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The Energy and Water (Regulation of Charges) Regulations ("the Regulations") provide for a scheme of independent regulation of the charges of ACTEW Corporation

Subclause 1(1) of the Schedule to the Regulations provides that the Minister shall appoint a person to be the Energy and Water Charges Commissioner for the period (not exceeding 5 years) specified in the instrument of appointment

The Instrument appoints Mr Paul Francis Baxter to the office of Energy and Water Charges Commissioner until 30 September 1998

The appointment will take effect once it has been notified in the Gazette

Under the requirements of the Statutory Appointments Act 1994, consultation on the appointment has been undertaken with the Standing Committee on Public Accounts. Mr Andrew Whitecross MLA, Chair of the Committee, advised on 13 August 1997 that the Committee has no objection to the proposed appointment of Mr Baxter