

AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

Health and Community Care Services Act 1996

INSTRUMENT NO. 193 OF 1999

APPOINTMENT OF A MEMBER TO THE HEALTH AND COMMUNITY CARE SERVICE BOARD

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

The Health and Community Care Service Board (the Board) is appointed under Part III, Division 1 of the *Health and Community Care Services Act 1996*. The Board is established to control the affairs of the Health and Community Care Service.

As specified in the Act, membership of the Board consists of the Chief Executive Officers of The Canberra Hospital and ACT Community Care as ex-officio members, a person nominated by the University of Sydney and not more than 4 other members appointed in writing by the Minister for Health and Community Care. The term of office of 2 of the 4 people appointed by the Minister expired in January 1999.

The Government reappointed Ms Elizabeth Goodbody to one of the vacant positions on 27 January 1999.

The Government appointed Mr Trevor Boucher to the other vacant position on 12 April 1999

Trevor Boucher, as the Federal Commissioner of Taxation in the late 1980s and early 1990s, led the Australian Taxation Office through the early, formative years of a major modernisation program and associated organisational and cultural change. From 1993 to 1995 he served as Australia's Ambassador to the OECD in Paris and is currently a member of the Commonwealth Industry Research and Development Board. He is now retired.

Consultation with the Standing Committee on Health and Community Care has taken place in accordance with the *Statutory Appointments Act 1994*.