

Australian Capital Territory

## Explanatory Statement

# Health Professionals (Fees) Determination 2006 (No 1)

### Disallowable instrument DI2006–32

made under the

### Health Professionals Act 2004, s 132 (Determination of fees)

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The *Health Professionals Act 2004* (the Act) provides for the registration of suitably qualified nurses and midwives, the control of the practice of nursing and midwifery and for related purposes.

Section 132 of the Act provides Boards with the power to determine fees for the purposes of the Act in relation to the professions that the Board regulates. This instrument sets fees for the purposes of the Act.

Fees for the following purposes are set to ensure that the ACT Nursing and Midwifery Board covers the costs of administering the Act including the payment of sitting fees associated with Board disciplinary activities, the costs of its Nurses and Midwives Health Program and other related Board activities.

- a. Fees for initial registration pursuant to section 112 of the Regulation to the Act;
- b. Fees for annual renewal of registration pursuant to section 112 of the Regulation;
- c. Fees for retrospective re-registration pursuant to section 128 of the Regulation;
- d. Fee for alteration to the Register pursuant to section 156 of the Regulation.