

# This Handy Checklist Can Help You Get Sorted

## Two Months Before You Move

It's time to start thinking big, collating lists and getting things in order. In the early days, remember to:

- Compare the costs of doing it yourself using a removalist
- Set a firm date for your move
- Organise time off work if necessary
- Re-evaluate your home and contents insurance
- Start collecting boxes
- Start keeping a list of mail and suppliers to notify of your move

## One Month Before

The day will come around quicker than you think, so now's the time to get active by:

- Notifying business and relevant people of your address change
- Organise to redirect your mail
- Take unwanted items to charity shops or hold a garage sale
- Book in cleaners
- Start packing all the items you won't be using before you move

## One Week Before

It's almost moving day, so during the next few days you'll need to:

- Clean out the fridge and pantry
- Cancel services and confirm new ones
- Finish all your packing in clearly labelled boxes
- Organise the connection of energy and other services at your new place

## One Day Before You Move

Now's the important time to get things in order. Remember, don't leave it till the last minute and make sure you:

- Turn off the fridge, freezer and washing machine to defrost and dry out
- Finish cleaning if you can
- Throw out as much rubbish as possible
- Get a good night's sleep

## On Moving Day

With so much preparation for the day, make sure it goes smoothly and ensure you:

- Start early
- Keep your essentials handy
- Keep sheets and food handy for the first night at your new place
- Double and triple check the house before you leave