

Australian Capital Territory

# Casino Control (Fees) Determination 2019

## Disallowable Instrument DI2019–157

made under the

**Casino Control Act 2006, section 143 (Determination of fees)**

## EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

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The *Casino Control Act 2006* (the Act) regulates the operation of the casino in the Territory.

This instrument revokes the determination of fees made by Disallowable Instrument DI2018-196, the *Casino Control (Fees) Determination 2018*.

Section 143 of the Act provides that the Minister may determine fees for the Act. This instrument provides for fees in relation to administrative tasks performed under the Act, including matters relating to the casino licence and applications for casino employee's licences and variations to these licences.

Fees in the 2019-20 financial year have been increased from fees in the previous financial year by a Wage Price Index (WPI) forecast of 2.5%. Calculations are rounded down to the nearest dollar, with the exception of fees that have remained static for over three years, in which case calculations are rounded up to the nearest dollar. This gives effect to the Government's policy decision to limit growth in government fees and charges for households to no more than the Wage Price Index in 2019-20 as was announced in the 2019-20 ACT Budget. This approach also aligns with the 2018 Treasury Guidelines for Fees and Charges

The Attachment to this explanatory statement sets out the current fee (in column 3) and the new fee to take effect from 1 July 2019 (in column 4) to enable a comparison.

The list of items for which fees are set in this instrument is identical to the list of items in Disallowable Instrument DI2018-196.

A determination under section 143 of the Act is a disallowable instrument and must be tabled in the Legislative Assembly.

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<b>Column 1</b>	<b>Column 2</b>	<b>Column 3</b>	<b>Column 4</b>
<b>Relevant Section of Act</b>	<b>Description of Matter for which Fee is Payable</b>	<b>Previous Fee (GST exempt)</b>	<b>Fee from 1 July 2019 (GST exempt)</b>
12	The fee payable under s12 of the Act to accompany an application to the Minister for approval of a change of ownership	2,951.00	3,024.00
15(1)	The fee payable under s15 of the Act to accompany an application to the Minister for approval of a proposed casino lease	2,951.00	3,024.00
17(1)	The fee payable under s17 of the Act to accompany an application to the Minister for approval to amend a casino lease	737.00	755.00
29(1)	The fee payable under s29 of the Act to accompany an application to the Minister to transfer the casino licence	2,951.00	3,024.00
42(1)	The fee payable under s42 of the Act to accompany an application to the Commission for approval of a casino employee licence	177.00	181.00
46	The fee payable under s46 of the Act to accompany a request to the Commission to replace a casino employee licence	67.00	68.00
47(1)	The fee payable under s47 of the Act to accompany an application to the Commission for approval of the renewal of a casino employee licence	46.00	47.00
52(1)	The fee payable under s52 of the Act to accompany an application to the Commission for approval to change the prescribed functions of a casino employee licence	67.00	68.00
87(1)	The fee payable under s87 of the Act to accompany an application to the Commission for revocation of an exclusion notice issued under section 82	146.00	149.00
95(1)	The fee payable under s95 of the Act to accompany an application to the Commission for a declaration that a game is an authorised game	133.00	136.00

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96(1)	The fee payable under s96 of the Act to accompany an application to the Commission for approval of the rules for an authorised game	588.00	602.00
97(1)	The fee payable under s97 of the Act to accompany an application to the Commission for approval to amend the rules of an authorised game	146.00	149.00
131(1)	The fee payable under s131 of the Act to accompany an application to the Commission for approval to use a banking account	146.00	149.00