Gaming Machine (Fees) Determination 2006 (No 1)

Disallowable Instrument DI2006-112

made under the

Gaming Machine Act 2004, section 177 (Determination of Fees)

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

The *Gaming Machine Act 2004* (the Act) regulates the operation of gaming machines in the Territory.

This instrument revokes the determination of fees made by Disallowable Instrument DI2004-181, notified on the Legislation Register on 2 September 2004.

Section 177 of the Act provides that the Minister may determine fees for the Act. This instrument provides for fees in relation to applications for licences made to the ACT Gambling and Racing Commission (the Commission) and to certificates issued by the Commission.

This instrument increases fees in accordance with the Wage Price Index estimates for 2006-07. In all cases, fees have been increased by 3.7% and rounded up to the nearest \$5 except for the low level fees (e.g. s22, s99, s107, s112) where rounding up has not occurred as this would create an excessive increase. A comparative table indicating the previous and revised fees is included as an Attachment to this Explanatory Statement.

The list of revised fees contained in this instrument is identical to the list of fees in the Disallowable Instrument DI2004-181 except that this instrument introduces a fee for the issue of a replacement copy of an Approved Supplier's Certificate, pursuant to section 73 of the Act, which was inadvertently omitted from the previous instrument.

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

A determination under section 177 is a disallowable instrument and must be tabled in the Legislative Assembly.

ATTACHMENT A

COMPARATIVE TABLE OF FEES

Section of the Act	Description of Matter for which Fee is Payable	Fee payable previously	Fee payable from 1 July 2006
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
11	Application for an initial gaming machine licence	1,538.00	1,595.00
22(1)(a)	Application for a gaming machine licence amendment to increase or reduce the number of licensed gaming machines	26.00 per machine	27.00 per machine
22(1)(b)	Application for a gaming machine licence amendment to change the licensed premises (such as a structural change or a change to part of the premises where gaming machines are operated – the <i>gaming area</i>)	200.00	210.00
22(1)(b)	Application for a gaming machine licence amendment by moving the licensed gaming machines to different premises	350.00	365.00
22(1)(c) 22(1)(d) 22(1)(e) 22(1)(f)	 Application for a gaming machine licence amendment to change one or more of the following: the percentage payout of a licensed gaming machine; the basic stake denomination of a licensed gaming machine; the kind of a licensed gaming machine 	26.00 per machine	27.00 per machine
31	 any other detail mentioned in the schedule to the licence. Application for the transfer of a gaming machine 	500.00	520.00
38	Issue of a replacement copy of a gaming machine licence	50.00	55.00
69	Application for the approval of a gaming machine or peripheral equipment for a gaming machine	100.00	105.00
72	Application for approval as a supplier who is an individual	200.00	210.00
72	Application for approval as a supplier that is a corporation	500.00	520.00
73	Issue of a replacement copy of an Approved Supplier's Certificate	Omitted	55.00
74	Application for approval as a Technician	100.00	105.00
78	Application for transfer of a Technician from one supplier to another	35.00	40.00
81	Issue of a replacement copy of a Technician's identity card or certificate	35.00	40.00
84	Application for renewal of a Technician's approval	100.00	105.00
85	Application for approval as an Attendant	100.00	105.00

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
89	Application for approval of an Attendant for another licensee or the transfer of the approval of the Attendant from 1 licensee to another	35.00	40.00
93	Issue of a replacement copy of an Attendant's certificate	35.00	40.00
96	Application for renewal of Attendant's approval	100.00	105.00
99	Application for approval to acquire a gaming machine	26.00 per machine	27.00 per machine
107	Application for approval to repossess a gaming machine	26.00 per machine	27.00 per machine
112	Application for approval to dispose of a gaming machine	26.00 per machine	27.00 per machine
134	Application to operate a single-user authorisation linked jackpot arrangement	100.00	105.00
135	Application to operate a multi-user permit linked jackpot arrangement	2,050.00	2,125.00
139	Application for amendment to the multi-user permit	513.00	535.00
140	Application for an amendment to the financial or operational aspects of a multi-user permit	513.00	535.00
141	Application for the transfer of a multi-user permit	500.00	520.00