Financial Management (Performance Criteria) Amendment 2016 (No 5)*

Notifiable instrument NI2016-262

made under the

Financial Management Act 1996, s 19D (Amendment of performance criteria)

1 Name of instrument

This instrument is the *Financial Management (Performance Criteria) Amendment* 2016 (No 5).

2 Commencement

This instrument commences on the day after it is notified.

3 Amendment of 2015-16 performance criteria

The performance criteria for the 2015-16 financial year is amended as set out in Schedule A.

4. Statement of reasons for amendments

The statement of reasons for the amendments is set out in Schedule B.

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Schedule A

Agency	Output Class and Output	Description of performance criteria	Targets			Action
			2015-16 Budget papers	01/07/15 to 31/03/16 Amended Target	01/04/2016 to 30/06/2016 Amended target	
Justice and Community Safety Directorate (JACS)	Output Class 1: Justice Services Output 1.5: Protection of Rights	Public Advocate 1.5.c The Public Advocate of the ACT's actions towards achieving a caring community where the rights and interests of vulnerable people are protected: Public Guardianship Guardianship clients: Total number of individuals for whom Public Advocate provided guardianship	210	193	0	Target amended.

Schedule B

Section 19D of the *Financial Management Act 1996* provides that the performance criteria may be amended by the Minister and the Treasurer by notifiable instrument. Section 19D(3)(c) provides that the performance criteria may be amended if the funds are transferred to or from the territory entity under section 16 (Transfer of functions to another entity).

These changes have been brought about as a result of the *Protection of Rights (Services) Legislation Amendment Act 2015* which commenced on 1 April 2016, which consolidated the functions of the Public Trustee and Guardianship office. The amended target reflects the period of operation of the previous protection of rights structure during 2015-16.