

AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

PUBLIC HEALTH ACT 1997

INSTRUMENT NO. 64 OF 1999

DETERMINATION OF CHIEF HEALTH OFFICER FUNCTIONS

UNDER section 9(1)(d) of the *Public Health Act 1997* **I DETERMINE** that the Chief Health Officer shall, as of the date this instrument is notified in the Gazette, have the function of issuing to the public, or any specific group of the public, a warning or alert regarding any public health hazard.

In this determination “public health hazard” means:

- a) a contaminant;
- b) an organism that causes, or that may cause, a notifiable condition; and
- c) any other human pathogenic organism.

Dated this thirty first day of March 1999

Michael Moore

Minister for Health and Community Care