Your Guarantee Application



Did you know:

You must provide either a guarantee or a waiver signed by the owner on all residential building projects you are completing. Applications must be submitted **before** work starts. Any applications sent after work starts might incur a late fee.

Documentation Requirements

Contract type	Application form	Building contract	Copy of consented plans	Scope of work	Builder questionnaire
Full contract (new home)	\odot	\bigcirc			
Full contract (renovation)	\odot	\odot	\odot	\bigcirc	
Spec/show home	\odot				
Builder's own home	\bigcirc				
Labour only	\bigcirc	\odot		\odot	
Multi-unit	\bigcirc	\odot	\bigcirc	\odot	\bigcirc
Over \$2m	\bigcirc	\odot	\odot	\bigcirc	

Transferring the guarantee

- A Guarantee **cannot** be transferred before the date of settlement.
- Transfer fees are waived on spec/show home applications only – please note that in order for this fee to be waived, the vendor listed in the sale and purchase agreement must correspond to your RMBA Company name. They will be waived only when transferring from the RMB to the first purchaser/occupier of the new dwelling.
- Where the Guarantee is being transferred for the first time from the builder to a new owner, the builder is responsible for educating the purchaser on the process and timeframes of transferring the Guarantee. Transfer documents must be sent within 90 days of settlement of the property.
- If the settlement date in the sale and purchase agreement states "XX days from the date of issue of the Code Compliance Certificate" we need a copy of the Code Compliance Certificate.

Practical Completion

- MBS cannot process future dated Notices of Practical Completion. These should be sent to MBS on or after the date of practical completion.
- Notice of Practical Completion must be received by MBS before a Guarantee can be transferred to a new owner.

Please Note:

MBS reserves the right to request any additional supporting documents if it is deemed necessary for the assessment of the application.

Support numbers:

Hazelton Law – 04 472 7570 Fairway Disputes Resolutions – 0800 77 44 22

Definitions for 'Contract Type'

- **Full contract:** There is a signed building contract between two parties in place for the building work. The Master Builder is the head contractor and is providing both the labour and the materials.
- Labour Only: The Master Builder is completing the labour component for all or part of the building work, but is not supplying the building materials.
- **Spec/Showhome:** The build is being completed by and for the same company and there is no building contract for the work.
- Builders Own Home: The build is being carried out by the Master Builder and they intend to live in it after work is completed.
- **Multi-Unit/Dwelling:** Where six or more dwellings are being built at the same time. These can be either adjoining units or separate dwellings. Not available for labour only contracts.

Completing the Application Form



Your checklist for the Guarantee Application Form

Please use this checklist to make sure you have answered all the questions correctly on this form that relate to you and your building work. We can only process your application if you complete the form accurately.

You must provide a Guarantee Application Form for each individual dwelling – e.g. a duplex requires 2 separate application forms. If there are 6 or more dwellings, please refer to the multi-unit application process available on Offsite.

Please Note:

If you miss out any details we may need to contact you and there may be a delay in processing your application.

