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TELCO TOWER RENTALS ADJUSTED AFTER IPART REVIEW

The NSW Government has accepted IPART recommendations on rental charges for telecommunications towers on Crown land. Rental adjustments will be phased in over five years from 1 July, 2013.

As part of the implementation process clients will be consulted to minimise the administrative burdens as these changes are phased in.

There are 1,203 telecommunications licensees on NSW Crown land and part of the revenue raised funds improvements to Crown reserves throughout the state.

The new fee schedule, incorporating revised location and user categories and associated rebates where applicable, is available at www.ipart.nsw.gov.au

The fees reflect fair, market-based commercial returns for the state.

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