Explanatory Statement

Tobacco and Other Smoking Products (Fees) Determination 2022 (No 3)

Disallowable instrument DI2022-250

made under the

Tobacco and Other Smoking Products Act 1927, s 70 (Determination of fees)

The *Tobacco and Other Smoking Products Act 1927* provides for the licensing of wholesale tobacco merchants and retail tobacconists. Section 70 of the *Tobacco and Other Smoking Products Act 1927* provides the Minister with the power to determine fees for the purposes of the Act.

This instrument sets fees for the application and renewal of licences for wholesale tobacco merchants and retail tobacconists.

This instrument comes into effect on 1 January 2023 and increases the annual fees payable by 3.25% (rounded to the nearest dollar), as set out below.

Fee payable	Old	New
	Fee	Fee
Application for a wholesale tobacco merchant's licence:		
(a) If apply from September to November	\$577	\$595
(b) If apply from December to February	\$432	\$446
(c) If apply from March to May	\$289	\$298
(d) If apply from June to August	\$144	\$149
(e) If applicant is an authorised medicines wholesaler that does not supply tobacco products	\$0	\$0
Application for a retail tobacconist's licence:		
(a) If apply from September to November	\$577	\$595
(b) If apply from December to February	\$432	\$446
(c) If apply from March to May	\$289	\$298
(d) If apply from June to August	\$144	\$149
(e) If applicant is a community pharmacy	\$0	\$0
Renewal of a wholesale tobacco merchant's licence	\$577	\$595
Renewal of a retail tobacconist's licence	\$577	\$595

This instrument revokes and replaces DI2022-205, notified on 29 August 2022.