

Drugs of Dependence (Independent Reviewer) Appointment 2025

Disallowable instrument DI2025–292

made under the

Drugs of Dependence Act 1989, s 205B (Review of certain amendments related to personal use)

1 Name of instrument

This instrument is the *Drugs of Dependence (Independent Reviewer) Appointment 2025*.

2 Commencement

This instrument commences on the day after notification.

3 Appointment

I appoint Professor Alison Ritter AO, a person with expertise in relation to people who use drugs or substances to which the *Drugs of Dependence Act 1989* applies, as the independent reviewer of the operation of the amendments made by the *Drugs of Dependence (Personal Use) Amendment Act 2022* until 31 May 2026.

Rachel Stephen-Smith MLA
Minister for Health

10 November 2025