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Notice of designation of a Territory Central Authority

for Australian Capital Territory

In accordance with subregulation 10(4) of the *Family Law (Hague Convention on Intercountry Adoption) Regulations 1998* (Cth), on behalf of the Commonwealth Central Authority I publish a notice that the Australian Capital Territory has designated the following person as the Territory Central Authority for the Australian Capital Territory:

> The person from time to time holding the office of the Director-General of the Health and Community Services Directorate, the director-general responsible for dealing with matters under the *Adoption Act 1993* (ACT).

The address of the Territory Central Authority for the Australian Capital Territory is:

> 220 London Circuit, Canberra City ACT 2601, Australia

The postal address of the Territory Central Authority for the Australian Capital Territory is:

> GPO Box 785 Canberra City ACT 2601, Australia

The functions of the Territory Central Authority for the Australian Capital Territory are:

> All of the functions of the Territory Central Authority under the *Family Law Act 1975*, the *Family Law (Hague Convention on Intercountry Adoption) Regulations 1998,* the *Commonwealth-State Agreement for the Continued Operation of Australia's Intercountry Adoption Program* and the *Hague Convention on the Protection of Children and Co-operation in respect of Intercountry Adoption.*

The Territory Central Authority for the Australian Capital Territory previously designated under subregulation 10(4) of the *Family Law (Hague Convention on Intercountry Adoption) Regulations 1998* has ceased to be a Territory Central Authority under that regulation.

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For and on behalf of the Secretary of the Department of Social Services
Commonwealth Central Authority