



Australian Government

Energy Bill Relief

Small businesses



Energy bill relief is here

The Australian Government is providing energy bill relief to more than one million small businesses.

Eligible small businesses will receive up to \$325 credit

To be eligible you will need to:

- have an active electricity account
- not operate from a residential address with a residential electricity tariff, and
- meet the definition of a 'small business' in the state/territory that your business operates in. This will be based on your business's annual energy usage.

This may include small businesses located in an embedded network such as a shopping centre, but will depend on your state/territory.

More information on state/territory eligibility is available on state/territory energy department websites. You can find a list of these websites at supportingaustralians.gov.au/energy-bill.

Lowanna's story

Lowanna is a small business owner of a gallery in Victoria with an active electricity account. Her gallery is not on an embedded network. As her gallery meets the definition of a small business in Victoria, Lowanna's small business is eligible for a one-off \$325 credit which will be automatically applied.

Coen's story

Coen is a small business owner of a catering shop located in a shopping centre in South Australia. Coen's shop is on an embedded network, which means he buys electricity from the owner of the shopping centre. In South Australia, the owner of the shopping centre is responsible for applying for bill relief on behalf of the small businesses in their embedded network. As Coen's shop meets the definition of a small business in South Australia, he will receive the \$325 credit as a one-off payment.

More information

To learn more about how these supports benefit you, visit supportingaustralians.gov.au/energy-bill

