
19. Debts, Loss and Damage

Debts Written Off

This year, the Department wrote off 4,854 debts totalling \$599,704.06. The vast majority of these relate to the Monetary Penalties Enforcement Service.

Loss and Damage

The Department manages a diverse number of sites and resources and this leaves the Department open to potential loss of or damage to these assets and facilities. There is also the potential for general liability claims brought against the Department resulting from its activities.

Table 19.1: Summary of claims lodged with the Tasmanian Risk Management Fund in 2018-19

Category	Number of incidents	Estimated value
General property	0	0
General liability	0	0
Motor vehicle	26	\$80,852
New workers compensation	138	\$6,183,001
Personal accident	1	\$50,000
Transit	0	0

The Department is insured through the Tasmanian Risk Management Fund, which provides insurance for risk including workers compensation, legal liability, property damage and motor vehicle cover