

Australian Capital Territory

# Domestic Animals (Fees) Determination 2009 (No 1)

## Disallowable Instrument DI2009-81

made under the

*Domestic Animals Act 2000*, Section 144 – Determination of Fees

## EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

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Section 144 of the *Domestic Animals Act 2000* (the Act) permits the Minister to determine fees for the Act.

This determination revokes the previous fee determination (DI 2008–156) that set fees for the 2008-2009 financial year and establishes fees from 1 July 2009.

The determination increases most fees in accordance with the Wage Price Index estimate for 2009-10 of 3.5%, consistent with the Government's announcement, made as part of the 2006-07 ACT Budget, on the indexing of government fees and charges. The increased fees are rounded down to the nearest 5 cents.

The Registrar of Domestic Animals may waive or refund a certain types of fees. These are set out in section 6 of the determination. The refund amounts as set out in Schedule 2 of the instrument have also been adjusted in accordance with the current wage price index estimate.

The determination takes effect on 1 July 2009.