



Private Health Insurance (Transition) Amendment Rules 2008

I, NICOLA ROXON, Minister for Health and Ageing, make these Rules under section 55 of the *Private Health Insurance (Transitional Provisions and Consequential Amendments) Act 2007*.

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Part 1 Preliminary

1. Name of Rules

These Rules are the *Private Health Insurance (Transition) Amendment Rules 2008*.

2. Commencement

These Rules commence on the day after they are registered.

3. Amendment of the *Private Health Insurance (Transition) Rules 2007*

The Schedule amends the *Private Health Insurance (Transition) Rules 2007*.

Schedule—Amendments

[1] Rule 9

After rule 9, insert

10. Transition for restricted access insurers

- (1) This rule applies to an applicant for registration as a restricted access insurer under Part 4-3 of the new Act where the applicant at the time of the application:
 - (a) is a private health insurer because of subsection 18 (1) of the Transitional Provisions Act; and
 - (b) is a restricted access insurer because of subsection 20 (1) of the Transitional Provisions Act; and
 - (c) has a constitution that does not comply with subsection 126-20 (6) of the new Act.
- (2) If this rule applies to the applicant, subsection 126-20 (6) of the new Act does not apply to the insurer until 31 December 2008.

Note

- 1. All legislative instruments and compilations are registered on the Federal Register of Legislative Instruments kept under the *Legislative Instruments Act 2003*. See www.frli.gov.au
- 2. These Rules amend the *Private Health Insurance (Transition) Rules 2007*, which commenced on 1 April 2007.