## TEACHERS MUTUAL BANK LIMITED

# STARTER SAVER ACCOUNT

**Target Market Determination** 

Date: 1 September 2025



### **ABOUT THIS DOCUMENT**

This Target Market Determination (TMD) applies to the Starter Saver Account issued by Teachers Mutual Bank Limited ABN 30 087 650 459, Australian Financial Services Licence/Australian Credit Licence 238981 (TMBL). TMBL operates under a number of brand names.

This TMD seeks to give TMBL members, staff, product distributors and other interested parties an understanding of the class of consumers for whom the Starter Saver Account has been designed and how the product is to be distributed.

This TMD is not, and should not be construed as, a full summary of the product's terms, conditions and attributes. Nor is it a substitute for the provision of financial advice. When deciding about the product, consumers should refer to the Conditions of Use Accounts and Access, available at www.tmbank.com.au.

For further information on TMBL's approach to the distribution and development of products for appropriate target markets, please refer to the website, www.tmbank.com.au/design-distribution-obligations.









## TARGET MARKET DETERMINATION

Issuer: Teachers Mutual Bank Limited ABN 30 087 650 459, Australian Financial Services

Licence/Australian Credit Licence 238981

**Effective Date:** 1 September 2025 **Product:** Starter Saver Account

#### A. Class of consumers

Below TMBL summarises the class of consumers comprising the target market for the Starter Saver Account based on the Product's key attributes and the consumer objectives, financial situation and needs.

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION		
Product Description	A variable interest rate savings account for consumers who meet the eligibility criteria.	
Key Attributes	A savings account with the following key attributes:  variable interest rate;  tiered interest rate;  access funds via internal account transfer;  direct deposits and credits;  PayID;  no monthly account fee;  no excess usage charge;  internet banking, phone banking, mobile app banking and banking in branch;  SMS push notifications and email tracking notifications.	
Eligibility	The Product is available to a consumer under 30 years of age, or who is a student at an Australian University, at the time of account opening, who is an Australian citizen or Australian permanent resident.	









LIKELY NEEDS, OBJECTIVES AND FINANCIAL SITUATION			
Class Description	The Product has been designed for consumers who meet the eligibility criteria, seeking to grow their savings and accrue interest, with a variable rate of interest.		
Likely Financial Situation	Consumers with a wide range of:  income and saving habits; and risk tolerances.		
Likely Needs	Consumers who need a savings account:  to deposit funds;  to earn interest on deposited funds;  to access funds via internal account transfer; and  with no excess usage charge;  with no monthly account keeping fee.		
Likely Objective	<ul> <li>Consumers seeking a savings account with the following features:</li> <li>the ability to earn interest each month, while having funds available at call;</li> <li>the ability to access savings at any time via internal account transfer with the Everyday Direct Account or Bill Paying Account;</li> <li>the ability to create a PayID for instant, secure payments between bank accounts that is easier to remember than a BSB and account number; and</li> <li>the ability to access phone banking, internet banking, mobile app banking and banking in branch.</li> </ul>		
Classes of Consumers for whom the Product has not been designed	This account might not be designed for a consumer who does not meet the eligibility requirements, requires funds for everyday transactions, an account that locks their funds away or requires certainty in their interest rate.		









#### B. Distribution conditions and restrictions

Below TMBL summarises the conditions and restrictions on distribution of the Product and the distribution channels that are likely to result in distribution to consumers in the target market.

Distribution Channel		ncluding email and live chat function; 「MBL events, home visits and video chat;
Distribution Conditions and Restrictions	General advice (such as advertising)	<ul> <li>the distributor may provide general advice, such as advertising, through public channels.</li> </ul>
	Retail Product distribution conduct (other than general advice)	<ul> <li>the Product must not be distributed through third parties, the product can only be distributed directly by TMBL;</li> <li>all distribution channels must be staffed by persons who have been trained in the distribution of this Product; and</li> <li>the Product can only be distributed to consumers that meet the eligibility requirements for the Product.</li> </ul>

#### **DISTRIBUTION DETERMINATION**

The distribution strategy will enable the Product to reach consumers in the target market as the distribution channels are monitored by TMBL and/or staffed by persons who have been trained in the distribution of this Product.









#### C. Review

Below TMBL summarises the events or circumstances that reasonably suggest that the TMD is no longer appropriate.

<ul> <li>material changes to the design and/or distribution of the Product, including its key attributes and terms and conditions; or</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>is no longer appropriate and would trigger a review of the TMD:</li> <li>significant dealings that are inconsistent with the TMD;</li> <li>a disproportionately high number of complaints received in relation to the deand/or distribution of the Product;</li> <li>relevant material change in law, such as changes to applicable legislation, court/AFCA decisions, regulatory guidance or other mandatory requirement which impact the Product's design and/or distribution;</li> <li>identified systemic issues in the design and/or distribution of the Product, which would cause the TMD to no longer be appropriate;</li> </ul>	







