Unlawful Gambling (Charitable Gaming Application Fees) Determination 2024

Disallowable Instrument DI2024-170

made under the

Unlawful Gambling Act 2009, section 48 (Determination of fees)

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

The *Unlawful Gambling Act 2009* (the Act) prohibits gambling activity unless it is expressly authorised or exempt from authorisation through gaming laws. Section 48 of the Act provides that the Minister may determine fees for the Act.

This instrument revokes DI2023-194, the *Unlawful Gambling (Charitable Gaming Application Fees) Determination 2023*, and sets out the fee to accompany an application by a charitable organisation to conduct charitable gaming under section 11 of the Act.

The new determination sets the fees that will apply beginning on 1 July 2024 and repeals the *Unlawful Gambling (Charitable Gaming Application Fees) Determination 2023* DI2023-194. Fees in the 2024 - 2025 financial year have been generally increased from fees in the previous financial year by the Wages Price Index (WPI) of 3.50%, plus an additional 0.35%, rounded down to the nearest dollar. Some smaller value fees maybe rounded up to the nearest dollar. This approach also aligns with the 2023 Treasury Guidelines for Fees and Charges.

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
Relevant Section of Act	Description of Matter for which Fee is Payable	Previous Fee (GST exempt)	Fee on and after 1 July 2024 (GST exempt)
11	The fee payable to accompany an application under section 11 of the <i>Unlawful Gambling Act 2009</i> , to the ACT Gambling and Racing Commission for approval to conduct a game.	\$63.00	\$65.00