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About this republication

The republished law

This is a republication of the *ACT Civil and Administrative Tribunal Regulation 2009*, made under the *ACT Civil and Administrative Tribunal Act 2008* (including any amendment made under the [Legislation Act 2001](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2001-14), part 11.3 (Editorial changes)) as in force on 26 February 2021. It also includes any commencement, amendment, repeal or expiry affecting this republished law to 26 February 2021.

The legislation history and amendment history of the republished law are set out in endnotes 3 and 4.

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Modifications

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Penalties

At the republication date, the value of a penalty unit for an offence against this law is $160 for an individual and $810 for a corporation (see [Legislation Act 2001](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2001-14), s 133).



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1 Name of regulation

This regulation is the ACT Civil and Administrative Tribunal Regulation 2009.

3 Notes

A note included in this regulation is explanatory and is not part of this regulation.

Note See the [Legislation Act](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2001-14), s 127 (1), (4) and (5) for the legal status of notes.

4 Maximum amount payable under occupational discipline order—Act, s 66 (2) (h)

The following amounts are prescribed:

 (a) for an individual—$5 000;

 (b) for a corporation—$25 000.

5 Maximum amount payable for failure to comply with occupational discipline order—Act, s 74 (2) (a)

The following amounts are prescribed:

 (a) for an individual—$4 000;

 (b) for a corporation—$20 000.

6 Appointment of senior and ordinary members of the tribunal—Act, s 96

 (1) When considering whether to appoint a person to the tribunal as a senior member or ordinary member, the Attorney-General must take reasonable steps to ensure that the tribunal has sufficient members with relevant interests, qualifications or experience to allow the tribunal to exercise its functions.

 (2) As part of taking reasonable steps, the Attorney-General must consider the desirability of the tribunal including—

 (a) not less than the number of members mentioned in an item in table 6, column 2, each of whom the Attorney-General is satisfied has the interest, qualification or experience mentioned in column 3 for the item; and

 (b) as many other members, each of whom is a health practitioner, as are required to allow the tribunal to exercise its functions.

Note Health practitioner—see the [Legislation Act](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2001-14), dictionary, pt 1.

Table 6 Senior and ordinary members generally

| column 1item | column 2minimum number of members | column 3 interest, qualification or experience |
| --- | --- | --- |
| 1 | 1 | understands the interests of credit providers and financial brokers |
| 2 | 1 | understands the interests of people who obtain customer credit from credit providers or through finance brokers  |
| 3 | 1 | qualifications or experience in consumer affairs  |
| 4 | 1 | qualifications or experience assisting or working with people suffering financial hardship  |
| 5 | 1 | qualifications or experience in business  |
| 6 | 1 | qualifications or experience in law, other than qualifications in item 7 or 8  |
| 7 | 3 | suitably qualified legal practitioners nominated by the bar council under the [Legal Profession Act 2006](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2006-25) |
| 8 | 3 | suitably qualified legal practitioners nominated by the law society council under the [Legal Profession Act 2006](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2006-25) |
| 9 | 1 | community members suitable to deal with the needs of mentally dysfunctional people  |
| 10 | 1 | appropriate expertise, training or experience in relation to, and otherwise suitable to deal with, the needs of people who, because of a physical, mental, psychological or intellectual condition, need assistance or protection from abuse, exploitation or neglect  |

7 Requirements for reviewable decision notices—Act, s 67A (3)

A reviewable decision notice given to a person in relation to a decision under an authorising law must—

 (a) state the decision; and

 (b) if the decision puts, or amends, a condition on a licence or registration—include a copy of the condition; and

 (c) state that the person may apply for a reasons statement in relation to the decision under the [Act](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2008-35/default.asp), section 22B; and

 (d) state that the person may apply to the ACAT for review of the decision; and

 (e) state how to make the application; and

 (f) state the other options available under ACT laws to have the decision reviewed.

8 Requirements for internal review notices—Act, s 67B (3)

An internal review notice given to a person in relation to a decision under an authorising law must—

 (a) state the decision; and

 (b) if the decision puts, or amends, a condition on a licence or registration—include a copy of the condition; and

 (c) state how the person may get information about the decision; and

 (d) state that the person may apply for reconsideration or other internal review of the decision; and

 (e) state that the person may apply to the ACAT for review of the decision on the reconsideration or internal review; and

 (f) state how to make the application for reconsideration or other internal review; and

 (g) state the other options available under ACT laws to have a decision reviewed.

9 Use of trust amounts—Act, s 115C

 (1) The following purposes in relation to the [Agents Act  2003](https://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2003-20/) (the Agents Act) are prescribed:

 (a) promoting education and understanding of the [Agents Act](https://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2003-20/) for licensed agents, registered salespeople and the public;

 (b) providing dispute resolution services for disputes involving licensed agents or registered salespeople;

 (c) paying additional amounts to the compensation fund;

 (d) researching issues of concern to licensed agents and people using the services of licensed agents, whether or not the issues arise under the [Agents Act](https://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2003-20/);

 (e) paying or reimbursing costs, incurred by the commissioner for fair trading on behalf of the Territory, for applications to the ACAT in relation to a licensed agent or registered salesperson;

 (f) paying reasonable costs and expenses incurred by an administrator under the [Agents Act](https://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2003-20/), section 143 (Remuneration of administrators);

 (g) reimbursing the Territory for the cost of administering the [Agents Act](https://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2003-20/).

 (2) The purposes mentioned in the [Residential Tenancies Act 1997](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/1997-84), section 28 (Interest on amounts in trust account) are prescribed.

 (3) The following purposes in relation to the [Retirement Villages Act 2012](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2012-38) are prescribed:

 (a) providing advisory and advocacy services to residents and prospective residents of retirement villages;

 (b) reimbursing the Territory for the cost of administering that Act.

 (4) In this section:

compensation fund—see the [Agents Act](https://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2003-20/), dictionary.

licensed agent—see the [Agents Act](https://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2003-20/), dictionary.

registered salesperson—see the [Agents Act](https://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2003-20/), dictionary.

resident, of a retirement village—see the [Retirement Villages Act 2012](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2012-38), dictionary.

retirement village—see the [Retirement Villages Act 2012](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2012-38), section 10.

Endnotes

1 About the endnotes

Amending and modifying laws are annotated in the legislation history and the amendment history. Current modifications are not included in the republished law but are set out in the endnotes.

Not all editorial amendments made under the [Legislation Act 2001](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2001-14), part 11.3 are annotated in the amendment history. Full details of any amendments can be obtained from the Parliamentary Counsel’s Office.

Uncommenced amending laws are not included in the republished law. The details of these laws are underlined in the legislation history. Uncommenced expiries are underlined in the legislation history and amendment history.

If all the provisions of the law have been renumbered, a table of renumbered provisions gives details of previous and current numbering.

The endnotes also include a table of earlier republications.

2 Abbreviation key

|  |  |
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| A = Act | NI = Notifiable instrument |
| AF = Approved form | o = order |
| am = amended | om = omitted/repealed |
| amdt = amendment | ord = ordinance |
| AR = Assembly resolution | orig = original |
| ch = chapter | par = paragraph/subparagraph |
| CN = Commencement notice | pres = present |
| def = definition | prev = previous |
| DI = Disallowable instrument | (prev...) = previously |
| dict = dictionary | pt = part |
| disallowed = disallowed by the Legislative  | r = rule/subrule |
| Assembly | reloc = relocated |
| div = division | renum = renumbered |
| exp = expires/expired | R[X] = Republication No |
| Gaz = gazette | RI = reissue |
| hdg = heading | s = section/subsection |
| IA = Interpretation Act 1967 | sch = schedule |
| ins = inserted/added | sdiv = subdivision |
| LA = Legislation Act 2001 | SL = Subordinate law |
| LR = legislation register | sub = substituted |
| LRA = Legislation (Republication) Act 1996 | underlining = whole or part not commenced |
| mod = modified/modification | or to be expired |

3 Legislation history

ACT Civil and Administrative Tribunal Regulation 2009 SL2009-1

notified LR 29 January 2009
s 1, s 2 commenced 29 January 2009 (LA s 75 (1))

remainder commenced 2 February 2009 (s 2 and see [ACT Civil and Administrative Tribunal Act 2008](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2008-35) A2008-35, s 2 (1) and [CN2009-2](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/cn/2009-2/default.asp))

as amended by

[Justice and Community Safety Legislation Amendment Act 2013 A2013-7](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2013-7/default.asp) sch 1 pt 1.1

notified LR 1 March 2013

s 1, s 2 commenced 1 March 2013 (LA s 75 (1))

sch 1 pt 1.1 commenced 4 March 2013 (s 2 and see [Retirement Villages Act 2012](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2012-38) A2012-38, s 2 and LA s 79)

[Courts and Other Justice Legislation Amendment Act 2018](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2018-9/default.asp) A2018-9 pt 3

notified LR 29 March 2018

s 1, s 2 commenced 29 March 2018 (LA s 75 (1))

pt 3 commenced 26 April 2018 (s 2)

[Justice and Community Safety Legislation Amendment Act 2021](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2021-3/default.asp) A2021-3 pt 3

notified LR 19 February 2021

s 1, s 2 commenced 19 February 2021 (LA s 75 (1))

pt 3 commenced 26 February 2021 (s 2 (1))

4 Amendment history

Commencement

s 2 om LA s 89 (4)

Maximum amount payable under occupational discipline order—Act, s 66 (2) (h)

s 4 am [A2018‑9](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2018-9/default.asp) s 16

Appointment of senior and ordinary members of the tribunal—Act, s 96

s 6 (6)-(8) exp 2 August 2009 (s 6 (8) (LA s 88 declaration applies))

 am [A2018‑9](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2018-9/default.asp) ss 17-19

Requirements for reviewable decision notices—Act, s 67A (3)

s 7 (2)-(5) exp 2 August 2009 (s 7 (5) (LA s 88 declaration applies))

Requirements for internal review notices—Act, s 67B (3)

s 8 (2)-(5) exp 2 August 2009 (s 8 (5) (LA s 88 declaration applies))

Use of trust amounts—Act, s 115C

s 9 sub [A2021‑3](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2021-3/) s 5

Use of trust amounts for retirement villages—Act, s 115C (2) (c)

s 10 ins [A2013‑7](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2013-7/default.asp) amdt 1.1

 om [A2021‑3](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2021-3/) s 5

5 Earlier republications

Some earlier republications were not numbered. The number in column 1 refers to the publication order.

Since 12 September 2001 every authorised republication has been published in electronic pdf format on the ACT legislation register. A selection of authorised republications have also been published in printed format. These republications are marked with an asterisk (\*) in column 1. Electronic and printed versions of an authorised republication are identical.

| Republication No and date | Effective | Last amendment made by | Republication for |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| R12 Feb 2009 | 2 Feb 2009–2 Aug 2009 | not amended | new regulation |
| R23 Aug 2009 | 3 Aug 2009–3 Mar 2013 | not amended | commenced expiry |
| R34 Mar 2013 | 4 Mar 2013–25 Apr 2018 | [A2013‑7](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2013-7/default.asp) | amendments by [A2013‑7](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2013-7/default.asp) |
| R426 Apr 2018 | 26 Apr 2018–25 Feb 2021 | [A2018‑9](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2018-9/default.asp) | amendments by [A2018‑9](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2018-9/default.asp) |

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