

Fisheries (Fees) Determination 2022

Disallowable instrument DI2022–140

made under the

Fisheries Act 2000, s 114 (Determination of fees)

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

Section 114 of the *Fisheries Act 2000* (the *Act*) permits the Minister to determine fees for the purposes of the Act.

The purpose of this instrument is to determine the fees for licences issued under the Act for the 2022-23 financial year.

The regulatory fees in the determination, which applied in the 2021-22 financial year, have been increased by 3.25% for the 2022-23 financial year based on the wage price index as per government's advice. Appropriate rounding has been made in relation to increases.

The determination also includes an amendment to the following fee:

- Important and exporting live fish (s 76)

The above fee description is now:

- Importing or exporting live fish or both (s 76)

The instrument commences on 1 July 2022.

This instrument revokes the *Fisheries (Fees) Determination 2021* (DI2021-70).

A determination made under section 114 of the Act is a disallowable instrument and must be presented to the Legislative Assembly within 6 sitting days after its notification pursuant to section 64 of the *Legislation Act 2001* (***Legislation Act***).

Regulatory Impact Statement (RIS)

A RIS is not required for this fee determination due to section 36 (1) (k) of the Legislation Act, which provides that a RIS need not be prepared for an amendment of a fee consistent with announced government policy.

Human Rights

The Standing Committee on Justice and Community Safety (Legislative Scrutiny Role) terms of reference require consideration of human rights impacts, among other matters. In this case, no human rights are impacted.