



Australian Government
**Department of Agriculture,
Fisheries and Forestry**



Tasmania
**Department of
Economic Development**

TASMANIAN SOFTWOOD INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME (TSIDP)

Application Form

Applicants for assistance under the Tasmanian Softwood Industry Development Programme should complete this application form. Additional information may be submitted if you believe it will be useful to the advisory committee or the Ministers in the consideration of your application.

The information you provide will be used only for assessing your eligibility under TSIDP and making payments approved by the Ministers. The proceedings of the advisory committee are confidential. However, if your application for assistance under TSIDP is successful, the amount of your grant, the name of your business and other details of the proposal may be made public.

Applications should be submitted as soon as possible. If full details cannot be provided at this stage, then please lodge an expression of interest by completing as much of this form as you can.

The TSIDP advisory committee will meet in February 2006 to consider applications and expressions of interest that have been submitted by 20 January 2006. The advisory committee will then meet as required to consider later applications.

Assistance with the review of proposals and the preparation of grant applications is available from the Tasmanian Department of Economic Development's Business Point on telephone 1800 440 026.

If you have any questions or need further information, please contact the TSIDP secretariat on (02) 6272 4196 or e-mail at fisap@daff.gov.au

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A. BUSINESS DETAILS

1. Name of Business
2. Australian Business Number (if applicable)
3. Name of contact person
4. Position of contact person
5. Address

6. Contact Numbers:

Business Hours:

Mobile:

Fax:

Email:

@

7. Names and positions of all directors or partners

Full Name	Position

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8. Which sector of the timber industry are you operating in or proposing to operate in? (If you operate in more than one sector, please indicate an approximate percentage against each sector).

SECTOR	%
<input type="checkbox"/> Harvesting and haulage	
<input type="checkbox"/> Exotic softwood sawmilling	
<input type="checkbox"/> Exotic softwood further processing	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (please give details)	

Details:

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B. YOUR PROPOSAL

9. Please provide a brief description of your proposal

If your proposal involves the sawing or processing of timber, please continue at Question 10.
If your proposal does not involve sawing or processing timber, please go to Question 14.

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C. WOOD SUPPLIES

10. What is the minimum volume of timber and quality of timber required for the proposed development to operate at a viable level?

12. Please provide details of your wood supply agreements to confirm that you have long-term access to sufficient wood to undertake your proposal, e.g.
 - name of person or business with whom you have a wood supply agreement
 - volume and type of timber
 - length of contract.

13. Please provide details of any additional timber that you intend to obtain to meet the requirements of the proposal.

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E. BUDGET SUMMARY

17.

Description Of Items To Be Purchased With TSIDP Assistance	Cost (ex GST) \$	Grant Amount (ex GST) \$	Applicant's Funds \$	Other Funding \$
TOTALS <i>(right click & "Update Field" to auto-add)</i>	0	0	0	0

18. Please give details of any other funding sources.

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F. INVESTMENT HISTORY

19. Please provide details of capital investments made by the business in the last 5 years

Description of item	Total cost \$	Date of installation

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G. PROJECT TIMING

20. What is the expected date of commencement of the project?
21. What is the expected date of completion of the project? (Note that funding for the program expires on 30 June 2008).
22. What will be the key milestones in the completion of the project?

Milestone	Estimated date of completion

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H. EMPLOYMENT

23. Number of employees before commencement of the proposed development

Full-time	
Part-time	
Estimated full-time equivalent jobs, based on 40-hour week	

24. Expected number of employees at the conclusion of the proposed development

Full-time	
Part-time	
Estimated full-time equivalent jobs, based on 40-hour week	

I. SIGNATURES

25. Signed for and on behalf of the applicant

Signature: _____

Full name: _____

Date: _____

Send your application form and all associated documentation to:

The Director
TSIDP Secretariat
Forest Industries Branch
Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry
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