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To: All APRA-reporting institutions

### New version of D2A available from midday on Monday 2nd June 2014

As advised in [previous correspondence](#), APRA is releasing a new version of D2A (version 5.3). Version 5.3 will be released on **Monday 2nd June 2014**. The updated version has improved performance, includes a number of bug fixes from previous versions, and simplifies the security process with the use of AUSkey only.

Please also note that D2A will be unavailable on **Sunday 1st June**, due to maintenance.

When version 5.3 has been made available, we ask **all users** to download and upgrade to this new version in order to submit data and view previous submissions in D2A. Reporting institutions that do not perform the upgrade will not be able to submit and view returns in D2A.

Please note that Microsoft ceased support for the Windows XP operating system on 8 April 2014, therefore APRA will be unable to provide support for Version 5.3 on Windows XP. APRA will continue to support Windows Vista, Windows 7, and is expecting to offer support for reporting institutions using Windows 8/8.1 with version 5.3 of D2A.

Further advice will be provided to reporting institutions, including instructions for the installation of version 5.3 of D2A, on APRA's [D2A webpage](#) following the release.

### Help and further information

For further information and documentation regarding D2A, please visit the APRA website [D2A webpage](#), contact the D2A Help Desk via e-mail, [d2ahelp@apra.gov.au](mailto:d2ahelp@apra.gov.au) or call (02) 9210 3400 between the hours of 9am and 5pm EST.

For further information on how to obtain and use AUSkey, please refer to [www.auskey.abr.gov.au](http://www.auskey.abr.gov.au) or call 1300 AUSKEY (1300 287 539). Please note that APRA does not issue or manage AUSkey.

### Important note

***Extensions to submission due dates will not be granted by APRA to reporting institutions that are unable to submit their return to APRA because they have not obtained an AUSkey or upgraded to version 5.3 of D2A.***

Regards

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