

Overview

As part of the Department's commitment to improving the ePlanning Digital Services on the NSW Planning Portal, we regularly deploy fixes where required and introduce minor enhancements to APIs to support policy changes. These deployments occur on a monthly schedule and are backward compatible, meaning that code changes are not required at the stakeholder end.

This month's release note captures all fixes and enhancements that have been deployed under each digital service API. Some items may require configuration changes on the part of the stakeholders – see table below.

Please note that this document is designed to support the technical staff responsible for the maintenance of stakeholder APIs. It ensures that the integration between the ePlanning Portal and stakeholder IT systems continues to improve.

If you have any questions about the below updates, please contact us at ePlanningAPI@planning.nsw.gov.au.

Online DA Service APIs (where Council is the consent authority)

Please note, these APIs operate between NSW Planning Portal and IT systems of Councils.

There are two versions currently supported by the Department (DA V1 and DA V2).

Jira Ticket Ref	API version	Data flow	Operation	Description	Action(s)
INCAPI-1740	DA V1	Council to ePlanning	Request Additional Info	Internal server error that was reported by one of the customers via email when triggering Request Additional Info for DA has been fixed.	No action required.

Online State DA Service APIs (where the NSW Government is the consent authority)

Please note, these APIs only operate between NSW Planning Portal and IT systems of relevant State Agencies.

Jira Ticket Ref	API version	Data flow	Operation	Description	Action(s)
INCAPI-1628	StateDA V1	Agency to ePlanning	Determine	API has been amended to display the relevant error message 'A Concurrence and Referral case is still in progress. Please act on the concurrence case to proceed with the determination on DA' when CNR case is in progress during the determination stage, in place of an uploaddatetime related exception. This is to ensure appropriate direction is given to the users to complete the relevant CNR case and then can subsequently attempt to fix the data error relating to uploaddatetime as relevant.	No Action required.

Online Concurrence and Referral Service APIs

Please note, these APIs only operate between NSW Planning Portal and IT systems of relevant State Agencies.

Jira Ticket Ref	API version	Data flow	Operation	Description	Action(s)
INCAPI-1627	CNR V1	ePlanning to Agency	PaymentNotification API	Payment Notification API is fixed to ensure Payment related documents (Invoice and Payment receipt) are being captured/passed appropriately in the payload.	No action required.

INCAPI-1762	CNR v1	ePlanning to Agency	CreateCNR	Fix to ensure documents in agency case are not duplicated in the payload in the event when CNR originating from DA.	No action required.
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Online CDC Service APIs

Please note, these APIs operate between NSW Planning Portal and IT systems of Certifiers (Private and Council).

Jira Ticket Ref	API version	Data flow	Operation	Description	Action(s)
INCAPI-1666	CDC V1	Certifiers to ePlanning	Resend/Getcaseinfo	Resend option is introduced in UI that enables the certifiers to receive the case details.	Certifiers using the Online CDC Service API to review and consider adopting this enhancement as relevant.

Online Post-consent Certificate Service APIs

Please note, these APIs operate between NSW Planning Portal and IT systems of Certifiers (Private and Council).

Jira Ticket Ref	API version	Data flow	Operation	Description	Action(s)
INCAPI-1759	PCC V1	ePlanning to Certifier	CreatePCC /UpdatePCC	API documentation/conditions are updated for the question 'Was there a relevant CC submitted' to indicate it's applicable for Occupation certificate.	Certifiers using the Online PCC Service API to review and consider adopting this

					enhancement as relevant.
INCAPI-1757	PCC V1	ePlanning to Certifier	CreatePCC/Update PCC	API documentation updated for the question 'Date on which CC was determined' (API parameter 'CCDateDetermined') to clearly indicate the conditions of the attribute.	Certifiers using the Online PCC Service API to review and consider adopting this enhancement as relevant.
INCAPI-158	PCC V1	Certifier to ePlanning	MissedInspection	New Missed inspection functionality is provisioned via API through an operation called missed inspection. This is in line with UI to capture the reasons, evident documents on the missed inspections from the certifiers. This is applicable for PCA, CC, OC, SC certificate types.	Certifiers using the Online PCC Service API to review and consider adopting this enhancement as relevant.
INCAPI-1749	PCC-V1	ePlanning to Certifier	UpdatePCC	Update PCC call would be capturing two new statuses, 'Pending PostOC' & 'PostOC completed' & the building practitioner's documents uploads/declarations. They are introduced to address Legislative obligations for building practitioners inline with UI. This is to ensure relevant documents for the building work are provided no later than 90 days after the occupation certificate.	Certifiers using the Online PCC Service API to review and consider adopting this enhancement as relevant.
INCAPI-1862	PCC-V1	Certifier to ePlanning	Determine	'Subdivision certificate stamped approved plans' and 'Occupation certificate stamped approved plans' are made optional for the certifiers during the determination stage of the PCA applications.	Certifiers using the Online PCC Service API to review and consider adopting this enhancement as relevant.

Online Certificate Registration APIs

Please note, these APIs operate between NSW Planning Portal and IT systems of Private Certifiers and the relevant Council.

Jira Ticket Ref	API version	Data flow	Operation	Description	Action(s)
CONAPI-498	CR V1	Certifier to ePlanning	CreateCRCase	Maximum length of applicant name field was changed from 20 to 50 characters during the creation of the CR case.	Certifiers using the Online CR Service API to review and consider adopting this enhancement as relevant.
CONAPI-520	CR V1	Certifier to ePlanning	RegisterAPI	Exception handling process has been enhanced to avoid unexpected submission errors reported during the usage of register API.	No action required.
CONAPI-423	CR V1	ePlanning to Certifier	CreateCR	Document type 'Record of inspection/s' have been made consistent across all CR application types.	No action required.
CONAPI-528	CR V1	ePlanning to Certifier	All operations	Fix has been applied to ensure only the CR case related documents are to be passed to the councils without duplicating any documents in the payloads.	No action required.
INCAPI-997	CR V1	ePlanning to Certifier	CreateCR	Maximum length of the CDC number field is increased to 40 characters from 20 characters.	Certifiers using the Online CR Service API to review and consider adopting this enhancement as relevant.
INCAPI-111	CR V1	N/A	N/A	CR API users are provisioned with a UI screen that could indicate the status of the payment transactions (Successful or Cancelled) upon certifiers completing the payment process.	No action required.

Common APIs (Program-level enhancements that impact the common operations utilised by several service APIs)

Please note, these APIs operate between NSW Planning Portal and IT systems of Private Certifiers and the relevant Council.

There are two versions currently supported by the Department (Common V1 and Common V2), however, Common V1 is reserved for consolidating the administrative functions (e.g. Document exchange, Reassign and Withdraw) that were previously repeated across multiple digital services.

Jira Ticket Ref	API version	Data flow	Operation	Description	Action(s)
INCAPI-1190	Common V1	External Organisation to ePlanning		Reference data API implementation for State DA, BIC, CNR, CR, S68 & 10.7 application. This is a new service and this service provides the list of possible values for applicable fields in every operation.	Any external organisation requiring reference data information may consider using this service.