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Digital Cadastral Database (DCDB)

Over the last few years Lands has engaged in a major systems re-engineering process to integrate spatial data using contemporary database technologies. The latest outcome of this process is that online access to the standard Digital Cadastral Database (DCDB) dataset, baseline supply and incremental update capabilities are now available. Full details are set out in the product description posted on the Lands website www.lands.nsw.gov.au/MapsAndPhotos/digitalpg.htm.

Electronic Service Delivery Questionnaire

We are currently developing systems to provide clients with automated online updates of DCDB and other spatial data. To roll out this service effectively, we would like to know more about clients' IT infrastructure and preferred delivery mechanisms. An updated edition of our Electronic Service Delivery Questionnaire, originally issued in August 2004, is posted at www.lands.nsw.gov.au/MapsAndPhotos/digitalpg.htm. It is important that organisations requiring access to the DCDB complete the questionnaire to provide us with an accurate understanding of their technical capabilities and requirements. Clients who completed the questionnaire when it issued last year need only complete the expanded Section 6 titled "Data Delivery". Completed questionnaires should be returned to Carmen Stephenson by email to Carmen.Stephenson@lands.nsw.gov.au by fax to 6332 8296 or by mail to PO Box 143 Bathurst, NSW 2795.

DCDB Maintenance

LPI Circular 2004/11 "Suspension of maintenance of the Digital Cadastral Database (DCDB) during database upgrading", issued in July 2004, explained arrangements for application of DCDB data changes held over during system migration. Lands can advise that DCDB maintenance has now resumed. Currently, approximately 75% of the update backlog jobs have been processed to completion with a further 10% presently undergoing processing. The backlog is expected to be cleared by the end of August, 2005.

Further Information

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