

AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

ASSOCIATIONS INCORPORATION ACT 1991

DETERMINATION OF FEES

NO. 235 OF 1996

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

The Associations Incorporation Act 1991 governs the incorporation of associations in the Australian Capital Territory. In particular, section 126 enables the Minister to determine fees for the purposes of the Act and section 125 specifies matters in the Act for which a determined fee is payable.

This Determination revokes Determination of Fees No. 59 of 1995 made on 21 June 1995 and notified in the Australian Capital Territory Gazette No. S145 of 27 June 1995 and determines that the various fees payable under the Act, including fees for lodging for registration and searching documents, shall be as set out in the Schedule to the Determination .

A statement of the old and new fees is attached. Item 9 has been changed to \$10 in line with fees for similar services in other areas of the Registrar-General's Office. The \$6 fee was not seen as fully recovering costs.

The fees have generally been increased by 3% in accordance with the anticipated movement in 1996/97 of the Consumer Price Index. Minor fees under \$20 are to be reviewed on a two yearly basis. Fees are set out with a view to full cost recovery and having regard to charges levied for similar interstate services.

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ATTACHMENT

No	Description of Item	1995-96 Fee	1996-97 Proposed Fee
1	For an application for incorporation under section 18 or an application for amalgamation under section 26	\$75	\$77
2	For the issue, under section 19, 27 and 38 of a certificate of incorporation	\$6	\$6
3	For lodging an application for the reservation of a name under subsection 37(1)	\$6	\$6
4	For lodging a notice of public officer's appointment or change of address under section 59	\$6	\$6
5	For lodging a notice of a change in committee under section 62	\$6	\$6
6	For lodging an annual return under section 79	\$6	\$6
7	For inspection or search of a register or document kept by the Registrar-General. Refer paragraph 125(1)(b)	\$6	\$6
8	For production by the Registrar-General of any register or document kept by or in the custody of the Registrar-General. Refer paragraph 125(1)(c)	\$13	\$13
9	For a document or a copy or extract of a document. Refer paragraph 125(1)(d)	\$6	\$10
10	For an approval or act by the Registrar-General that is required or authorised under the Act and for which a fee is not elsewhere provided. Refer paragraph 125(1)(e)	\$6	\$6
11	For late lodgment of a document. Refer paragraph 125(1)(f)	\$23	\$24