

Australian Capital Territory

Explanatory Statement

Mental Health (Treatment and Care) Official Visitor Appointment 2005 (No 1)

Disallowable Instrument DI2005-212

made under the

Mental Health (Treatment and Care) Act 1994, Section 121

Section 121 (1) of the *Mental Health (Treatment and Care) Act 1994* (the Act) allows for the Minister for Health to appoint one or more official visitors.

Section 122 of the Act provides for the functions and duties; powers; and reports by Official Visitors.

The instrument makes appointments under the *Legislation Act 2001*. Accordingly, the instrument is a disallowable instrument.

In accordance with Section 228 of the *Legislation Act 1001*, the Standing Committee on Health and Disability has been consulted and had no objections.

The appointment of Ms Sarah Rososinski is for a period of twelve months and commences on the day after notification of the disallowable instrument on the ACT Legislation Register.