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# THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY FOR THE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

## COMMISSIONER FOR THE ENVIRONMENT 2003 REPORT DETERMINATION 2002

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**EXPLANATORY STATEMENT** 

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#### Overview

This Determination specifies that the reporting period for the next ACT State of the Environment Report will commence on 1 July 2000 and end on 31 June 2003. The Determination further specifies that the reporting date by which the Commissioner for the Environment shall submit his report to the Minister shall be 31 December 2003.

### Detail

Subsection 19 (4) *Commissioner for the Environment Act* requires that the Commissioner must, within 12 months of the Minister presenting a state of environment report in the Legislative Assembly, recommend to the Minister a reporting period and reporting date for the next state of the environment report.

The reporting period must begin the day after the end of the previous report and not exceed 4 years.

The reporting day must be not less than 3 months and not more than 6 months after the end of the reporting period.

This Determination gives effect to the Commissioner's recommendation pursuant to subsection 19 (5) of the Act.

This Determination is a Disallowable Instrument pursuant to subsection 19 (6) of the Act.