## Public Place Names (Pearce) Determination 2009 (No 1)

Disallowable instrument DI2009 - 224

made under the

Public Place Names Act 1989— section 3 (Minister to determine names)

## **EXPLANATORY STATEMENT**

The *Public Place Names Act 1989* provides for the naming of divisions and public places and, in particular, Section 3 empowers the Minister to determine in writing, notified in the ACT Legislation Register, the name of a division or public place.

Pursuant to Section 254A of the *Legislation Act 2001*, the Minister has delegated the power under the *Public Place Names Act 1989* to name a division or public place to the Chief Planning Executive, ACT Planning and Land Authority.

This instrument determines the name of *Rosalie Gascoigne Park* in the Division of Pearce as specified in the attached schedule and associated plan.

The place naming theme for Pearce is the *Contemporaries of Sir George Pearce*. However, when naming a geographical feature (including urban parks), it is acceptable to do so after people who have had a long association with the place, as is in this case.

The number of women and men after whom divisions or public places have been named in the last 10 years, and whether the names of women are well represented, have been considered as required by the *Public Place Names Act 1989*.

This instrument commemorates one woman.