Shire	Band	Distance from Perth	Distance from Bunbury	Regional Allowance for CEO
Central Country Zone				
Beverley	4	131	264	•
Brookton	4	138	232	
Corrigin	4	234	288	-
Cuballing	4	192	186	-
Dumbleyung	4	267	217	
Kulin	4	280	281	12,900
Lake Grace	4	345	297	12,900
Narrogin	3	193	172	-
Pingelly	4	158	211	-
Quairading	4	166	296	-
Wagin	4	228	179	-
Wandering	4	120	191	- Se-
West Arthur	4	204	120	
Wickepin	4	210	210	-
Williams	4	161	142	
		CCZ Shires over 200kms but under 250kms from regional centre		
		CCZ Shires over 150kms but under 250kms from regional centre		
GECZ				
Koorda	4	238		-
MtMarshall	4	273		12,900
Mukinbudin	4	295		32,200
			-	

The CCZ currently has only two (2) Shires that are eligible for the regional allowance.

While the allowance is determined by several factors, it does seem to be restricted to over 250km from a Regional Centre. The second level of allowance is approximately 300kms from a Regional Centre.

If the distance was reduced to 200kms, three (3) more Shires would be able to access the allowance.

If it is reduced to 150kms an additional five (5) Shires could access the allowance.

For the Shires without a regional allowance, the ability to attract and retain CEO's is hampered as CEO's can earn significantly more, simply by where they are located. In the example of Koorda to Mukinbudin, less than 60kms has an allowance of over \$30,000.

LG does not need an explanation of the allowance, the allowance needs to be reconfigured.