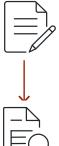




## **NSW Stolen Generations Reparations Scheme**Fact Sheet 4 – Assessment Process

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Complete the application form available from Aboriginal Affairs and lodge with proof of identification. There is no need to provide any other documentation – the Stolen Generations Reparations Scheme Unit (SGRS Unit) will contact you if we need more information.



The SGRS Unit will search Aborigines Welfare Board records for evidence of your removal by the Board. If we cannot find any records of your removal, we may contact you for further information.



The Independent Assessor will consider your application and make a recommendation to the Minister based on all the available evidence.

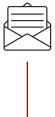


The Minister for Aboriginal Affairs will make a decision whether to approve a payment.





The SGRS Unit will write to request your bank details. We will also ask whether you would like to make a statement about your removal and receive a personal apology.



You will receive a letter explaining the reasons why. If you think there is information that has not been taken into account in reaching a decision or the SGRS Guidelines have not been followed you can request a review in writing.



Payment will be made to your bank account and you will receive a written personal apology if you requested one.



Reviews will be conducted by a different Assessor to the one that made the initial recommendation. After reviewing your claim, the Independent Assessor will make a recommendation to the Minister.

This document outlines in a simple way how the SGRS assessment process works. If you need more detailed information on how to make an application and how the SGRS Unit processes claims, you can read or download additional information at <a href="mailto:aboriginalaffairs.nsw.gov.au/healing-and-reparations/stolen-generations">aboriginalaffairs.nsw.gov.au/healing-and-reparations/stolen-generations</a> or you can email the Scheme at <a href="mailto:stolen-generations@aboriginalaffairs.nsw.gov.au">stolen-generations@aboriginalaffairs.nsw.gov.au</a>