

# Amendment Statement of Principles concerning TOOTH WEAR (Reasonable Hypothesis) (No. 85 of 2018)

The Repatriation Medical Authority determines the following Amendment Statement of Principles under subsections 196B(2) and (8) of the *Veterans' Entitlements Act* 1986.

Dated 24 August 2018

The Common Seal of the Repatriation Medical Authority was affixed to this instrument at the direction of:

Professor Nicholas Saunders AO

Chairperson

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### 1 Name

This is the Amendment Statement of Principles concerning *tooth wear* (*Reasonable Hypothesis*) (No. 85 of 2018).

### 2 Commencement

This instrument commences on 24 September 2018.

## 3 Authority

This instrument is made under subsections 196B(2) and (8) of the *Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986*.

### 4 Amendment

The Statement of Principles concerning *tooth wear (Reasonable Hypothesis)* (No. 52 of 2017) (Federal Register of Legislation No. F2017L01059) is amended in the following manner:

| Section | Amendment  |
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| 8(3)(j) | Insert the following factor in subsection 8(3)(j): vomiting or regurgitating gastric contents on at least 100 occasions within the one year before the clinical onset of tooth wear;     |
| 8(6)(j) | Insert the following factor in subsection 8(6)(j): vomiting or regurgitating gastric contents on at least 100 occasions within the one year before the clinical worsening of tooth wear; |