



AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY REMUNERATION TRIBUNAL

Statement Number 119

Part-time Holders of Public Office Commissioner for Surveys

Background

Paragraph 10(1)(t) of the *Remuneration Tribunal Act 1995* provides for the Tribunal to inquire into, and determine, the remuneration and allowances to be paid, and other entitlements to be granted to a person holding an office or appointment, or a class of offices or appointments, specified in an instrument given to the Tribunal by the Chief Minister.

The Chief Minister has referred the office of the Commissioner for Surveys to the Tribunal under paragraph 10(1)(t) of the Act.

The Tribunal last considered the office of Commissioner for Surveys in May 2002 resulting in Determination 106 dated 28 May 2002.

This latest review, which sought submissions from interested parties, was advertised in the press on 5 and 8 March 2003.

Tribunal Consideration

A submission was received from the Commissioner for Surveys. The Tribunal considered that as the role of the Commissioner is closely aligned to Full-time Holders of Public Office, it should be treated in a similar fashion and reviewed at the same time as the Full-time Offices.

Remuneration

The Tribunal determined that the Commissioner for Surveys will be granted the same level of increase (6.8%) as Full-time Holders of Public Office.

The remuneration and entitlements shall continue to be payable on a pro-rata basis, based on the actual number of days worked per fortnight.

Other Entitlements

Telephone Allowance

The current telephone allowance comprises the telephone rental and up to 200 local calls or equivalent and if fully utilised equates to an amount of \$306.80 per year.

The Tribunal determined that the telephone allowance of \$307 (rounded) be added to the base salary for the Commissioner for Surveys.

Fringe Benefits Tax Allowance

The Tribunal considered that the current Fringe Benefits Tax allowance of \$2,000 was too low and did not reflect the actual FBT paid. The major item that affects the FBT is the allowance for motor vehicles.

The Tribunal determined that the Fringe Benefits Tax allowance be increased to \$5,000.



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Pursuant to paragraph 10(1)(t) of the *Remuneration Tribunal Act 1995* the Remuneration Tribunal has inquired into the remuneration and allowances to be paid, and other entitlements to be granted to the Commissioner for Surveys.

This Determination shall take effect from 1 July 2003.

Bill Lawrence MBE
Chair

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April 2003

Roberta McRae OAM
Member

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Alan Kerr AM
Member

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The Tribunal determines as follows:

1. The Commissioner for Surveys shall be entitled to a pro-rata of the equivalent full-time Total Remuneration Package set out in the following table, calculated on the basis of the actual number of days worked per fortnight.

Equivalent Full-Time Total Remuneration Package

Item	Amount
Salary	\$97,623
Superannuation (notional 16%)	\$15,620
Cash in lieu of the provision of a motor vehicle	\$11,250
Accompanied Travel	\$1,000
Telephone	Nil. Telephone allowance is included in basic salary
Fringe Benefits Tax	\$5,000
Parking	\$1,000
Total	\$131,493

Terms and Conditions of Employment

2. Where not specifically provided for in this Determination, or the Instrument of Appointment, the Commissioner for Surveys shall be entitled, on a pro-rata basis, to the same terms and conditions determined, from time to time, by the Tribunal for Full-Time Holders of Public Office.
3. Provided that where the terms and conditions are not specifically provided for by a Determination of the Tribunal, or in the Instrument of Appointment, the Commissioner shall be entitled to the conditions applying to an Executive employed under Section 72 of the *Public Sector Management Act 1994*.
4. Determination Number 106, made on 28 May 2002, is revoked.