

AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

HAWKERS (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE 1983 NO 22,1983

DOG CONTROL (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE 1983 NO 23,1983

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE 1983 NO 24,1983

BUILDING (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE 1983 NO 20,1983

MOTOR TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE (NO.3) 1983 NO 21,1983

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

Section 12(10) of the Seat of Government (Administration) Act 1910 ("the Act") defines "determination" to mean a determination made by a Minister pursuant to a provision of an Ordinance empowering him to determine by notice in writing published in the Gazette, fees or charges for the purposes of the Ordinance.

Section 12(9A) of the Act provides that every determination shall be laid before each House of the parliament within fifteen sitting days of that house after the day on which the determination is made and if not so laid before each House of the Parliament, shall be void and of no effect.

Section 12(9B) of the Act provides that sections 12(4) to 12(7) inclusive of the Act, which deal with the disallowance of Ordinances shall apply to a determination laid before a House of the Parliament as if the reference in these sub-sections to an Ordinance were references to a determination.

The Hawkers (Amendment) Ordinance 1983, Dog Control (Amendment) Ordinance 1983, Weights and Measures (Amendment) Ordinance 1983, Building (Amendment) Ordinance 1983 and Motor Traffic (Amendment) ordinance (No.3) 1983 (the amending Ordinances) amend the Hawkers Ordinance 1936, Dog Control Ordinance 1975, Weights and Measures Ordinance 1929, Building Ordinance 1972 and the Motor Traffic Ordinance 1936 (the principal Ordinances) respectively to empower the Minister to determine fees for the purposes of the existing Ordinances by notice in writing published in the Gazette.

Details of the amending Ordinance are set out at Attachments A to E.

Ord. No. 31/83  
Ord. No. 29/83  
Ord. No. 30/83  
Ord. No. 32/83  
Ord. No. 33/83

## ATTACHMENT C

### DETAILS OF THE WEIGHTS AND MEASURES (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE 1983

Sections 1 and 2 deal with interpretation.

Section 3 amends section 9 of the principal Ordinance by omitting reference to a prescribed fee and substituting reference to a fee determined by the Minister under proposed section 46A.

Section 4 amends section 30 of the principal Ordinance to remove reference to fees being prescribed and substituting a reference to fees being determined under proposed section 46A.

Section 5 inserts a new section 46A which allows the Minister, by notice in writing published in the Gazette, to determine fees for the purposes of the Ordinance.

Section 6 repeals paragraph 48(1)(u) of the principal Ordinance which empowers the Minister to make regulations prescribing fees.