

# TARGET MARKET DETERMINATION

Mortgage Breaker account (S75, S76)

## 1) Introduction

## About this document

This target market determination (TMD) is a document of Horizon Credit Union Ltd trading as Horizon Bank **[Horizon]**. This TMD seeks to give our customers, staff, product distributors, and other interested parties an understanding of the class of consumers for whom the product described has been designed, how the product is distributed, and related matters. This TMD is not, and should not be construed as, a full summary of the product's Terms and Conditions. Nor is it a substitute for the provision of financial advice. When deciding about the product, consumers should refer to the product's Terms and Conditions and/or Product Disclosure Statement (PDS).

## Product to which this Target Market Determination applies

This TMD applies to the Mortgage Breaker account (S75, S76) [**the product**] referred to in the following Terms and Conditions / Product Disclosure Statement: <u>https://horizonbank.com.au/more/important-info/disclosure-documents/</u>

# Effective date of this Target Market Determination

This TMD is effective from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2022

# 2) Class of consumers comprising the product's target market

Below we summarise the class of consumers comprising the target market for the product based on the product's key attributes and the consumer objectives, financial situations, and needs the product has been designed to meet.

## **Class of consumers**

The product has been designed for consumers who have surplus credit funds and don't wish to use these to reduce the balance of a home loan however wish to receive reduced debit interest by offsetting the balance of this account against their loan.

Product description	Key Attributes	Eligibility Criteria
An everyday savings	Credit funds used to offset the	Be a member of Horizon Bank
account with the daily	interest component of a home	
balance offset against a	loan	Minimum age of 18yrs
home loan to reduce home		
loan debit interest.	Banking access facilities include; ATM/eftpos, Online and mobile	Be a resident of Australia
	banking. Phone, BPAY and branch access.	Meet Horizon Bank Credit risk criteria
		Have a Horizon Bank secured Mortgage

## Product description, key attributes, and eligibility criteria

## **Objectives, financial situations, needs**

Consumer Objectives	Financial Situation	Needs product designed to meet
Easy access to funds	The product is designed to provide customers with an	The customer needs to have access to the funds with no
Credit funds offset to reduce the interest payable on a	account to offset interest payable on a home loan	notice period.
home loan	Surplus credit funds	The customer uses the account as their main (or one of) transacting account.
		Reduce interest on home loan

The product has been designed for individuals (outlined below) who:

## Consistency with the target market

The Mortgage Breaker (S75, S76) product including its key attributes is likely to be consistent with the likely objectives, financial situation and needs of the class of customers in the target market, as we consider that it provides the required type of banking access, fee structure and transaction allowances for that class of consumer. This has been determined based on an assessment of the product including its key attributes. Individual customers will need to consider whether this product meets their specific objectives, financial situation and needs.

## **Excluded class of consumers**

The product has NOT been designed for individuals who:

- Don't have a mortgage secured by Horizon Bank
- Do not have surplus credit funds available

# 3) Distribution of the product

## **Distribution channels**

The product is designed to be distributed through the following means:

- In branch
- Via online banking
- By contacting any branch by phone

## **Distribution conditions and restrictions**

The distribution of the product is subject to the following conditions and restrictions:

- Can only be distributed by Horizon bank staff member who is Tier 2 accredited and has received full training for this product

# 4) Reporting by distributors and staff of the product

## Significant inconsistent dealings

Staff must report to us immediately they become aware of a significant dealing in the product that is inconsistent with this TMD.

## Complaints

Staff must follow the Horizon complaints process and escalate any matter that is inconsistent with this TMD.

## 5) Reviewing this Target Market Determination

#### Initial review

We will undertake an initial review of this TMD within 2 years of the effective date (see section 1).

#### **Periodic review**

We will undertake periodic reviews of this TMD at least every 2 years from the initial review.

#### **Review triggers or events**

We will also undertake a review of this TMD in the following circumstances:

- If we make a material change to the design or distribution of the product
- If a significant inconsistent dealing in the product occurs
- If we receive a significant number of complaints regarding the design or distribution of this product
- If the business performance and value provided by this product indicate the TMD is no longer appropriate.
- If ASIC raises concerns about the product's design or distribution
- If the Australian Financial Complaints Authority or a Court raise concerns about the product's design or distribution
- If the product's design or distribution receive adverse media coverage
- If any other event or circumstance occurs indicating that this TMD may no longer be appropriate.

Where a review trigger or event occurs, we will review this TMD within 10 business days.