HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES STANDING COMMITTEE ON ECONOMICS

REVIEW OF THE FOUR MAJOR BANKS (SECOND REPORT)

Commonwealth Bank of Australia

CBA25QW:

Please clarify how regularly paper statements are issued for BankWest accounts.

Answer:

Where a customer opts to receive e-statements, no paper statement is issued and no paper statement fee is payable.

Statements for personal products are usually issued as detailed below.

| Product | Statement Cycle |
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| Credit cards | Monthly |
| Transaction and savings accounts | Every six months, except: if the customer has a Debit MasterCard linked to the account, statements are issued quarterly; if there are more than 200 transactions, an additional statement will be issued; and customers can request other timeframes, but the timeframe can be no longer than the usual statement cycle. |
| Personal loans (Bankwest does not currently charge a paper statement fee for personal loans) | Every six months, except that customers can request other timeframes. |
| Home loans (Bankwest does not currently charge a paper statement fee for home loans) | Every six months, except that customers can request other timeframes. |