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AUSTRALIA GENERAL

As bold economic reform ideas go, an 'imputed rent' tax on home owners has precedents

This article looks at a proposal by two economists who consider that, to make taxation fairer, home owner-occupiers should be taxed on the basis of “imputed rent” or the estimated rental value of a residential property. The article looks at an OECD report which details other jurisdictions that tax residential property on this basis.

The article can be accessed via the following link:

[As bold economic reform ideas go, an 'imputed rent' tax on home owners has precedents - ABC News](#)

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Western Australia adopts new digital property valuation platform

This article looks at a new digital platform for property valuations which has been introduced by the government, and which aims to improve efficiency in statutory rating and taxing processes. The article provides details of the new system and the benefits it will provide.

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