2024

THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY FOR THE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

(As presented)

(Speaker)

Remuneration Tribunal Amendment Bill 2024

A Bill for

An Act to amend the Remuneration Tribunal Act 1995

The Legislative Assembly for the Australian Capital Territory enacts as follows:

J2023-972

1	1		Name of Act		
2			This Act is the Remuneration Tribunal Amendment Act 2024.		
3	2		Commencement		
4			This Act commences on the day after its notification day.		
5 6			<i>Note</i> The naming and commencement provisions automatically commence on the notification day (see Legislation Act, s 75 (1)).		
7	3 L		Legislation amended		
8			This Act amends the <i>Remuneration Tribunal Act 1995</i> .		
9	4 New section 9A		New section 9A		
10			insert		
11	9A		Members of Legislative Assembly acting in offices		
12		(1)	This section applies if—		
13 14 15			(a) the tribunal has determined an additional amount of remuneration payable to a member of the Legislative Assembly in relation to holding 1 of the following offices:		
16			(i) Chief Minister;		
17			(ii) Minister;		
18			(iii) Speaker;		
19			(iv) an office mentioned in section 9 (3); and		
20 21			(b) another member of the Legislative Assembly acts in the office for a continuous period of 60 days or more.		
22 23 24		(2)	The additional amount of remuneration is payable to the other member of the Legislative Assembly for the whole of the period the member acts in the office.		

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1 2 3 4		(3)	However, if the other member of the Legislative Assembly would, apart from this subsection, be entitled to be paid 2 or more amounts of additional remuneration, the member is entitled to be paid only the higher or highest amount of additional remuneration.	
5 6 7		(4)	For this section, a member of the Legislative Assembly <i>acts</i> in an office if the member exercises the functions of the office in accordance with—	
8 9			(a) any territory law or law of the Commonwealth that applies to the office; and	
10 11			(b) the instrument by which the member was appointed, engaged, authorised or requested to exercise the functions of the office.	
12	5		Dictionary, note 2	
13			insert	
14			• exercise	
15			• function	
16			• Speaker	

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Endnotes

1	Presentation speech							
	Presentation speech made in the Legislative Assembly on 20 March 2024.							
2	Notification							
	Notified under the Legislation Act on	2024.						
3	Republications of amended laws							
	For the latest republication of amended laws, see www.legislation.act.gov.au							

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