

Explanatory Statement

Tobacco and Other Smoking Products (Fees) Determination 2021 (No 1)

Disallowable instrument DI2021-263

made under the

Tobacco and Other Smoking Products Act 1927, s 70 (Determination of fees)

The *Tobacco and Other Smoking Products Act 1927* provides for the licensing of wholesale tobacco merchants and retail tobacconists.

Section 70 of the *Tobacco and Other Smoking Products Act 1927* provides the Minister with the power to determine fees for the purposes of the Act.

This instrument sets fees for the application and renewal of licences for wholesale tobacco merchants and retail tobacconists.

This instrument comes into effect on 1 January 2022 and increases the annual fees payable by Wage Price Index of 1.75% (rounded to the nearest dollar), as set out below:

Fee payable	Old Fee	New Fee
Application for a wholesale tobacco merchant's licence:		
(a) If apply from September to November	\$565	\$575
(b) If apply from December to February	\$423	\$430
(c) If apply from March to May	\$283	\$288
(d) If apply from June to August	\$141	\$143
Application for a retail tobacconist's licence:		
(a) If apply from September to November	\$565	\$575
(b) If apply from December to February	\$423	\$430
(c) If apply from March to May	\$283	\$288
(d) If apply from June to August	\$141	\$143
Renewal of a wholesale tobacco merchant's licence	\$565	\$575
Renewal of a retail tobacconist's licence	\$565	\$575

This instrument revokes and replaces DI2020-299, notified on 19 November 2020.