Customer Complaints Report

Department of State Development, Manufacturing, Infrastructure and Planning (DSDMIP)

2017-18

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Total Customer Complaints

There were 35 customer complaints for the 2017–18 financial year – 14 complaints for DSD from July to December 2017 and 21 complaints for DSDMIP from January to June 2018. The increase in customer complaints between the two halves of the year is due to Economic Development Queensland (EDQ) being transferred to DSDMIP from January 2018. EDQ experience a high volume of complaints relating to infrastructure developments and associated works.
Timeliness of Response

In 2017–18, 66 per cent of customer complaints were responded to within DSDMIP’s service standard of 15 working days.

Complaint Outcomes

In 2017–18, 94 per cent or a total of 33 customer complaints were assessed as requiring further action. The further action taken can include providing further information or feedback, changing a department process, solving a problem or reversing a decision previously made by the department.

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