

**AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY**  
**CANBERRA THEATRE TRUST ACT 1965**

**APPOINTMENT**

**EXPLANATORY STATEMENT**

**No. 54 of 1996**

The *Canberra Theatre Trust Act 1965* governs the establishment and constitution of the Canberra Theatre Trust

Section 10 of the Act deals with the removal of trustees from office and requires such removal to be made by the Minister and to be notified in the *Gazette*.

Mr Jim Service, the previous Chair of the Canberra Theatre Trust, indicated his desire to step aside from his position as Chair of the Trust in order to take up a position as Chair of the ACTEW Board.

Mr Service's term as Trust Chair was due to expire on 15 December 1998. It was proposed that Mr Ian Meikle take up the vacant Chair's position on the Trust on 1 January 1996. Mr Service performed his last duties as Trust Chair on 21 December 1995.

This instrument, therefore, revokes Mr Service's appointment as Chair of the Canberra Theatre Trust.

This revocation has effect from 31 December 1995 but does not offend against the *Subordinate Laws Act 1989* as the retrospectivity will not have any detrimental effect.