

## **EXPLANATORY STATEMENT**

### *Migration Regulations 1994*

#### **INSTRUMENT OF REVOCATION**

(Sub-subparagraph 1218(2)(a)(i)(B))

1. This Instrument is made under sub-subparagraph 1218(2)(a)(i)(B) of the *Migration Regulations 1994* ('the Regulations').
2. Sub-subparagraph 1218(2)(a)(i)(B) of the Regulations provides that for applicants in classes of persons specified in an Instrument in writing, a visa application charge (VAC) of nil will apply.
3. The purpose of the Instrument is to revoke the instrument IMMI 10/080 "Classes of Persons" made under sub-subparagraph 1218(2)(a)(i)(B) and signed on 20 January 2011.
4. The instrument operates to revoke Instrument IMMI 10/080 which is no longer required.
5. Consultation was undertaken before the instrument was made as follows:
  - Pursuant to subsection 18(1) of the Legislative Instruments Act 2003 consultation was not necessary. The Instrument is of a minor or machinery nature and does not substantially alter existing arrangements.
6. The Office of Best Practice Regulation has advised that a Regulatory Impact Statement is not required (OBPR Reference 12254).
7. Under section 44 of the *Legislative Instruments Act 2003* the Instrument is exempt from disallowance and therefore a Human Rights Statement of Compatibility is not required.
8. The instrument commences on 23 March 2013 immediately after the commencement of the *Migration Amendment Legislation (No. 1)*.