

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

Arrangements made under subsection 10 (2) *Legislative Assembly (Members' Staff) Act 1989*

STAFF SALARY ALLOCATIONS

INSTRUMENT NO. 257 OF 1998

Legislative Context

Section 10 (2) of the *Legislative Assembly (Members' Staff) Act 1989* provides for the approval by the Chief Minister of arrangements for the employment of persons as members of the staff of Members of the Legislative Assembly.

Outline

This arrangement (which was agreed by the Chief Minister on 4 August 1998) provides for an amendment to the staff salary allocation to Members of the Fourth Legislative Assembly for the first pay period of the 1998-99 financial year until the last pay period of the 1998-99 financial year inclusive.

The amendment is to provide for an increase in staff salary allocation to Mr Kaine MLA to provide the same allocation as that made to other cross bench members in the Assembly from 7 January 1999 until the end of the last pay period in the 1998-99 financial year.

The revised allocation for Mr Kaine's will be effective on a pro-rata basis for the period 07 January 1999 to 23 June 1999. Prior to 07 January 1999 allocations of the previous Determination will apply.