

**EXPLANATORY STATEMENT**  
**INSTRUMENT OF APPOINTMENT**

Division 2 of the *Bookmakers Act 1985* ("the Act") establishes the Bookmakers Licensing Committee ("the Committee") and outlines its functions, powers and membership.

Section 10 of the Act outlines that the Minister for Sport and Recreation shall appoint one of the members of the Committee as the Chairperson of the Committee.

This Instrument appoints Mr Andrew Pickering as Chairperson of the Committee until 25 July 2001.