Australian Capital Territory

Territory Records (Advisory Council) Appointment 2018 (No 1)

**Disallowable instrument DI2018–264**

made under the

Territory Records Act 2002, s44 (Appointed members of council)

**EXPLANATORY STATEMENT**

The *Territory Records Act 2002* provides for the establishment and functions of the Territory Records Advisory Council.

Section 44 of the *Territory Records Act 2002* outlines the requirements for appointment to the Council, section 45 pertains to the appointment of the Chair and Deputy Chair of the Council and section 46 outlines the terms of appointment of appointed members.

Ms Roslyn Russell has over 50 years’ experience working with archives, including 30 years as a professional historian. She is author, co-author, contributor and editor of 18 books, including several that cover the history of Canberra or Canberra based institutions. Ms Russell has post graduate qualifications in history and cultural heritage management and is a member of the ACT Committee of the Australian Women’s Archive Project.

Ms Russell has been appointed to represent community associations interested in historical or heritage issues. There are no additional prerequisites for appointment to the Territory Records Advisory Council. Ms Russell is appointed for a three year term.

The appointee is not an ACT Public Servant.