

No. 62 of 1976

## AN ORDINANCE

### Relating to the Fees and Allowances payable to the Members of certain Authorities of the Territory.

I, THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL of the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, hereby make the following Ordinance under the *Seat of Government (Administration) Act 1910*.

Dated this eleventh day of November, 1976.

JOHN R. KERR  
Governor-General.

By His Excellency's Command,  
A. A. STALEY  
Minister of State for the Capital Territory.

### REMUNERATION ORDINANCE 1976

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the *Remuneration Ordinance* Short title. 1976.\*

2. (1) In this Ordinance, "prescribed authority" means a body declared by a law of the Territory to be a prescribed authority for the purposes of this Ordinance. Interpretation.

(2) For the purposes of this Ordinance, a person appointed to act as the chairman or a member of a prescribed authority shall, whilst the appointment continues, be taken to be the chairman, or a member, as the case may be, of that authority.

3. (1) Nothing in sub-sections (3) to (7) (inclusive) applies to, or in relation to, a person holding office, on a full-time basis, as a member of a prescribed authority. Fees and allowances payable to members of a prescribed authority.

(2) Nothing in sub-sections (3) to (8) (inclusive) applies to, or in relation to, a member of a prescribed authority who holds an office or appointment, or is otherwise employed, on a full-time basis in the service or employment of the Commonwealth or of an authority of the Commonwealth or the Territory.

(3) The chairman of a prescribed authority shall be paid in respect of each day on which he attends a meeting of the authority—

- (a) if the duration of the meeting on that day is not less than 3 hours—a fee of \$70; and
- (b) if the duration of the meeting on that day is less than 3 hours—a fee of \$45.

\* Notified in the *Australian Government Gazette* on 16 November 1976.

(4) A member of a prescribed authority, other than the chairman, shall be paid in respect of each day on which he attends a meeting of the authority—

- (a) if the duration of the meeting on that day is not less than 3 hours—a fee of \$55; and
- (b) if the duration of the meeting on that day is less than 3 hours—a fee of \$35.

(5) Subject to sub-section (7), the chairman of a prescribed authority shall be paid for each day on which he is engaged, with the approval of the authority, on business of the authority—

- (a) if the period during which he is so engaged on that day is not less than 3 hours—a fee of \$70; and
- (b) if the period during which he is so engaged on that day is less than 3 hours—a fee of \$45.

(6) Subject to sub-section (7), a member of a prescribed authority, other than the chairman, shall be paid for each day on which he is engaged, with the approval of the authority, on business of the authority—

- (a) if the period during which he is so engaged on that day is not less than 3 hours—a fee of \$55; and
- (b) if the period during which he is so engaged on that day is less than 3 hours—a fee of \$35.

(7) Where a member of a prescribed authority—

- (a) attends a meeting of the authority; and
- (b) is, on the same day, engaged for a period, with the approval of the authority, on other business of the authority,

a fee is not payable to that member in accordance with sub-section (5) or (6), but the fee payable to him in respect of that day in accordance with sub-section (3) or (4) is the fee that would be payable to him in respect of that day if the meeting referred to in paragraph (a) had continued during the period referred to in paragraph (b).

(8) Where—

- (a) a member of a prescribed authority is necessarily absent overnight from his place of residence in order to attend a meeting of the authority; or
- (b) a member of a prescribed authority is necessarily absent overnight from his place of residence in order to perform any business of the authority on which he is engaged with the approval of the authority,

travelling allowance in respect of the period of absence is payable to him at the rate of \$41 per day.

(9) Travelling allowance payable under sub-section (8) is in addition to, and does not include, the cost of conveyance.