

INSTRUMENT NO. 166 OF 1997

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

Determination made under sub-section 11(2) - 2/1997

Legislative Assembly (Members' Staff) Act 1989

Legislative Context

The Legislative Assembly (Members' Staff) Act 1989 (the Act) provides for the employment of staff by Members of the Legislative Assembly on behalf of the Territory. Section 11 of the Act provides for the terms and conditions to generally be the same as those applying to ACT public servants except where the Chief Minister determines otherwise under subsection 11(2). Sub-section 11(2) provides the power for the Chief Minister to determine in writing that the terms and conditions of employment are varied as specified in the Determination.

Outline

This Determination provides that employees engaged under the Act are not subject to the provision of *Recreation Leave considered to have been taken* and employees are able to preserve recreation leave credits on the same basis as Executives in the ACT Public Service.