



Australian Government
Repatriation Medical Authority

Amendment Statement of Principles **concerning** **MIGRAINE** **(Reasonable Hypothesis)** **(No. 98 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 26 October 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 *migraine (Reasonable Hypothesis)* (No. 98 of 2018).

2 Commencement

This instrument commences on 26 November 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 *migraine (Reasonable Hypothesis)* (No. 7 of 2018) (Federal Register of Legislation No. F2018L00012) is amended in the following manner:

Section	Amendment
9(2a)	<i>Insert the following factor in subsection 9(2a):</i> having concussion or moderate to severe traumatic brain injury before the clinical onset of migraine, where migraine has developed within the seven days of: (a) injury to the head; or (b) regaining consciousness following the injury to the head; or (c) discontinuing medication that impairs the ability to sense or report headache following the injury to the head;
9(4a)	<i>Insert the following factor in subsection 9(4a):</i> having concussion or moderate to severe traumatic brain injury before the clinical worsening of migraine, where migraine has worsened within the seven days of: (a) injury to the head; or (b) regaining consciousness following the injury to the head; or (c) discontinuing medication that impairs the ability to sense or report headache following the injury to the head;