EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

Subordinate Law 2001 No 23

Issued by the Authority of the Judges of the Supreme Court of the Australian Capital Territory

SUPREME COURT RULES AMENDMENT

The resident Judges of the Court (of whom there are four, including the Chief Justice) or any two of the resident Judges, may make Rules of Court for regulating the practice and procedure of the Court pursuant to section 36 of the *Supreme Court Act* 1933.

Orders 61 and 61A are amended to enable the Master or Registrar to exercise the power of the Court under certain provisions of the Corporations Act 2001, which comes into effect on 15 July 2001. These powers were formerly exercised under the *Corporations Law Rules 2000*.