

ACT GOVERNMENT

**VICTIMS OF CRIME ACT 1994
VICTIMS OF CRIME REGULATIONS 2000
Victims Assistance Board
APPOINTMENTS**

INSTRUMENT NO. 373 of 2000

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

The *Victims of Crime Regulations 2000* establishes a Victims Assistance Board.

This instrument appoints 6 persons, pursuant to subsection 8(1) for the purposes of paragraphs 8(1)(b), (c), (d), (e), (f) and (g) of the Regulations, as members of the Board. The appointments are effective until, and including, 31 December 2002.

Pursuant to section 4 of the *Statutory Appointments Act 1994*, Ministers are required to consult the relevant Standing Committee of the ACT Legislative Assembly concerning appointments to a statutory office, unless the appointments come within the exemptions permitted by section 6 of the Act. As these appointments are not exempt pursuant to that provision, the Standing Committee on Justice and Community Safety has been consulted on the appointments. The Chair of the Committee advised the Minister that the Committee has no objection to the appointments.