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### **Government Online Locator to Find Insulation Installers**

An online search tool developed and hosted by MapData Sciences Pty Ltd (MDS) is helping thousands of households access the **Australian Government's** ceiling insulation programs.

The Australian Government contracted MDS to develop the online 'Find an installer' tool for the Energy Efficient Homes Package. Householders use the tool to search a national Installer Provider Register, locating an insulation installer in their local area.

The application will help millions of households install ceiling insulation, with assistance of up to \$1,600 on offer from the Government.

The search tool was **modelled** off the 'Find us' application MDS developed for **Medicare Australia**. MDS built and delivered the application within tight timeframes, ready for the start of the main phase of the insulation programs on 1 July 2009.

Householders can use the tool to search for an installer by visiting [www.environment.gov.au/energyefficiency/insulation/homeowners/](http://www.environment.gov.au/energyefficiency/insulation/homeowners/)

For information about the Energy Efficient Homes Package visit <http://www.environment.gov.au/energyefficiency/index.html> or call the Australian Government hotline on 1800 808 571.

*MapData Sciences has been developing and hosting online digital mapping applications for over 11 years as well as supplying mapping data to other online mapping providers and for in-house GIS development projects.*

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