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**THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY
FOR THE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY**

ROAD TRANSPORT (GENERAL) ACT 1999

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

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AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

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The *Road Transport (General) Act 1999*, under subsection 12(1)(b) empowers the Minister to declare that the road transport legislation does not apply to a road or road related area by notice published in the *Gazette*. The notice, by virtue of subsection 12(3), is a disallowable instrument for the purposes of section 10 of the *Subordinate Laws Act 1989*.

This instrument declares that the road transport legislation does not apply to certain roads and road related areas that are to be used by a single rally car to conduct rally testing. The declaration will have the effect of minimising the risk of claims against the Territory for injuries arising from the event.

The date, time and roads and road related areas for which the declaration is effective are:

Time and Date

6am to 6pm Friday 11 August 2000.

Location

For the purposes of this declaration only, the road and road related areas defined below will include an area of land fifty (50) metres radiating in a straight line from the centre of the roads as described in all directions upon which the event will take place.

Road and Road Related Areas are defined as:

Commencing at the road closure point identified by Standard Grid Co-ordinates (ACTSGC) E192331 and N589109, the road continues in a southerly direction from this point along the western boundary of Compartment 180 and south eastern boundary of Compartment 187, then continues in a north westerly and westerly direction along the southern boundary of Compartment 187, then in a northerly direction along the western boundary of this compartment to ACTSGC E191787 and N589899. The road then continues in a northeasterly direction along the north west boundary of Compartment 184 to Dead Horse Gap at ACTSGC E192229 and N590110. From this point, the road next continues to the southwest corner of Compartment 174 and the westernmost extent of Compartment 177 at ACTSGC E192383 and N590161. From this point, the road continues in a generally easterly direction to Compartment 179 and then south to Compartment 182. The road

then follows the northwestern boundary of this compartment to Compartment 187 and then south to Compartment 181. The road then continues in a southerly direction to the westernmost extent of Compartment 181 and then onto the northwesterly corner of Compartment 180 at ACTSGC E192302 and N589090.