

AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY
BUILDING AND SERVICES ACT 1924
REVOCATION AND DETERMINATION OF FEES

Instrument No. 127 of 1998

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

The Building and Services Act 1924, hereafter the Act, relates to the erection of buildings and the supply of certain services. The Act defines the term "services" as including the collection and disposal of garbage.

Section 3F of the Act allows the Minister to determine fees and charges for the purpose of the Act in relation to the supply of services.

This Instrument revokes Determination No. 130 of 1997 notified in the ACT Gazette No. S194 of 27 June 1997 and replaces it with revised fees and charges. The fees and charges are determined under section 3F of the Act and relate to the disposal of garbage at ACT Government landfills.

The fees are set out in the Schedule to the Instrument.

The level of commercial and industrial, special and any other garbage fees has been set in accordance with the cost of providing appropriate garbage disposal facilities.

The non-commercial waste disposal levy contributes to waste management activities focusing on waste minimisation.

The increase in fees is consistent with the ACT Government strategy to reduce waste to ACT Landfills by encouraging waste reduction, reuse and recycling through an appropriate charging schedule.

FEES	97/98 Fee \$	98/99 Fee \$
Household Garbage (except Special Garbage)		
per tonne - 0.5 tonne or more	24 00	25 00
up to half tonne		
Sedan	3.00	3.00
Station Wagon / Van	3 00	3.00
Trailer	5.00	5 00
Any other Motor Vehicle	5 00	5 00
Industrial and Commercial Garbage (except Special Garbage)		
per tonne - 0.5 tonne or more	24.00	25 00
up to 0.5 tonne	12.00	12 50
Any Other Garbage (except Special , Household, Industrial and Commercial garbage)		
per tonne - 0.5 tonne or more	24.00	25.00
up to 0.5 tonne	12.00	12.50
Special Garbage		
Tyres		
Per tonne - 0.25 tonne or more	100.00	100.00
up to 0.25 tonne	25.00	25.00
Asbestos or products containing Asbestos		
per tonne - 0.5 tonne or more	60.00	60.00
up to 0.5 tonne	30 00	30.00
Chemical Waste		
per tonne - 0.5 tonne or more	24.00	25.00
up to 0.5 tonne	12 00	12.50
Carcasses		
small/medium (eg dog /cat/sheep)	5 00	5.00
large	90.00	90 00