



Financial Management and Accountability Amendment Regulation 2012 (No. 1)¹

Select Legislative Instrument 2012 No. 28

I, QUENTIN BRYCE, Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, make the following regulation under the *Financial Management and Accountability Act 1997*.

Dated 8 March 2012

QUENTIN BRYCE
Governor-General

By Her Excellency's Command

PENELOPE YING YEN WONG
Minister for Finance and Deregulation

1 Name of regulation

This regulation is the *Financial Management and Accountability Amendment Regulation 2012 (No. 1)*.

2 Commencement

This regulation commences on the day after it is registered.

3 Amendment of *Financial Management and Accountability Regulations 1997*

Schedule 1 amends the *Financial Management and Accountability Regulations 1997*.

4 Transitional

The *Commonwealth Procurement Guidelines* issued under section 64 of the *Financial Management and Accountability Act 1997*, as in force immediately before the commencement of this regulation, is taken to comply with regulation 7 as amended by item [1] of Schedule 1.

Schedule 1 Amendments

(section 3)

[1] Regulation 7

substitute

7 Commonwealth procurement (Act s 64)

- (1) The Finance Minister may issue guidelines in relation to procurement, including:
- (a) procurement policies and processes; and
 - (b) requirements regarding the publication of procurement details; and

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- (c) requirements regarding entering into procurement arrangements; and
 - (d) requirements regarding the disposal of public property.
- (2) The guidelines are to have a title approved by the Finance Minister.
 - (3) An official performing duties in relation to procurement must act in accordance with any guidelines issued under subregulation (1).

[2] Schedule 1, item 127

substitute

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| 127 | Australian Taxation Office, comprising: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) the Commissioner of Taxation and the Second Commissioners of Taxation; and (b) persons engaged under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> to assist the Commissioner; and (c) the Tax Practitioners Board established under section 60-5 of the <i>Tax Agent Services Act 2009</i>; and (d) persons engaged under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> whose services are made available to the Tax Practitioners Board by the Commissioner under section 60-80 of the <i>Tax Agent Services Act 2009</i> | Commissioner of Taxation |
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See Note B

[3] Schedule 1, item 161

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| 161 | National Offshore Petroleum Safety and Environmental Management Authority (NOPSEMA), continued in existence by section 645 of the <i>Offshore Petroleum and Greenhouse Gas Storage Act 2006</i> , comprising: <ul style="list-style-type: none">(a) the Chief Executive Officer of NOPSEMA; and(b) the National Offshore Petroleum Titles Administrator established under section 695A of that Act; and(c) the staff mentioned in subsection 676 (1) of that Act; and(d) consultants engaged under subsection 677 (1) of that Act; and(e) the officers and employees mentioned in subsection 677 (3) of that Act | Chief Executive Officer |
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See Note B

Note

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