

# AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

## Gas Supply Act 1998

### QUALIFICATIONS FOR AN INSPECTOR

#### INSTRUMENT NO. 239 OF 1998

## EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

The *Gas Supply Act 1998* (the Act) provides for the appointment of inspectors.

Section 36 allows the Minister to appoint a Gas Technical Regulator.

Subsection 41(1) allows the Gas Technical Regulator to specify qualifications to be held by persons appointed as inspectors under subsection 41(2) of the Act.

Subsection 40(2) of the Act allows the Gas Technical Regulator to delegate his or her functions and powers to an inspector.

The Delegate of the Gas Technical Regulator has determined under subsection 41(1) of the Act that the qualification necessary to become an inspector under the Act is a license under paragraph 25(1)(f) or (g) of the *Plumbers, Drainers and Gasfitters Board Act 1982*.

Paragraph 25(1)(f) of the *Plumbers, Drainers and Gasfitters Board Act 1982* allows an advanced gasfitter's license to be granted to an applicant.

Paragraph 25(1)(g) of the *Plumbers, Drainers and Gasfitters Board Act 1982* allows a gasfitter's license to be granted to an applicant.