

**AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY**

**MOTOR TRAFFIC ACT 1936**

**DETERMINATION OF TAXI FARES**

**No. 128 of 1995**

**EXPLANATORY STATEMENT**

This instrument revokes all existing taxi fare determinations under the Motor Traffic Act 1936, namely: -

Determination No. 101 of 1994 dated 1 July 1994 and published in the ACT Gazette No. S146 of 7 July 1994.

Taxi fares are regulated under Section 36(1) of the Motor Traffic Act 1936 which specifies that the Minister may, by notice published in the Gazette, determine the maximum fares chargeable for the hiring of a taxi. This notice is disallowable in the Legislative Assembly.

The determination reflects a 7.5% increase in taxi fares. The last taxi fare increase was implemented in July 1994. The new fares which are set out below will take effect from September 1995. The old fares are shown in brackets.

<b>MAXIMUM TAXI FARES</b>	<b>NEW FARES</b>	<b>OLD FARES</b>
	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>
<b>FLAGFALL</b>		
1 For a journey when the taxi is not subject of a multiple hiring	2.45	(2.30)
2 For a journey when the taxi is the subject of a multiple hiring	1.85	(1.70)
<b>RADIO BOOKING</b>	0.60	(0.60)
<b>KILOMETRE RATES</b>		
1. For a journey commencing between 6 am and 9 pm on a day other than a Saturday, Sunday or public holiday -		
(a) single hiring	0.837	(0.776)
(b) multiple hiring	0.627	(0.587)
2. For a journey commencing before 6 am and after 9 pm on a day other than a Saturday, Sunday or public holiday -		
(a) single hiring	0.968	(0.896)
(b) multiple hiring	0.723	(0.676)
3. For a journey commencing on a Saturday, Sunday or public holiday		
(a) single hiring	0.968	(0.896)
(b) multiple hiring	0.723	(0.676)
<b>WAITING TIME (per hour)</b>	22.20	(20.40)