



REMUNERATION TRIBUNAL

Explanatory Memorandum: Determination 2004/16

1. The Remuneration Tribunal has inquired into and determined the remuneration and significantly related matters for public office holders, as it is empowered to do by the *Remuneration Tribunal Act 1973*.
2. The determination will be effective from 1 July 2004 and will not have retrospective application.

PART 1 – FULL-TIME HOLDERS OF PUBLIC OFFICE

3. Clause 1.1 specifies the Principal Determination (Number 13 of 2004) for the purposes of Part 1 of the Determination.
4. Clause 1.2 amends the Travel Tier for three offices, correcting typographical errors in the Principal Determination. That Determination also takes effect on 1 July 2004.
5. Clause 1.3 details the remuneration for the new office of CEO, National Offshore Petroleum Safety Authority, and adds this office to Table 2A.

PART 2 – PART-TIME HOLDERS OF PUBLIC OFFICE

6. Clause 1.4 specifies the Principal Determination (Number 12 of 2004) for the purposes of Part 2 of the Determination.
7. Clause 1.5 amends Table A1A by specifying remuneration for, and adding entries relating to, two new organisations, the National Offshore Petroleum Safety Authority and the Military Rehabilitation and Compensation Commission.
8. Clause 1.6 inserts a footnote to Table A1A, detailing an exception to the general Travel Tier for the Military Rehabilitation and Compensation Commission.
9. Clause 1.7 amends Table A1A to reflect increases in Board fees to be payable in respect of Australia Post, CSIRO and Defence Housing Authority.
10. Clause 1.8 amends footnote 1 of Table A1A. This footnote now sets out additional fees for the Deputy Chair of Australia Post's Board, as well as additional fees for the chair and members of the Audit Committee. It retains additional fees for members appointed to the Board of Postcorp.
11. Clause 1.9 amends footnote 38 of Table A1A, by changing the name of the relevant organisation from its former name to Ministerial Advisory Committee on AIDS, Sexual Health and Hepatitis. There is no other change.

Authority: Sub-sections 7(3) and 7(4) of the *Remuneration Tribunal Act 1973*