Medicines, Poisons and Therapeutic Goods (Fees) Determination 2016 (No 1)

Disallowable instrument DI2016-286

made under the

Medicines, Poisons and Therapeutic Goods Act 2008, s 197 (Determination of Fees)

1 Name of instrument

This instrument is the *Medicines*, *Poisons and Therapeutic Goods* (Fees) *Determination 2016* (No 1).

2 Commencement

This instrument commences on 1 January 2017.

3 Determination of fees

The fee payable in respect of each matter listed in column 3 of Schedule 1 is the amount listed for that item in column 4.

4 Payment of fees

A fee listed in Schedule 1 is payable to the Territory by the person identified in column 6.

The fees are exempt from Goods and Services Tax under Division 81 of *A New Tax System (Goods and Services Tax) Act 1999* (Cwlth).

5 Refunding of fees

Column 5 of Schedule 1 specifies what amount, if any, of a fee paid is non-refundable.

A non-refundable amount is included to cover the costs associated with the processing and administration of an application. As such, the non-refundable amount paid for a licence does not vary, regardless of the term of the licence.

6 Licence terms

The amounts listed in column 4 are based on a one year licence.

Subject to some limitations, licences can also be issued for longer terms, up to a maximum duration of three years. Where a longer term is granted, the applicable fee in column 4 is multiplied to correspond with the term of the licence.

For example, the fee payable for a two year licence is twice the fee specified in column 4.

7 Revocation

This instrument revokes DI2015-295 effective on 1 January 2017.

Meegan Fitzharris MLA Minister for Health 1 December 2016

Schedule 1

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5	Column 6
Item No.	Section – Act & (Regulation)	Description	Fee Payable	Non-refundable portion of fee	Payable By
1	<i>84</i> (625)	Application for licence ~ pharmacy medicines rural communities licence	\$130	\$37	- Applicant for the licence
2	<i>84</i> (610)	Application for licence ~ first-aid kit licence	\$231	\$37	
3	<i>84</i> (615)	Application for licence ~ medicines wholesalers licence	\$385	\$37	
4	<i>84</i> (620)	Application for licence ~ opioid dependency treatment licence	Nil	Nil	
5	<i>84</i> (705)	Application for licence ~ dangerous poisons manufacturers licence	\$385	\$37	
6	<i>84</i> (715)	Application for licence ~ dangerous poisons suppliers licence	\$385	\$37	
7	<i>84</i> (605)	Application for licence ~ controlled medicines research and education program licence	\$37	\$37	Applicant for research and education program
8	<i>84</i> (710)	Application for licence ~ dangerous poisons research and education program licence	\$37	\$37	

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Item No.	Section – Act & (Regulation)	Description	Fee Payable	Non-refundable portion of fee	Payable By
9	<i>84</i> (765)	Application for licence ~ prohibited substances research and education program licence	\$37	\$37	Applicant for research and education program
10	92	Amendment of a licence	\$37	\$37	Licence-holder seeking amendment
11	95	Replacement of licence lost, stolen or destroyed.	\$37	\$37	Licence-holder seeking replacement of licence

The fees determined are based on a 1 year licence. Subject to some limitations, licences can also be issued for longer terms, up to a maximum duration of three years. Where a longer term is granted, the determined fee is multiplied to correspond with the term of the licence. For example, the fee payable for a two year licence is twice the fee specified in column 4.

For every licence for which a fee is payable, there is a non-refundable amount that has been included to cover the costs associated with the processing and administration of the application. Such costs are incurred by the regulator irrespective of whether a licence is granted or refused. The non-refundable portion of the fee is not affected by the term of the licence. Accordingly, the fee to be paid for a three year licence will have the same non-refundable amount as a one year licence.