



AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY REMUNERATION TRIBUNAL

Statement 24 of 2007

Children and Young People Official Visitor

Background

Sub-section 10(1) of the *Remuneration Tribunal Act 1995* provides for the Tribunal to inquire into, and determine, the remuneration, allowances and other entitlements of the holders of any position or appointment notified in writing to the Tribunal by the Chief Minister.

The Tribunal reviewed remuneration for the Children and Young People Official Visitor in August 2007 and issued Determination 14 of 7 August 2007.

Tribunal Consideration

The Tribunal has included the position as part of the annual review of part-time holders of public office.

Tribunal Determination

The Tribunal determined that remuneration should be increased by 4.0% (rounded upwards to the nearest \$5) for the Children and Young People Official Visitor, with effect on and from 1 November 2007.

ACT Remuneration Tribunal
November 2007



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This Determination shall take effect on and from 1 November 2007.

Alan Kerr AM
Chair

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Roberta McRae OAM
Member

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Jill Greenwell
Member

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Dated: November 2007



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The Tribunal has determined as follows:

1. Remuneration

- 1.1 A part-time holder of the statutory office of the Children and Young People Official Visitor shall be entitled to the annual rate of \$26,780 per annum.
- 1.2 This annual rate is intended to cover all costs associated with the Children and Young People Official Visitor's time undertaking official business, including time travelling.

2. Salary Packaging

- 2.1 Subject to the following conditions, the Children and Young People Official Visitor may elect to take remuneration as salary or take a combination of salary and other benefits best suited to his or her personal needs and preferences.
- 2.2 The scheme is to be consistent with taxation laws and guidelines applicable to salary packaging schemes, issued by the Australian Taxation Office.
- 2.3 The scheme is to be based on the ACT Public Service Salary Packaging Policy and Procedures issued by the Commissioner for Public Administration, with up to 100% of the remuneration being taken as benefits and related costs such as fringe benefits tax.
- 2.4 The scheme shall be operated and administered so that there will be no additional cost to the ACT Government. In particular, any fringe benefits tax associated with the provision of a benefit is to be included in the salary package.
- 2.5 The salary for superannuation purposes of the Children and Young People Official Visitor is unaffected by participation in the salary packaging scheme.

3. Previous Determinations

- 3.1 Determination 14 of 2007, dated 7 August 2007 is revoked.

4. Date of Effect

- 4.1 The Determination will be effective on and from 1 November 2007.
