

Road Transport (General) Driver Licence and Related Fees Determination 2022 (No 2)

Disallowable instrument DI2022–190

made under the

Road Transport (General) Act 1999, section 96 (Determination of fees, charges and other amounts)

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

Section 96 of the *Road Transport (General) Act 1999* authorises the Minister to determine fees, charges and other amounts payable under the ACT road transport legislation.

This disallowable instrument has the effect of determining fees, payable in advance, for transactions relating to driver licence and related fees under the road transport legislation.

The driver licence fees at items 1 to 10 and the fee for issue of a certificate of accreditation at item 11 in Parts 1 and 2 of Schedule 1 have been increased by 0.29% rounded down to the nearest ten cents.

The fee increases are in line with budget decisions about increasing registration and regulatory fees to partially offset ongoing price and cost pressures in delivering Access Canberra services.

The indexing of fees and charges addresses increased administrative cost to Access Canberra for the registration or regulatory function being delivered.

The fees for driving assessments, changing a driving assessment booking, replacement of defaced, damaged, lost, stolen or destroyed driver licences, certified extracts from driver licence records, search of records, certificate of competency books and second or subsequent hazard perception tests at items 12 to 18 have not been increased.

Column 1 of schedule 1 lists the item number for which the fee is payable. Column 2 of schedule 1 describes the service or other matter in relation to the fee payable. Column 3 of schedule 1 lists the fee payable for a driver licence period commencing on or before 31 August 2022. Column 4 of schedule 1 lists the fee payable for a driver licence period commencing on or after 1 September 2022. For services or other

matters other than driver licences Column 3 lists the fees payable on or before 31 August 2022 and Column 4 lists the fees payable on or after 1 September 2022.

The preference of the Standing Committee on Justice and Community Safety (Legislative Scrutiny Role) that Instruments or Explanatory Statements identify the amount of the old and new fee, any percentage increase and also the reason for any increase in the Instrument or the Explanatory Statement has been taken into account in the preparation of the Instrument and the Explanatory Statement.

There are no human rights or climate change implications arising from this instrument.

This determination 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*.