Electoral (Fees) Determination 2013

Disallowable instrument DI2013—133

made under the

Electoral Act 1992, s 8 (Determination of fees)

1 Name of instrument

This instrument is the *Electoral (Fees) Determination 2013*.

2 Commencement

This instrument commences on 1 July 2013.

3 Revocation

This instrument revokes DI2012-138.

4 Determination

The fees payable by persons or organisations receiving goods and/or services for the purposes of section 8 of the *Electoral Act 1992* are as set out in the Schedule to this Determination.

Fees are payable to the provider, by the individual or organisation in receipt of the goods and/or services listed in the Schedule.

Fees are payable after a service has been supplied, by the due date specified in the invoice for the service.

Roger Beale AO Chairperson Phillip Green Electoral Commissioner Dawn Casey Member

7 June 2013

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SCHEDULE - FEES TO BE PAID

| Item | Description of Matter in respect of which fee or charge is payable | Fee where GST is not payable 2012-13 | Fee where GST is payable, inclusive of GST 2012-13 |
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| | | | Rate per hour |
| 1 | The provision of electoral officer services under paragraph 7(1)(g) of the Electoral Act 1992 by an electoral officer – Monday to Friday between 8.00 am and 6.00 pm | n/a | \$90.40 |
| 2 | The provision of electoral officer services under paragraph 7(1)(g) of the Electoral Act 1992 by an electoral officer - Monday to Friday before 8.00 am or after 6.00 pm - First 3 hours on Saturday | n/a | \$113.90 |
| 3 | The provision of electoral officer services under paragraph 7(1)(g) of the Electoral Act 1992 by an electoral officer – Saturday after first 3 hours or Sunday | n/a | \$138.80 |
| 4 | The provision of electoral officer services under paragraph 7(1)(g) of the Electoral Act 1992 by an electoral officer Public holidays | n/a | \$162.15 |
| 5 | The provision of electoral officer services under paragraph 7(1)(g) of the Electoral Act 1992 by a senior electoral officer Monday to Friday between 8.00 am and 6.00 pm | n/a | \$109.45 |
| 6 | The provision of electoral officer services under paragraph 7(1)(g) of the Electoral Act 1992 by a senior electoral officer Monday to Friday before 8.00 am or after 6.00 pm First 3 hours on Saturday | n/a | \$141.60 |
| 7 | The provision of electoral officer services under paragraph 7(1)(g) of the Electoral Act 1992 by a senior electoral officer – Saturday after first 3 hours or Sunday | n/a | \$175.30 |
| 8 | The provision of electoral officer services under paragraph 7(1)(g) of the Electoral Act 1992 by a senior electoral officer – Public holidays | n/a | \$207.45 |

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| | | | Rate per hour |
| 9 | The provision of electoral officer services under paragraph 7(1)(g) of the Electoral Act 1992 by a casual officer – First 8 hours on Monday to Friday – First 4 hours on Saturday | n/a | \$30.60 |
| 10 | The provision of electoral officer services under paragraph 7(1)(g) of the Electoral Act 1992 by a casual officer – After first 8 hours Monday to Friday – After first 4 hours on Saturday | n/a | \$39.40 |
| 11 | The provision of electoral officer services under paragraph 7(1)(g) of the Electoral Act 1992 by a casual officer – Sunday and public holidays | n/a | \$52.55 |
| 12 | The provision of electoral officer services under paragraph 7(1)(g) of the Electoral Act 1992 by a senior casual officer – First 8 hours Monday to Friday – First 4 hours on Saturday | n/a | \$39.00 |
| 13 | The provision of electoral officer services under paragraph 7(1)(g) of the Electoral Act 1992 by a senior casual officer – After first 8 hours Monday to Friday – After first 4 hours on Saturday | n/a | \$49.55 |
| 14 | The provision of electoral officer services under paragraph 7(1)(g) of the Electoral Act 1992 by a senior casual officer – Sunday and public holidays | n/a | \$67.15 |

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Part B: Electoral goods and services

| Item | Description of Matter in respect of which fee or charge is payable | Fee where GST is not payable 2012-13 | Fee where GST is payable, inclusive of GST 2012-13 |
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| 15 | The provision of goods under paragraph 7(1)(g) of the Electoral Act 1992. | | The amount of the disbursement for the goods. |
| | This provision is included to ensure that such costs incurred by the Electoral Commission may be passed to purchasers of goods. | | |
| 16 | The provision of electronic voting services to organisations under paragraph 7 (1)(g) of the <u>Electoral Act 1992</u> | | |
| | This provision is included to allow costs for development and maintenance of electronic voting services software incurred by the Electoral Commission to be passed to purchasers of the services. | | |
| | This fee is calculated on a sliding scale with three stages. The base level fee for the initial stage, covering the first 1 to 100 electors, has been calculated at \$7.95 per elector. | n/a | \$7.95 per elector for the first 1 to 100 electors |
| | The base level fee for the second stage of the sliding scale, covering from 101 to 500 electors has been calculated at \$2.30 per elector. | n/a | \$2.30 per elector 101 to 500 electors |
| | The base level fee for the third stage, covering the number of electors from 501 upward, has been calculated at \$1.75 per elector. | n/a | \$1.75 per elector from 501 electors upward |

Part C: Provision of copies of documents

| Item | Description of Matter in respect of which fee or charge is payable | Fee where GST is not payable 2012-13 | Fee where GST is payable, inclusive of GST 2012-13 |
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| 17 | Under subsection 243(4) of the <u>Electoral Act 1992</u> , the provision of copies of returns referred to in subsection 243(1). | \$16.25 for between one and twenty A4 pages; | n/a |
| | | 30 cents for each additional A4 page. | n/a |

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| 18 | Under paragraph 7(1)(g) of the Electoral Act 1992, the provision of copies of the following documents: An extract of the Register of Political Parties kept under section 88 of the Electoral Act; An application for registration of an eligible political party provided to the Electoral Commissioner under section 89 of the Electoral Act; A constitution of a political party provided to the Electoral Commissioner under sections 89 or 99A of the Electoral Act; A notice of objection to an application to register a political party provided to the Electoral Commissioner under section 91 of the Electoral Act; A response to any notice or objection provided to the Electoral Commissioner under section 91 of the Electoral Act; A notice of objection to an application to change or to add to the particulars registered in relation to a political party provided to the Electoral Act; and An application to change or to add to the particulars registered in relation to a political party provided to the Electoral Act; and An application to change or to add to the particulars registered in relation to a political party provided to the Electoral Commissioner under section 95 of the Electoral Act. | \$16.25 for between one and twenty A4 pages; 30 cents for each additional A4 page. | n/a |
| 19 | Under paragraph 333 of the <u>Electoral Act 1992</u> , the provision of copies of ACT election voting data on CD-Rom: | \$47.90 | n/a |