



REMUNERATION TRIBUNAL

Explanatory Statement: Determination 2008/06 Specified Statutory Officers – Remuneration and Allowances

1. The Remuneration Tribunal has inquired into and determined the remuneration and significantly related matters for certain holders of public office, as it is empowered to do by the *Remuneration Tribunal Act 1973*.
2. In making this determination the Tribunal has informed itself through consultation in accordance with established practice.

PART 1 – GENERAL

3. Part 1 specifies the authority for and the date of effect of the determination and revokes and supersedes the previous principal Determination 2007/12 (as amended) applying to the Offices covered by this Determination. The Part also contains definitions of certain words used in the Determination.

PART 2 – REMUNERATION AND RELATED MATTERS

4. Table 1 of Clause 2.1 provides increased Base Salary and Total Remuneration effective on and from 1 July 2008 for the Specified Statutory Offices listed in the Table. The rates in the superseded Determination 2007/12 have been increased by 4.3 per cent (rounded) following the annual review of remuneration.
5. Clauses 2.5 and 2.6 have been updated by increasing the amount for business related vehicle usage from \$3,350 to \$3,500 per annum. The rates are based on the kilometre allowance for business use of a motor vehicle.
6. Clause 2.7 increases the adjustment in lieu of performance pay to 14 per cent of Total Remuneration in order to maintain parity with departmental secretaries' remuneration.
7. Other provisions in Part 2 remain substantively unchanged from those contained in Determination 2007/12.

PART 3 – OFFICIAL TRAVEL

8. Part 3 sets out the official travel provisions. The provisions of this Part remain substantively unchanged from those contained in Determination 2007/12.

PART 4 – COMPENSATION FOR LOSS OF OFFICE

9. Part 4 sets out the compensation for early loss of office provisions. The provisions of this Part remain substantively unchanged from those contained in Determination 2007/12.

PART 5 – RECREATION LEAVE

10. Part 5 sets out the recreation leave provisions. The provisions of this Part remain substantively unchanged from those contained in Determination 2007/12.

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