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AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

Racing Act 1999

NOTICE OF COMMENCEMENT

Under section 2(2) of the *Racing Act 1999*, I fix 1 July 2001 as the date on which the remaining provisions of the Act shall commence.

Dated this 28 day of June 2001

Gary Humphries MLA
Treasurer

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UTILITIES ACT 2000

APPROVAL OF TERMS OF STANDARD CUSTOMER CONTRACT

I, PAUL FRANCIS BAXTER, under Section 89 of the Utilities Act 2000, approve the terms of the standard customer contract for connection of electricity services submitted by ActewAGL Distribution.

The standard customer contract will be available from ActewAGL and may be obtained by contacting ActewAGL's enquiries line, 13 14 93.

Dated this 28 day of June 2001

Signed

Paul Francis Baxter

Senior Commissioner

Independent Competition and Regulatory Commission

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EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

The *Utilities Act 2000* (the "Act") requires utilities to provide electricity, gas and water services to franchise customers and sewerage services to all customers, on standard terms. The standard terms are those prescribed in the utility's standard customer contract.

The Act requires standard customer contracts to be approved by the Independent Competition and Regulatory Commission (the "Commission"). Section 89 of the Act further requires the Commission to be satisfied that the terms of the standard customer contract are consistent with the utility's licence conditions and the requirements imposed by or under the Act, that the charges payable under the contract are consistent with the Commission's price directions, and that the terms are fair and reasonable.

The Commission has considered the draft standard customer contract for electricity connection services submitted to it by ActewAGL Distribution and is satisfied that the terms of the contract meet the necessary requirements. The terms of the standard customer contract have been approved accordingly.

