



Equipment Sizing Charts

PFD	Body Mass(kg)	Chest Size (cm)	Body Size							
	40-50	76-83	2XS							
	50-60	83-89	XS							
	60-70	89-95	S							
	60-70	95-102	M							
	70+	102-108	L							
	70+	108-114	XL							
	70+	114-121	2XL							
	70+	121-127	3XL							
Rescue Fins	US Men's Shoe Sizes									
	XXS 1-2	XS 3-5	SM 5-6	MD 7-8	ML 9-10	LG 11-12	XL 13-14	XXL 15-16		
Rescue Fins	US Women's Shoe Sizes									
	XXS 2-3.5	XS 4-5.5	SM 6-7.5	MD 8-9.5	ML 10-11.5	LG 12-13.5	XL 14-15.5	XXL 16-17.5		
Wetsuit		SIZE	HEIGHT cm	HEIGHT in	WEIGHT kg	WEIGHT lb	CHEST cm	CHEST in	WAIST in	WAIST cm
	MENS	XS	170-175	5'7"-5'9"	57-64	125-140	88-93	34.5-35.5	28-30	71-76
		S	173-178	5'8"-5'10"	61-70	135-155	93-98	36.5-38.5	29-31	74-79
		ST	183-188	6'0"-6'3"	66-75	145-165	93-98	36.5-38.5	29-31	74-79
		M	175-180	5'9"-5'11"	68-77	150-170	98-103	38.5-40.5	30.5-32.5	77-83
		MS	169-174	5'6.5"-5'8.5"	64-73	140-160	98-103	38.5-40.5	30.5-32.5	77-83
		MT	185-191	6'1"-6'3"	73-82	160-180	98-103	38.5-40.5	30.5-32.5	77-83
		L	178-183	5'10"-6'0"	77-86	170-180	103-108	40.5-42.5	32.5-34.5	83-88
		LS	171-177	5'7.5"-5'9.5"	73-82	160-180	103-108	40.5-42.5	32.5-34.5	83-88
		XL	180-185	5'11"-6'1"	86-95	190-210	108-113	42.5-44.5	34.5-36.5	88-93
		XLS	174-179	5'8.5"-5'10.5"	82-91	180-200	108-113	42.5-44.5	34.5-36.5	88-93
	WOMENS	2XL	183-188	6'0"-6'2"	95-104	210-230	113-118	44.5-46.5	36.5-38.5	93-98
		3XL	183-191	6'0"-6'2"	104-113	230-250	119-124	47-49	38.5-43.5	98-110
		6	163-168	5'4"-5'6"	50-57	110-125	80-85	31.5-33.5	25-27	63-68
	WOMENS	8	165-170	5'5"-5'7"	55-61	120-135	83-88	32.5-34.5	26-28	66-71
		10	168-173	5'6"-5'8"	59-68	130-150	86-91	34-36	27-29	68-73
		12	170-175	5'7"-5'9"	64-73	140-160	90-95	35.5-37.5	29-31	73-78
		14	172-180	5'9"-5'11"	68-77	150-170	94-99	37-39	30-32	76-81
16		175-183	5'9"-6'0"	75-84	165-185	98-102	38.5-40.5	32-34	81-86	