



# AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY REMUNERATION TRIBUNAL

## Statement 8 of 2009

### Chief Justice of the Supreme Court

#### Background

Section 10 of the *Remuneration Tribunal Act 1995* authorises the Remuneration Tribunal (the Tribunal) to inquire into, and determine remuneration, allowances and other entitlements to be paid to the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, that are in addition to any remuneration, allowances and entitlements as a resident judge or a judge of the Federal Court.

Remuneration for the Chief Justice is that of a Federal Court Judge, plus an additional allowance. This allowance has previously been determined by the Tribunal as 10% of the remuneration of a Federal Court Judge.

The Tribunal last reviewed the additional allowance for the Chief Justice in October 2008, and issued Statement and Determination 9 of 2008, dated 11 December 2008, following that review.

The latest inquiry, which sought submissions from interested parties, was notified in the press on 15 August 2009.

#### Submissions

Written submissions were received and considered by the Tribunal at its meeting on 29 October 2009.

#### Tribunal Consideration

The Tribunal noted that the Commonwealth Remuneration Tribunal granted a 3.0% increase in remuneration for the judiciary with effect from 1 October 2009.

The Tribunal decided that there should be no change to the existing arrangement, and determined that the additional allowance for the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court should remain at 10% of the remuneration for a Federal Court Judge. Accordingly, the allowance for the Chief Justice is increased to \$34,367 per annum.

ACT Remuneration Tribunal  
December 2009

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REMUNERATION TRIBUNAL**

**Determination 8 of 2009**

**Chief Justice of the Supreme Court**

Under section 10 of the *Remuneration Tribunal Act 1995*, the Remuneration Tribunal has inquired into the remuneration, allowances and other entitlements to be paid to the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court.

This Determination is effective on and from 1 November 2009.

Alan Kerr AM  
Chair

  
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Roberta McRae OAM  
Member

  
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Jill Greenwell  
Member

  
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Under sub-sections 10(1) and 10(2) of the *Remuneration Tribunal Act 1995*, the Remuneration Tribunal has inquired into the remuneration, allowances and other entitlements to be paid to the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court in respect of that office in addition to any remuneration, allowances and entitlements payable or due to him or her as a resident judge or a Federal Court Judge, and determines as follows:

1. Determination 9 of 2008 dated 11 December 2008 is revoked.
2. An allowance of \$34,367 per annum shall be payable to the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court in addition to the remuneration payable as a Judge of the Federal Court of Australia.
3. This Determination is effective on and from 1 November 2009.

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