



**Australian Government**  
**Repatriation Medical Authority**

# **Amendment Statement of Principles**

## **concerning**

## **LOSS OF TEETH**

## **(Reasonable Hypothesis)**

## **(No. 83 of 2018)**

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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:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Nicholas Saunders'.

Professor Nicholas Saunders AO  
Chairperson

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**1 Name**

This is the Amendment Statement of Principles concerning *loss of teeth (Reasonable Hypothesis)* (No. 83 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 *loss of teeth (Reasonable Hypothesis)* (No. 124 of 2015) (Federal Register of Legislation No. F2015L01678) is amended in the following manner:

Section	Amendment
9(9a)	<i>Insert the following factor in subsection 9(9a):</i> having tooth wear involving the affected tooth at the time of the clinical onset of loss of teeth;