

Australian Capital Territory

University of Canberra (Student Conduct) Statute 2015

Disallowable instrument DI2015–258

made under the

University of Canberra Act 1989, s 40 (Statutes)

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

Section 40 of the *University of Canberra Act 1989* gives the university Council the power to make Statutes.

The *Student Conduct Statute 1992* has been revoked and replaced by a new Statute, the University of Canberra (Student Conduct) Statute 2015. The new Statute allows for the appointment of a Student Conduct Officer, and inserts a new definition of “Assessment”. The amendments modernise the Statute and make the application of its provisions clearer.

The new Statute contains a savings provision to protect decisions made since 1992, and allows for Rules to be made by Council.

Section 42 of the *University of Canberra Act 1989* requires that a Statute, once made by Council, be submitted by the Chancellor to the Executive for approval.