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Qantas Telstra Visa Card
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CHANGES TO QANTAS TELSTRA VISA CARD

SYDNEY, 8 March 2002 The Qantas Telstra Visa Card (QTVC) program partners today announced changes to the branded Qantas Telstra Visa Card with account holders earning Qantas Frequent Flyer points directly from 24 June 2002, instead of earning Qantas Telstra Visa Reward Points which most people redeem for Frequent Flyer points.

Qantas Group General Manager Marketing Curtis Davies said the program was changing because Qantas Frequent Flyer points were favoured by most QTVC account holders.

"Current account holders have until 14 June to use their Qantas Telstra Visa Card Reward Points to claim other Qantas, ANZ or Telstra Rewards.

"Additionally, from 1 March until 23 June, new and current active account holders will receive Qantas Frequent Flyer program membership at no additional cost.

"All remaining QTVC Reward Points on 23 June 2002 will automatically be redeemed for the equivalent number of Qantas Frequent Flyer points and will appear on the QTVC account holder's Qantas Frequent Flyer account," he said.

Under the new scheme the card will be known as the Qantas ANZ Visa Card but cardholders can continue to use their existing cards. Telstra will change from a program partner to a standard bonus partner, with customers now earning two Qantas Frequent Flyer points per dollar spent on selected Telstra products and services.

ANZ Managing Director Cards and ePayments, Brian Hartzer said the Qantas ANZ Visa Card would be the only Australian credit card program that provided Qantas Frequent Flyer points directly.

"Account Holders will be notified of the changes in writing during March," he said.

Customers can call the Rewards Centre on 1300 363 747 Monday to Friday from 09.00am until 5.00pm for more information. Other conditions apply.

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