

# **AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY**

## **INSTRUMENTS ACT 1933**

### **INSTRUMENT NO. 201 OF 2000**

#### **EXPLANATORY STATEMENT**

The Instruments Act 1933 governs the registration of instruments and securities in the Australian Capital Territory. In particular section 37 enables the Minister to determine fees for the purposes of the Act.

This Determination revokes Determination of Fees No. 160 of 1999 made on 28 June 1999 and notified in the Australian Capital Territory Gazette No. S38 of 30 June 1999 and determines that the fees payable under the Act, including fees for lodging for registration and searching documents, shall be as set out in the Schedule to the Determination.

The fee determined for Item 1 has been increased by a margin of 2.5% in accordance with the anticipated movement in 2000/01 of the Consumer Price Index and with a view to full cost recovery.

The fee determined for Item 2 has been \$8 for the last three financial years and is now increased to \$9 to reflect Consumer Price Index changes on a triennial basis (1.8% for 1998/99, 2.5% for 1999/00 and anticipated 2.5% for 2000/01) and with a view to full cost recovery.

The fee determined for Item 3 has not been increased as the CPI adjustment is less than 50 cents.

A statement of the old and new fees is attached.

Circulated by the Authority of Gary John Joseph Humphries, Attorney General.

# THE SCHEDULE

**THIS IS THE SCHEDULE TO THE EXPLANATORY STATEMENT MADE  
BY THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL UNDER THE INSTRUMENTS ACT 1933**

<b>COLUMN 1</b> (Item in Schedule 3 of the Act in respect of which fee is payable)	<b>COLUMN 2</b> <b>MATTER</b>	<b>99/00</b> <b>FEE</b>	<b>00/01</b> <b>FEE</b>
<b>1</b>	Registration of a bill of sale under subsection 9 (1A) or a transfer thereof under subsection 13 (2).  Registration of a lien under subsections 17 (2) or 25 (2) or a transfer thereof under subsections 21 (2) or 29 (2)  Registration of a mortgage under subsection 27 (2) or a transfer thereof under subsection 29(2)	\$ 31	\$32
<b>2</b>	Search any book, index or register kept pursuant to the Act under subsection 36 (1)	\$ 8	\$9
<b>3</b>	Office copy or extract of any instrument or document under subsection 36 (2)	\$ 11	\$11