

Games of chance

When and where is a permit needed?

NSW

To run promotions over the value of \$10,000 in NSW, a promoter must hold an authority. Individual T&Cs must then be submitted under that authority.

ACT

Always for promotions with a prize pool exceeding \$3,000.

SA

Always for promotions with an instant win element, regardless of prize value and for draw-based promotions with a total prize pool exceeding \$5,000.

NT

Always for promotions with a prize pool exceeding \$5,000 and if no other authority has been issued.

WA

Permits are not needed, however, T&Cs for promotions conducted by audio, visual or electronic media must be lodged with the WA authority.

2026-2027 permit fees

	Permit application		Amendment application	
	Total prize pool	Fee	Total prize pool	Fee
Australian Capital Territory	\$3,001 – \$5,000	\$264	\$0 – \$5,000	\$76
	\$5,001 – \$10,000	\$386	\$5,001+	\$149
	\$10,001 – \$50,000	\$746		
	\$50,001 – \$100,000	\$1,067		
	\$100,001 – \$200,000	\$2,133		
	\$200,001+	\$4,278		
South Australia		Standard fee	Premium fee	
	Instant prize only	Up to \$10,000	\$261	\$523
	Major trade promotion only	\$5,001 – \$10,000	\$261	\$523
	Both instant & major trade promotions	\$10,001 – \$50,000	\$959	\$1,921
		\$50,001 – \$100,000	\$1,678	\$3,348
		\$100,001 – \$200,000	\$2,877	\$5,750
		\$200,001+	\$5,274	\$10,550
Northern Territory	\$5,000+	Nil	Nil	

No GST applies to permit fees.

2026-2027 NSW authority fees (only paid once per authority period)

	Authority period	
New South Wales	1 year	\$488
	3 years	\$751
	5 years	\$1,014
No GST applies to authority fees. Fees apply to online applications only.		



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