



AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY REMUNERATION TRIBUNAL

Statement Number 183

President of the Administrative Appeals Tribunal

Background

Sub-section 10(1) of the *Remuneration Tribunal Act 1995* provides for the Remuneration Tribunal to inquire into, and determine remuneration, allowances and other entitlements to be paid to persons appointed to certain Full-Time Public Offices.

As remuneration for the President of the Administrative Appeals Tribunal has previously been linked to the level of remuneration for a Magistrate, the Tribunal undertakes the annual review of remuneration and entitlements for the President at the same time as the review of the Judiciary.

Tribunal Consideration

The Tribunal determined that the President of the Administrative Appeals Tribunal should receive a 4.1% increase in remuneration. The allowance of \$5,000 per annum paid for the requirement to perform other duties is not to be increased.

The Tribunal decided the President of the Administrative Appeals Tribunal should have access to salary packaging in line with salary packaging available to employees of the ACTPS and subject to any administrative arrangements established by the Department of Justice and Community Safety.

ACT Remuneration Tribunal
December 2005



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This Determination shall take effect from 1 November 2005.

Alan Kerr AM
Chair

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Roberta McRae OAM
Member

Jill Greenwell
Member



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1. Determination Number 169 of 30 November 2004 is revoked.

Remuneration

2. Remuneration at the rate of \$204,067 per annum shall be payable to the President of the Administrative Appeals Tribunal. An additional allowance of \$5,000 per annum is payable to reflect that there may be a requirement to undertake other duties.

Salary Packaging

3. (a) Subject to the following conditions, the President of the Administrative Appeals Tribunal 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.
 - (b) The scheme is to be consistent with taxation laws and guidelines applicable to salary packaging schemes, issued by the Australian Taxation Office.
 - (c) The Department of Justice and Community Safety will administer the scheme which is to be based on the ACT Public Service Salary Packaging Policy and Procedures issued by the Commissioner for Public Administration, with no more than 75% of the relevant remuneration to be taken as benefits and related costs such as fringe benefits tax.
 - (d) 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.
 - (e) The salary for superannuation purposes is unaffected by participation in the salary packaging scheme.
4. This Determination shall take effect from 1 November 2005.
