Australian Capital Territory

Victims of Crime (Fees) Determination 2020 (No 1)

**Disallowable instrument DI2020–172**

made under the

*Victims of Crime Regulation 2000*, section 50 (1) (Determination of fees for services provided by service providers)

**EXPLANATORY STATEMENT**

This disallowable instrument determines fees payable to service providers under the *Victims of Crime Regulation 2000*.

Under section 50 of the *Victims of Crime Regulation 2000*, the Minister may, in writing, determine fees that are payable for services provided to an eligible victim under the regulation by a service provider.

The Minister delegated this function to the Director-General under his express delegation power in section 254A of the *Legislation Act 2001*, limited to the extent that the Director-General may determine fees only as commensurate with the Consumer Price Index (CPI) (instrument NI2018-337).

The fees payable which applied previously are listed in italic in Schedule 1, column 3 of the instrument. ACT Treasury has forecast a CPI increase of 1.5% for 2020-21. This rate has been applied to calculate the fees payable for the 2020-21 period. The new amounts for 2020-21 are set out in Schedule 1, column 4 of the instrument.

Fees payable have been increased based on the aforementioned CPI rate and rounded to the nearest dollar.

The payments in Schedule 1, column 4 of the instrument will commence from 1 July 2020.