

AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

A.C.T. REMUNERATION TRIBUNAL ACT 1995

INTERIM DETERMINATION
NO. 278 OF 1996
ACT HEALTH PROMOTION BOARD

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

The Health Promotion Board is established under the *Health Promotion Act 1995*. Remuneration for Board members is available by regulation under the Act or by a *Determination under the ACT Remuneration Tribunal Act 1995*.

The Chief Minister has requested, by Gazette S307 of Friday, 15 November 1996, that the Health Promotion Board ("the Board") shall be a body for which the ACT Remuneration Tribunal shall determine remuneration and allowances payable. This Interim Determination provides for remuneration for Board members pending Remuneration Tribunal consideration.

The rates of salary included in the Interim Determination are consistent with the remuneration paid to members of similar bodies in the ACT.

Part One - Members Fees

Part One establishes the rate of salary for the Chairperson and Members of the ACT Health Promotion Board. These rates are consistent with Remuneration Tribunal Determination Number ACT 2 of 1995.

Part Two - Conditions of Payment of Fees

- 2.1 This clause provides for the payment of fees to Members where they attend a meeting of the Board or are engaged on business of the Board for at least three hours on any one day.
- 2.2 This clause provides for payment of fees to Members where they spend less than three hours at a formal meeting of the Board. Payment of two-fifths of the daily rate is payable for a meeting of less than two hours. Payment of three-fifths of the daily rate is payable for a meeting lasting between two and three hours.
- 2.3 This clause provides for the payment of fees to Members who attend to the business of the Board on a day other than a formal Board meeting day.

The Interim Determination also provides that reasonable travelling time can be considered in determining the time Members spend on business of the Board.

The Chairperson or nominated presiding officer is required to certify the level of payments due to Members of the Board.