

Web Kiosk User Guide Approving Long Service Leave (LSL)

Division of People and Culture



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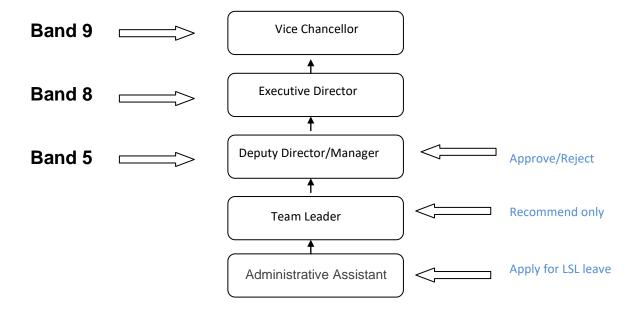
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The Approval Process

Requests for Long Service Leave (LSL) differ from other leave types in Web Kiosk because they can only be approved by a staff member with financial delegation of Band 5 or higher. Other leave types can simply be approved by an immediate supervisor. The other significant difference with applications for Long Service Leave is that under the provisions of the CSU Leave manual, a staff member who submits an application for Long Service Leave with 6 months notice is entitled to take the leave at the time of their choosing.

The approval process for LSL still proceeds upwards through each level in the organisational structure. Depending on where the requesting staff member sits in this structure the request may need to pass through 1, 2, or 3 levels of recommendations before it reaches a staff member with the delegation to approve it.



Supervisors with a delegation below Band 5 will only have the options **Recommend Approval**, **Recommend Reject**, **Escalate** or **No Action**. The system will not allow you to Approve or Reject the request.

Eligibility

Warnings

If the staff member has submitted a request for Long Service Leave but has not yet become eligible to take Long Service Leave you will see something similar to the figures 1 and 2 below:



Figure 1: Summary - LSL Request prior to eligibility

Please note: an employee whose **previous service with another Australian higher education institution is recognised for long service leave purposes** shall be required to serve at least three (3) years with the University before being permitted to take any accrued long service leave. As Web Kiosk cannot assess this eligibility assessment will need to be managed at the School/Centre/Unit level.



Figure 2: Detailed View - LSL Request prior to eligibility

Supervisors at Band 5 and Band 6 have differing approval options. For Band 5 delegates if you feel the leave dates are not suitable, you need to discuss this with the employee concerned and they may need to reverse the application. You do not have an option to reject these applications. If no action is taken, the leave request will automatically escalate to the next level after 7 days.

Notice Given Prior to Leave Start	Delegation	Approval Options
More than 6 months	Band 5	Approve, Escalate or No Action
Less than 6 months	Band 6	Approve, Reject, Escalate or No Action