

Specialist Medical Review Council

Declarations

*Section 196W
Veterans’ Entitlements Act 1986*

 **Re: Statements of Principles Nos. 75 and 76 of 2015**

**in respect of myasthenia gravis**

Request for Review Declaration No. 29

In relation to the Repatriation Medical Authority (the RMA) Statement of Principles **No. 75** and **No. 76** **of 2015** concerning **Myasthenia Gravis**, made under subsection 196B of the *Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986* (the VEA), the Specialist Medical Review Council (the Council) under subsection 196W(5) of the VEA:

DECLARES that there was no sound medical-scientific evidence on which the RMA could have relied to amend either of the Statements of Principles to include a factor or factors for exposure to ionising radiation and the clinical onset and/or clinical worsening of myasthenia gravis.

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| The Common Seal of the )Specialist Medical Review ) Council was affixed by )authority of the Council in )the presence of: ) |  |

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| Jan BowmanRegistrar, SMRC |
| Dated this ***twenty third*** day of ***May*** 2016 |