

# Financial Management (Statement of Performance Scrutiny) Guidelines 2008

Disallowable instrument DI2008–63

made under the

Financial Management Act 1996, s133 (Guideline-making power)

## EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

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### Outline

These guidelines are issued in accordance with section 133 of the *Financial Management Act 1996* (the Act).

This instrument, *Financial Management (Statement of Performance Scrutiny) Guidelines 2008*, prescribes the annual scrutiny requirements for different categories of performance measures included in the Statement of Performance. This guideline replaces *Financial Management (Statement of Performance Scrutiny) Guidelines 2005*, notified on legislation register on 23 November 2005.

This instrument makes the following changes, which apply from the financial year ending 30 June 2008:

- only accountability indicators are to be included in an agency's and territory authorities Statement of Performance; and
- agency's strategic indicators will continue to be published in Budget Papers.

### Details of the Financial Management (Statement of Performance Scrutiny) Guidelines 2008

**Clauses 1, 2, 3 and 4** are formal requirements. They refer to the name and the commencement date of the guidelines along with the dictionary and notes.

**Clause 4** prescribes departments will only report accountability indicators in their Statement of Performance.

**Clause 5** prescribes territory authorities will only report accountability indicators in their Statement of Performance.

**Clause 7** revokes the *Financial Management (Statement of Performance Scrutiny) Guidelines 2005*, which is replaced by provisions made under this guideline.

**End**