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Government Departments

Attorney-General

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA CUSTOMS ACT 1901

NOTICE OF RATES OF EXCHANGE - s161J CUSTOMS ACT 1901

I, Wayne Baldwin, delegate of the Chief Executive Officer of Customs, hereby specify, pursuant to s161J of the Customs Act 1901, that the amounts set out in Columns 3 to 9 hereunder are the ruling rates of exchange, on the dates specified, for the purposes of ascertaining the value of imported goods under the provisions of Division 2 of Part VIII of the Customs Act 1901.

SCHEDULE				(Foreign Cu	rrency = AU	S \$1)		
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5	Column 6	Column 7	Column 8	Column 9
	Currency	04/01/06	05/01/06	06/01/06	07/01/06	08/01/06	09/01/06	10/01/06
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Brazil	Real	1.7263	1.7063	1.7095	1.7095	1.7095	1.7180	1.6904
Canada	Dollar	.8566	.8569	.8681	.8681	.8681	.8770	.8774
China	Yuan	5.9750	6.0213	6.0232	6.0232	6.0232	6.0699	6.0570
Denmark	Kroner	4.5906	4.6019	4.6007	4.6007	4.6007	4.6252	4.6431
European Unior	ı Euro	.6152	.6166	.6170	.6170	.6170	.6196	.6222
Fiji	Dollar	1.2814	1.2840	1.2859	1.2859	1.2859	1.2903	1.2860
Hong Kong	Dollar	5.7445	5.7912	5.7926	5.7926	5.7926	5.8378	5.8253
India	Rupee	33.2985	33.3989	33.4066	33.4066	33.4066	33.5415	33.3278
Indonesia	Rupiah	7181.0000	7196.0000	7161.0000	7161.0000	7161.0000	7166.0000	7103.0000
Israel	Shekel	3.4026	3.4494	3.4406	3.4406	3.4406	3.4762	3.4704
Japan	Yen	85.9100	86.7300	86.6200	86.6200	86.6200	85.8400	86.0700
Korea	Won	739.8100	742.2900	739.5000	739.5000	739.5000	738.1700	735.0400
Malaysia	Ringgit	2.7976	2.8155	2.8092	2.8092	2.8092	2.8235	2.8168
New Zealand	Dollar	1.0807	1.0847	1.0876	1.0876	1.0876	1.0873	1.0834
Norway	Kroner	4.9019	4.8910	4.8887	4.8887	4.8887	4.9125	4.9519
Pakistan	Rupee	44.2600	44.5700	44.6200	44.6200	44.6200	45.0500	44.9400
Papua NG	Kina	2.2797	2.2981	2.2988	2.2988	2.2988	2.3169	2.3123
Philippines	Peso	38.9000	39.1100	39.1800	39.1800	39.1800	39.4800	39.4300
Singapore	Dollar	1.2216	1.2292	1.2291	1.2291	1.2291	1.2308	1.2288
Solomon Is.	Dollar	5.5749	5.6214	5.6257	5.6257	5.6257	5.6702	5.6589
South Africa	Rand	4.5856	4.5801	4.5845	4.5845	4.5845	4.5695	4.5326
Sri Lanka	Rupee	75.6700	76.2800	76.2500	76.2500	76.2500	76.8200	76.6100
Sweden	Krona	5.7585	5.7549	5.7556	5.7556	5.7556	5.7748	5.8128
Switzerland	Franc	.9540	.9538	.9535	.9535	.9535	.9561	.9596
Taiwan	Dollar	24.0900	24.0800	23.8700	23.8700	23.8700	24.1300	23.9900
Thailand	Baht	30.0700	30.1000	30.0200	30.0200	30.0200	29.9800	29.8700
UK	Pound	.4237	.4248	.4255	.4255	.4255	.4251	.4255
USA	Dollar	.7409	.7469	.7471	.7471	.7471	.7530	.7515

Wayne Baldwin Delegate of the Chief Executive Officer of Customs CANBERRA A.C.T. 11/01/06

Environment and Heritage

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

Historic Shipwrecks Act 1976

SECTION 22

APPOINTMENT OF INSPECTORS

I, THEO HOOY, delegate of the Minister for the Environment and Heritage, acting under subsection 22(1) of the *Historic Shipwrecks Act 1976* (the Act), HEREBY APPOINT the persons named in Schedule A hereto as inspectors for the purposes of the Act.

Dated the day of January 2006

THEO HOOY

Delegate of the Minister for the Environment and Heritage

SCHEDULE A - APPOINTED INSPECTORS

Number	Name	Organisation
431	Shane Robert McWhinney	Department of the Environment and Heritage
432	Michael Joseph Quinn	Department of the Environment and Heritage
433	Tanya Claire Rough	Department of the Environment and Heritage
434	Benjamin John Parker	Department of the Environment and Heritage
435	Grant William Pink	Department of the Environment and Heritage
436	Karen Maree Smith	Department of the Environment and Heritage
437	Michael James Dore	Department of the Environment and Heritage
438	Neville George Matthew	Department of the Environment and Heritage
439	Scott Anthony Utteridge	Department of the Environment and Heritage

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

Historic Shipwrecks Act 1976

SECTION 22

REVOCATION OF INSPECTORS

I, THEO HOOY, delegate of the Minister for the Environment and Heritage, acting under subsection 22(1) of the Historic Shipwrecks Act 1976 (the Act), HEREBY REVOKE the appointment of the person named in Schedule R hereto as inspector for the purposes of the Act.

Dated the // day of January 2006

THEO HOOY
Delegate of the Minister for the Environment and Heritage

SCHEDULE R - REVOKED INSPECTOR APPOINTMENTS

Number Name

387 Kael da Costa

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 DECLARATION OF AN APPROVED WILDLIFE TRADE OPERATION

I, Cindy Steensby, Acting Director, Wildlife Trade Assessments, as Delegate of the Minister for the Environment and Heritage under the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999, am satisfied that an operation to salvage harvest tree-ferns by Mr Fern, is a small-scale operation as defined by regulation 9A.20 under subsection 303FN(10). I declare under subsection 303FN(2) that Mr Fern's operation is an Approved Wildlife Trade Operation.

This declaration has effect subject to the following conditions applied under S303FT:

- 1. The operation is to be undertaken in accordance with the proposal submitted on 17 October 2005.
- Harvest is restricted to tree-ferns (Dicksonia antarctica and Cyathea australis).
- 3. All activities covered by this approval must be carried out in accordance with the necessary permits and approvals as required under State and Commonwealth law.
- 4. The harvest is restricted to a total number of 7000 individuals.
- Mr Fern must submit an annual report by 31 January 2007 to the Department of the Environment and Heritage. The annual report should include the total number of treeferns harvested and the total number of tree-ferns exported.
- 6. This declaration is valid for twelve months from the date of gazettal of this declaration.

Dated this 12th day of January 2006

Delegate of the Minister for the Environment and Heritage

Subject to the Administrative Appeals Tribunal Act 1975, a person or persons whose interests are affected by this declaration may, within 28 days, make an application in writing to the Department of the Environment and Heritage, for the reasons for the decision. An application for independent review of the decision may be made to the Administrative Appeals Tribunal, on payment of the relevant fee, by or on behalf of the person or persons whose interests are affected, either within 28 days of receipt of the reasons for the decision, or within 28 days of this declaration if reasons for the decision are not sought. Further information may be obtained from:

Director, Wildlife Trade Assessments

Department of the Environment and Heritage GPO Box 787 CANBERRA ACT 2601 Telephone: (02) 6274 2880 Facsimile: (02) 6274 1921

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 DECLARATION OF AN APPROVED WILDLIFE TRADE OPERATION

I, Cindy Steensby, Acting Director, Wildlife Trade Assessments, as Delegate of the Minister for the Environment and Heritage under the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999, am satisfied that an operation to salvage harvest tree-ferns by M & K Cole Ferns, is a small-scale operation as defined by regulation 9A.20 under subsection 303FN(10). I declare under subsection 303FN(2) that Mr Fern's operation is an Approved Wildlife Trade Operation.

This declaration has effect subject to the following conditions applied under \$303FT:

- The operation is to be undertaken in accordance with the proposal submitted on 28 November 2005.
- 2. Harvest is restricted to tree-ferns (Dicksonia antarctica).
- 3. All activities covered by this approval must be carried out in accordance with the necessary permits and approvals as required under State and Commonwealth law.
- The harvest is restricted to a total number of 30000 individuals.
- 5. M & K Cole Ferns must submit an annual report by 31 January 2007 to the Department of the Environment and Heritage. The annual report should include the total number of tree-ferns harvested and the total number of tree-ferns exported.
- This declaration is valid for twelve months from the date of gazettal of this declaration.

Dated this 12th day of Jamery 2006

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Delegate of the Minister for the Environment and Heritage

Subject to the Administrative Appeals Tribunal Act 1975, a person or persons whose interests are affected by this declaration may, within 28 days, make an application in writing to the Department of the Environment and Heritage, for the reasons for the decision. An application for independent review of the decision may be made to the Administrative Appeals Tribunal, on payment of the relevant fee, by or on behalf of the person or persons whose interests are affected, either within 28 days of receipt of the reasons for the decision, or within 28 days of this declaration if reasons for the decision are not sought Further information may be obtained from:

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ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION (SEA DUMPING) ACT 1981 MATTERS TO BE PUBLISHED IN THE GAZETTE FOR THE PERIOD: 1 December 2005 – 31 December 2005

Pursuant to section 25 of the Environment Protection (Sea Dumping) Act 1981, notice is given that:

Applications received

- An application was received on 6 December 2005 from the Australian Federal Police, GPO Box 485G, Melbourne, VIC, 3001, to dump at sea the vessel MV Pong Su during the training exercise TASMANEX 06.
- An application was received on 12 December 2005 from Tasmanian Ports Corporation
 Pty Ltd, PO Box 478, Devonport, TAS 7310, to load, for the purposes of dumping, and
 to dump up to 150,000 cubic metres of maintenance dredge seabed material from the
 berths and port area of the Port of Burnie.
- An application was received on 21 December 2005 from Diamond Offshore Australia LLC, Unit 2, 5 Turner Ave, Bentley, WA 6102, to dump two 2,300 kg grapples and up to 250 m wire rope, following the decommissioning of the Culverin-1 exploration well.

Permits Granted

- A sea dumping permit was granted on 1 December 2005 to Peter Elberg Funerals,
 280 Grange Road, Flinders Park, SA, 5025 to carry out a burial at sea approximately
 65 nautical miles west south west of Robe, South Australia.
- A sea dumping permit was granted on 8 December 2005 to Ports Corporation of Queensland, Level 24, 300 Queen Street, Brisbane, Queensland 4001, to load, for the purposes of dumping, and to dump up to 14 000 000 cubic metres of material, comprised of 9 000 000 cubic metres of seabed material derived from capital dredging of an apron area and departure path within the Port of Hay Point, and 5 000 000 cubic metres of seabed material from the maintenance dredging.

Copics of relevant documentation may be obtained, upon request, from the Director, Ports and Marine Section, Department of the Environment and Heritage, GPO Box 787, CANBERRA, ACT 2601. Ph: 02 6274 2995, Fax: 02 6274 1105.

Director

Ports and Marine Section

/ € January 2006

DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND HERITAGE

Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999

NOTICE OF A DECISION ON WHETHER AN ACTION IS A CONTROLLED ACTION OR NOT

Pursuant to section 77(1)(b) of the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 and paragraph 16.02(1)(a) of the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Regulations 2000, notice is hereby given that the Minister for the Environment and Heritage or a delegate of that Minister, has decided that each action identified in the following table is not a controlled action.

Reference No	Title of action	Date of Decision	Component decision under s.77(3) applies
2005/2327	Department of Communication, Information Technology and the Arts/Urban and commercial new development/Canberra/ACT/Construction and operation of new National Portrait Gallery	31 Oct 05	Yes
2005/2341	NSW Department of Environment and Conservation/Agriculture and forestry/Kosciuszko National Park/NSW/Aerial baiting for wild dogs	2 Nov 05	Yes
2005/2342	NSW Department of Environment and Conservation/Agriculture and forestry/Adaminaby- Yaouk/NSW/Aerial Baiting For Wild Dogs	8 Nov 05	Yes
2005/2346	Piacentini & Son Pty Ltd/Mining/Gelorup/WA/Sand and Limestone Extraction on Lots 313 and 314, Harewoods Road	11 Nov 05	Yes
2005/2349	Pilbara Development Commission/Urban and commercial redevelopment/Port Hedland/WA/upgrade of 3 community recreation sites	22 Nov 05	Yes
2005/2350	Cooma Rural Lands Protection Board/Tourism, recreation and conservation management/Yaouk Valley/NSW/Wild dog baiting	9 Nov 05	Yes
2005/2359	Mawsons Huts Foundation/Tourism, recreation and conservation management/Cape Denison/Antarctica/Mawsons Huts Work Program	18 Nov 05	Yes
2005/2364	Nexus Energy Limited/Exploration (mineral, oil, gas)/Ashmore and Cartier Islands/Commonwealth Marine/3D Marine Seismic Survey, Permit AC/P 23	23 Nov 05	Yes

2005/2371	Australian Film Commission/Tourism, recreation and conservation management/Acton/ACT/install a 250 seat cinema in the NFSA north gallery	28 Nov 05	Yes
2005/2379	Australian War Memorial/Tourism, recreation and conservation management/Russell/ACT/Temporary display of bridge sections from HMAS Brisbane	14 Dec 05	Yes
2005/2453	DOFA/Sale or lease of Commonwealth property/Canberra/ACT/Land Divestment, Block 13, Section 9, Barton, ACT (bounded by Blackall Street, Broughton Street, Macquarie Street)	22 Dec 2005	No
2005/2464	Woodside Energy Ltd/Mining/North West Shelf/Commonwealth Marine/Western Flank Gas Development	06 Jan 2006	No
2005/2470	Hunter Gas Pipeline Pty Ltd/Energy generation and supply/Lower Hunter Valley/NSW/Revised alignment Hunter Natural Gas Pipeline	09 Jan 2006	No
2005/2477	Fremantle Ports/Water transport/Fremantle/WA/Fremantle Ports Inner Harbour Capital Dredging Proposal	11 Jan 2006	No

NOTICE OF A PARTICULAR MANNER DECISION UNDER SECTION 77A

Pursuant to section 77A and section 77(1)(b) of the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 and paragraph 16.02(1)(a) of the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Regulations 2000, notice is hereby given that, in deciding whether an action is a controlled action or not, the Minister for the Environment and Heritage or a delegate of that Minister, decided that a provision of Part 3 of the Act is not a controlling provision for each action identified in the following table because of the particular manner in which the action will be taken.

Reference	Title of action	Component Decision - Controlling Provisions and Particular Manner
No		of undertaking the action
2005/2327	Department of Communication, Information Technology and the Arts/Urban and commercial new development/ Canberra/ACT/ Construction and operation of new National Portrait Gallery	 section 28 (Commonwealth agencies). Manner in which the proposed action is to be taken Design and construction of the National Portrait Gallery and surrounds will be undertaken in accordance with the Urban Design Guidelines: Detailed Conditions of Planning, Design and Development in accordance with the National Capital Plan (NCA, July 2005) and the measures described at section 5.1 of the referral to conserve and protect identified heritage values within the Parliament House Vista, a place included in the Commonwealth Heritage List and on the Register of the National Estate. In addition, design and construction of the National Portrait Gallery and surrounds will be consistent with the objectives and intent of the Draft Parliamentary Zone – Arts and Civic Campus, High Court of Australia and National Gallery of Australia Precinct Conservation Management Plan (NCA, August 2005).
2005/2341	NSW Department of Environment and Conservation/ Agriculture and forestry/ Kosciuszko National Park/NSW/ Aerial baiting for wild dogs	 sections 18 and 18A (Listed threatened species and communities). Manner in which the proposed action is to be taken: The following measures must be taken to minimise risks to the endangered Tiger Quoll (Dasyurus maculatus maculatus): Wild dog and fox populations will be assessed via sand plot monitoring before and after baiting and results assessed. The aerial meat baiting program will only occur within the Kosciuszko National Park and along the approximate transects shown at Attachment A to the instrument of decision which can be accessed on our public notifications website at http://www.deh.gov.au/cgi-bin/epbc/epbc ap.pl or by contacting the Department of the Environment and Heritage, telephone (02) 6274 1111. From the public notifications web page click on the [How to use this site] hyperlink for detailed instructions on how to access this document. The proposed program is to be a one-off aerial baiting exercise, conducted during the remainder of 2005. Prepared meat baits will be injected with 6mg of 1080 and deployed at a rate of 10 baits per kilometre. Aerial transects will total no more than 80 km.

2005/2342	NSW Department of Environment and Conservation/ Agriculture and forestry/ Adaminaby- Yaouk/NSW/ Aerial Baiting For Wild Dogs	 sections 18 and 18A (Listed threatened species and communities). Manner in which the proposed action is to be taken: The following measures must be taken to minimise risks to the endangered Spot-tailed Quoll (Dasyurus maculatus maculatus): Wild dog and fox populations will be assessed via sand plot monitoring before and after baiting and results assessed. The aerial meat baiting program will only occur along the approximate transects shown at Attachment A to the instrument of decision which can be accessed on our public notifications website at http://www.deh.gov.au/cgi-bin/epbc/epbc_ap.pl or by contacting the Department of the Environment and Heritage, telephone (02) 6274 1111. From the public notifications web page click on the [How to use this site] hyperlink for detailed instructions on how to access this document. The proposed program is to be a one-off aerial baiting exercise, conducted during the remainder of 2005. Prepared meat baits will be injected with 6 mg of 1080 and deployed at a rate of 10 baits per kilometre.
2005/2346	Piacentini & Son Pty Ltd/Mining/ Gelorup/WA/ Sand and Limestone Extraction on Lots 313 and 314, Harewoods Road	 sections 18 and 18A (Listed threatened species and communities). Manner in which the proposed action is to be taken: 1. The extractive area within Lots 313 and 314 must not exceed that shown in Figures 2 to 4 of the referral document. 2. Those trees identified in Figure 4 of the referral as containing "significant tree hollows" for black-cockatoos within Lots 313 and 314, but located outside the extractive area, must not be removed or otherwise adversely impacted. 3. A programme must be implemented, in consultation with relevant experts (eg the Western Australian Museum, WA Department of Conservation and Land Management, Birds Australia and the Cockatoo Recovery Unit), for the establishment of compensatory nesting habitat for black-cockatoos so as to create a net gain in the number of breeding hollows within the Harewoods Road property.
2005/2349	Pilbara Development Commission/ Urban and commercial redevelopment/ Port Hedland/ WA/upgrade of 3 community recreation sites	 sections 18 and 18A (Listed threatened species and communities); and sections 20 and 20A (Listed migratory species). Manner in which the proposed action is to be taken: The mobile performing arts stage must not be used at the Port Hedland Civic Centre for major performing events between November and January (inclusive), because of the potential for such events and associated levels of patronage to disturb turtle nesting activity during the peak Flatback turtle nesting season.

2005/2350	Cooma Rural Lands Protection	sections 18 and 18A (Listed threatened species and communities).
	Board/Tourism, recreation and	Manner in which the proposed action is to be taken:
	conservation management/ Yaouk Valley/	The following measures must be taken to minimise risks to the endangered Spot-tailed Quoll (<i>Dasyurus maculatus maculatus</i>):
	NSW/Wild dog baiting	1. The aerial baiting program will only occur on freehold land at Murrumbidgee Gorge, NSW, within the area defined in the referral and along the transect lines shown at Attachment A. Aerial baiting transects will total no more than 32.5km.
		2. The proposed program is to be a one-off aerial baiting exercise, conducted during November 2005.
		3. Prepared meat baits will be injected with 6mg of 1080 (sodium monofluroracetate) and deployed at a rate of no more than 30 baits per kilometre.
2005/2359	Mawsons Huts	and an affin and 150 (Night and Hardense).
2003/2339	Foundation/	 sections 15B and 15C (National Heritage); sections 26 and 27A (Protection of the environment from
	Tourism, recreation and	actions involving Commonwealth land).
	conservation management/	Manner in which the proposed action is to be taken:
	Cape Denison/ Antarctica/	1. Ice removal excavated from floor areas is not permitted below
	Mawsons Huts	600mm.
	Work Program	2. The 2005 expedition team, under the supervision of the
		expedition leader, will conduct a structural investigation in line with the Works Plan (submitted with the referral) on the fire
		damaged area of the Kitchen in the Main Hut.
		3. A report of the structural investigation of the fire damaged area
		of the Kitchen in the Main Hut must be referred to the Director, Australian Antarctic Division, for consideration and decision on
		how to progress (if at all) in consultation with a heritage
		architect and the Heritage Division of the Department.4. All works and actions taken by the 2005 expedition team must
		adhere to relevant Australian Antarctic Division plans and protocols, specifically:
		i. Management Plans for the Antarctic Specially
		Protected Area (ASPA) and Antarctic Specially
		Managed Area (ASMA), with particular reference to section 8(i) of the ASPA Management Plan; and
		ii. Ice removal in areas containing artefacts must be
		carried out in accordance with the Artefacts at Cape
		Denison AAD Policies and Procedures (2005); and
		iii. Guidelines for Minimum Approach Distances to Wildlife In Antarctica.
		5. The expedition leader will provide to the Department within 4
		months of the date of this decision a detailed report on progress against each action on the Works Program.
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2005/2364	Nexus Energy Limited/ Exploration (mineral, oil, gas)/Ashmore and Cartier Islands/ Commonwealth Marine/3D Marine Seismic Survey, Permit AC/P 23	 sections 18 and 18A (Listed threatened species and communities); sections 20 and 20A (Listed migratory species); and sections 23 and 24A (Marine environment). Manner in which the proposed action is to be taken: Survey operations will be conducted in accordance with the minimum requirements described at Attachment A to this decision. In addition to the above requirements, survey operations undertaken during the period 15 July to 15 September will be conducted in accordance with the minimum requirements described at Attachment B to this decision.
2005/2371	Australian Film Commission/ Tourism, recreation and conservation management/ Acton/ACT/ install a 250 seat cinema in the NFSA north gallery	 section 28 (protection of the environment from Commonwealth actions). Manner in which the proposed action is to be taken: Final design and construction methodologies and works will be consistent with the guidelines described in the National Film and Sound Archive Heritage Management Plan, Section 7, and as amended by the Heritage Division of the Department of the Environment and Heritage (Eric Martin and Associates, 2005). Any original joinery removed for the cinema fit-out must be catalogued and stored either beneath the cinema tiered seating on-site or catalogued and stored off-site. The original balustrade and railing of the North Gallery balcony are to remain in-situ. The projection box must be built so that it can be removed if required. Construction of the box must not penetrate the original fabric of the balustrade. The overhead pendant lighting and its suspension chains or any of its parts are not to be removed unless maintenance and/or replacement parts are required.
2005/2379	Australian War Memorial/ Tourism, recreation and conservation management/ Russell/ACT/ Temporary display of bridge sections from HMAS Brisbane	 section 28 (Protection of the environment from Commonwealth actions). Manner in which the proposed action is to be taken: 1. The bridge display and link from the bridge display to the Memorial building must be totally reversible. Penetrations into the building fabric of the Memorial building must be minimised. In particular, the following measures will be adopted: The design of the link will be consistent with the design used to link the Memorial building with ANZAC Hall. An area of no more than 400mm high x 1114mm wide of the lower part of the window will be removed. The bottom two existing window panes only will be removed. The top section of the existing window will be retained. An area of no more than 1810mm high x 1155mm wide of stonework below the window will be removed and the remaining stone edges will be cut and reworked to ensure consistency with other openings made into the external fabric of the Memorial building. The works will be undertaken by experienced stone masons.

2005/2379 Cont	Australian War Memorial/ Tourism, recreation and conservation management/ Russell/ACT/ Temporary display of bridge sections from HMAS Brisbane Cont	All building fabric removed for the opening in the Memorial building will be clearly identified, labelled, and stored in a manner that will ensure it remains protected for the life of the display and can be re-instated when the display and link is removed.
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DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND HERITAGE

Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999

NOTICE OF A DECISION ON THE APPROACH TO BE USED FOR ASSESSMENT OF THE RELEVANT IMPACTS OF AN ACTION

3. Pursuant to Section 91(1)(b) of the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* and paragraph 16.02(1)(a) of the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Regulations 2000*, notice is hereby given that the Minister for the Environment and Heritage or a delegate of that Minister, has decided on the approach to be used for the assessment of the relevant impacts of each action identified in columns 1 and 2 of each row of the following table. The assessment approach for each identified action is specified in column 4 of each row.

Reference No	Title of action	Date of Decision	Assessment approach
2004/1459	Department of	06 Jan 2006	Assessment
	Defence/Defence/Darwin/NT/Operation of 17		Preliminary
	Tiger Helicopters at Robertson Barracks		Documentation
2005/2393	Australian Rail Track Corporation/Land	05 Jan 2006	Accredited
	transport/Sefton Park to		Assessment
	Macarthur/NSW/South Sydney Freight Rail		Process
	Line		

DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND HERITAGE

Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999

NOTICE OF THE GRANTING OF AN APPROVAL FOR TAKING AN ACTION

4. Notice is hereby given that the Minister for the Environment and Heritage, or a delegate of that Minister, has decided to grant the following approval for taking each action identified in columns 1 and 2 of each row of the following table.

Reference No.	Title of action	Approval	Date
2002/543	Sydney Ports Corporation/Water transport/Botany Bay/NSW/Expansion of Port Botany facilities	Approved with Conditions	03 Jan 2006
2005/2191	North Coast Water/Water management and use/Grafton/NSW/Clarence Valley and Coffs Harbour Regional Water Supply Project	Approved with Conditions	11 Jan 2006

Some public notifications on the Internet and in the Gazette relating to the processing of referrals for approval under Chapter 4 of the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* may occasionally be missed in processing by the Department of the Environment and Heritage, or may not meet timeframes for notification. The Department of the Environment and Heritage has implemented systems and ongoing quality assurance procedures to minimise any risk of missing a notification within the required timeframe. Where a missed notification is identified the practice will be to notify these even though the timeframe for notification has lapsed. This will ensure that the history of notifications for each referral is available to the public. The Department of the Environment and Heritage regrets any inconvenience that may be caused by a missed notification. Please note that late notifications have not affected subsequent processing of referrals or assessments and they do not affect decisions made.

For more information see: http://www.deh.gov.au/epbc

Finance and Administration

AUSTRALIAN ELECTORAL COMMISSION

Pursuant to s58 of the Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918 I have ascertained and set out in the schedule for each State and Territory the number of electors enrolled in each Division as at the date indicated and for each State and the Australian Capital Territory have determined the average divisional enrolment and the extent to which the number of electors enrolled in each Division differs from the average divisional enrolment.

> IAN CAMPBELL Electoral Commissioner

THE SCHEDULE

New South Wales as at 31 December, 2005

Totals

______ % Deviation from average divisional Enrolment Division enrolment 84803 -1.67 -1.02 BENNELONG 85365 BEROWRA 86600 BLAXLAND 82655 -4.16 89496 BRADFIELD 3.76 CALARE 86986 0.85 CHARLTON 85436 -0.94 CHIFLEY 84187 -2.39 COOK 81590 -5.40 COWPER 85162 -1.26 CUNNINGHAM 81760 -5.20 DOBELL 85517 -0.84 EDEN-MONARO 92460 7.20 FARRER 84737 -1.75 FOWLER 83409 -3.29 GILMORE 87378 1.30 GRAYNDLER 85202 -1.21 91062 81303 5.58 GREENWAY -5.73 GWYDIR HUGHES 86304 0.06 HUME 89653 3.94 HUNTER 88726 2.87 KINGSFORD SMITH 84954 -1.50 82227 87123 LINDSAY -4.66 LOWE 1.01 92180 LYNE 6.87 MACARTHUR 84563 -1.95 MACKELLAR 87349 1.27 MACQUARIE 86597 0.40 ${\tt MITCHELL}$ 96369 11.73 NEWCASTLE 89340 3.58 NEW ENGLAND 85503 -0.86 NORTH SYDNEY 88606 2.73 PAGE 84123 -2.46 PARKES 80477 -6.69 ${\tt PARRAMATTA}$ 87088 0.97 PATERSON PROSPECT 87971 88243 1.99 2.31 78872 REID -8.55 RICHMOND 86331 0.09 RIVERINA 87558 1.51 ROBERTSON 84965 -1.48 SHORTLAND 87033 0.90 SYDNEY 96437 11.81 THROSBY 87384 1.31 WARRINGAH -1.87 84631 WATSON 81394 -5.62 WENTWORTH 83413 WERRIWA 89462 4312481 (Average: 86249)

Victoria as at 31 December, 2005

Division		% Deviation from average divisional enrolment
ASTON	89132	-1.26
BALLARAT	90885	0.67
BATMAN	85304	-5.50
BENDIGO	94859	5.07
BRUCE	87506	-3.06
CALWELL	90744	0.51
CASEY	87556	-3.01
CHISHOLM	85027	-5.81
CORANGAMITE	91809	1.69
CORIO	88365	-2.11
DEAKIN	87118	-3.49
DUNKLEY	91355	1.19
FLINDERS	92116	2.03
GELLIBRAND	90795	0.57
GIPPSLAND	93257	3.30
GOLDSTEIN	90740	0.51
GORTON	95840	6.16
HIGGINS	87264	-3.33
HOLT	93392	3.45
HOTHAM	87812	-2.72
INDI	90180	-0.10
ISAACS	94293	4.45
JAGAJAGA	93219	3.26
KOOYONG	86987	-3.64
LALOR	94544	4.72
LA TROBE	87144	-3.46
MCEWEN	98062	8.62
MCMILLAN	83249	-7.78
MALLEE	90424	0.16
MARIBYRNONG	87040	-3.58
MELBOURNE	93146	3.18
MELBOURNE PORTS	93784	3.88
MENZIES	88657	-1.79
MURRAY	88074	-2.43
SCULLIN	86750	-3.90
WANNON	90517	0.26
WILLS	93234	3.27
Totals		verage: 90275)
IULais	334U10U (AV	rerage: 302/5)

Queensland as at 31 December, 2005

Division	Enrolment	% Deviation from average divisional enrolment
BLAIR	91114	3.11
BONNER	86825	-1.73
BOWMAN	86598	-1.99
BRISBANE	87750	-0.68
CAPRICORNIA	90652	2.59
DAWSON	91961	4.07
DICKSON	84471	-4.40
FADDEN	84072	-4.85
FAIRFAX	84435	-4.44
FISHER	87332	-1.16
FORDE	88578	0.24
GRIFFITH	90412	2.32
GROOM	89257	1.01
HERBERT	87337	-1.15
HINKLER	93154	5.42
KENNEDY	90614	2.55
LEICHHARDT	89718	1.53
LILLEY	90378	2.28
LONGMAN	88191	-0.19
MCPHERSON	83196	-5.84
MARANOA	86465	-2.14
MONCRIEFF	83453	-5.55
MORETON	88206	-0.17
OXLEY	91251	3.27
PETRIE	88728	0.41
RANKIN	91087	3.08
RYAN	86821	-1.74
WIDE BAY	91998	4.11
Totals	2474054 (A	verage: 88359)

Western Australia as at 31 December, 2005

Division	ē	Reviation from average divisional enrolment
BRAND	85382	2.12
CANNING	87373	4.50
COWAN	86787	3.80
CURTIN	83067	-0.64
FORREST	88091	5.36
FREMANTLE	84061	0.54
HASLUCK	80319	-3.92
KALGOORLIE	80201	-4.07
MOORE	76164	-8.89
O'CONNOR	82871	-0.87
PEARCE	86879	3.91
PERTH	84040	0.52
STIRLING	87344	4.47
SWAN	78555	-6.03
TANGNEY	82929	-0.80
Totals	1254063 (Avera	age: 83604)

South Australia as at 31 December, 2005 ______ % Deviation from average divisional Enrolment enrolment Division 94655 ADELAIDE -1.10 5.52 -0.92 1.63 2.29 -1.28 BARKER 101009 BOOTHBY 94834 97285 97914 GREY HINDMARSH 94489 KINGSTON 93641 -2.16 MAKIN MAYO 92506 -3.35 2.44 PORT ADELAIDE 98056 STURT 96641 0.96 WAKEFIELD 91865 -4.02 1052895 (Average: 95717) Totals Tasmania as at 31 December, 2005 % Deviation from average divisional Enrolment enrolment Division 67483 -1.35 69734 1.93 68402 0.00 BASS BRADDON DENISON FRANKLIN 69946 LYONS 66479 Totals 342044 (Average: 68408) Australian Capital Territory as at 31 December, 2005 % Deviation from average divisional Enrolment enrolment Division 117659 4.07 108456 -4.06 CANBERRA FRASER 108456 226115 (Average: 113057) Totals Northern Territory as at 31 December, 2005 % Deviation from average divisional
Enrolment enrolment Division 58614 TITNGTART 4.19 SOLOMON 53892 -4.19

TOTAL FOR AUSTRALIA 13 114 338

112506 (Average: 56253)

Health and Ageing

THERAPEUTIC GOODS ACT 1989

I, CRAIG DAVIES, Head – Advertising and Export Section, Non-Prescription Medicines Branch, Therapeutic Goods Administration and delegate of the Secretary to the Department of Health and Ageing for the purposes of Section 42DF(1) of the *Therapeutic Goods Act 1989*, give notice that the restricted representations described in paragraph (a) below, have been approved for use in advertisements directed to consumers, for the products listed in paragraph (b):

(a) Representations to the effect that advertisements to consumers for the goods described in paragraph (b) may refer to:

"Q: Can I take Advil Liquid Capsules and Tablets if I am pregnant?

A: Advil must not be taken during the last 3 months of pregnancy. Women who are pregnant should not take Advil unless their doctor recommends it. Caution should be exercised with any medicine in pregnancy, whether on prescription or bought over the counter";

(b) Advil Tablets (ibuprofen 200mg blister pack) (AUST R 104221); and Advil (ibuprofen 200mg soft capsule blister pack) (AUST R 97229)

sponsored by Wyeth Consumer Healthcare Ptv Ltd.

Dated this 10th day of January 2006

CRAIG DAVIES

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Delegate of the Secretary to the Department of Health and Ageing

Transport and Regional Services

Regulation 25

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA NAVIGATION ACT 1912

CT-4

No: 832

PERMIT TO UNLICENSED SHIP - CONTINUING

Name of Ship	Port of Registry	IMO Number
SHANGHAI STAR I	HAMBURG	9106144

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 286 of the Navigation Act, I hereby grant, subject to the conditions set out hereunder, permission for the above-named ship to carry passengers and cargo between the ports, or any of them, specified hereunder.

This permit remains in force until cancelled by me upon not less than six months' notice to the master, owner, or agent of the ship of the intended cancellation.

NAMES OF PORTS FOR WHICH PERMIT ISSUED

Brisbane, Melbourne and Sydney

Dated at CANBERRA this

q day of

January/2006

Official Stamp



Delegate of the Minister for Transport and Regional Services

CONDITIONS SUBJECT TO WHICH THIS PERMIT IS ISSUED

- 1. That the Operations Centre is notified, within 14 days after every sailing, of the date of the voyage and the cargo carried by the ship.
- 2. This Permit covers the period 16/01/2006 to 15/04/2006.
- 3. This permit is issued on condition that the ship named in the permit leaves Australia and travels to a port outside Australia at least once in any three (3) month period.
- 4. General Cargo only may be carried.
- 5. The cargo may only be carried from: Melbourne to Sydney and Brisbane: Sydney to Brisbane
- 6. If there is a change in schedule the Operations Centre must be advised before the vessel sails.
- 7. That the vessel is not detained under Australia's Port State Control program.
- 8. This permit must be produced to Customs for clearance at each port of loading or discharge, prior to taking on board or discharging any cargo or passengers carried under permit.

Regulation 25

CT-4

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA NAVIGATION ACT 1912

No: 833

PERMIT TO UNLICENSED SHIP - CONTINUING

Name of Ship	Port of Registry	OFFICIAL NUMBER
NAMHAE GAS	YEOSU	9006693

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 286 of the Navigation Act, I hereby grant, subject to the conditions set out hereunder, permission for the above-named ship to carry passengers and cargo between the ports, or any of them, specified hereunder.

This permit remains in force until cancelled by me upon not less than six months' notice to the master, owner, or agent of the ship of the intended cancellation.

NAMES OF PORTS FOR WHICH PERMIT ISSUED

Westernport, Botany, Brisbane, Cairns, Hobart, Devonport Gladstone, Townsville, Darwin, Bell Bay

Dated at CANBERRA this /

day of January 2006

Official Stamp AUSTRALIA E SZONASE

Delegate of the Minister for Transport and Regional Services

CONDITIONS SUBJECT TO WHICH THIS PERMIT IS ISSUED

- That the Transport Regulation Division is notified, within 14 days after every sailing, of the date of the voyage and the cargo carried by the ship.
- 2. This permit covers the period 22 January 2006 to 21 April 2006.
- 3. This permit is issued on condition that the ship named in the permit leaves Australia and travels to a port outside Australia at least once in any three (3) month period.
- 4. Liquid Petroleum Gas only may be carried.
- The cargo may only be carried between Westernport, Botany, Brisbane, Calras, Hobart, Devonport, Gladstone, Townsville, Darwin and Bell Bay.
- 6. If there is a change in schedule the Transport Regulation Division must be advised before the vessel sails.
- 7. That the vessel is not detained under Australia's Port State Control program.
- This permit must be produced to Customs for clearance at each port of loading or discharge, prior to taking on board or discharging any cargo or passengers carried under this permit.

Treasury

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

INCOME TAX ASSESSMENT ACT 1997

NOTICE UNDER SUBSECTION 30-85(2)

- I, Mal Brough, the Minister for Revenue and Assistant Treasurer, being satisfied that the following fund:
- (a) has been established by an organisation declared by the Minister for Foreign Affairs to be an approved organisation; and
- (b) is solely for the relief of persons in a country or countries declared by the Minister for Foreign Affairs to be developing countries,

declare, under subsection 30-85(2) of the *Income Tax Assessment Act 1997*, that the following fund is a relief fund:

WAR CHILD ASSOCIATION INCORPORATED

This notice takes effect on the date on which it is published in the Gazette.

Dated this 29 day of Dec 2005

Minister for Revenue and Assistant Treasurer

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

INCOME TAX ASSESSMENT ACT 1997

NOTICE UNDER SUBSECTION 30-85(2)

- I, Mal Brough, the Minister for Revenue and Assistant Treasurer, being satisfied that the following fund:
- (a) has been established by an organisation declared by the Minister for Foreign Affairs to be an approved organisation; and
- (b) is solely for the relief of persons in a country or countries declared by the Minister for Foreign Affairs to be developing countries,

declare, under subsection 30-85(2) of the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997, that the following fund is a relief fund:

FRIENDS OF ERMERA INCORPORATED

This notice takes effect on the date on which it is published in the Gazette.

Dated this 29 H day of Dec

Minister for Revenue and Assistant Treasurer



FINANCIAL SECTOR (SHAREHOLDINGS) ACT 1998

APPROVAL TO HOLD A STAKE IN A FINANCIAL SECTOR COMPANY OF MORE THAN 15 PER CENT

Since:

- Allianz Europe B.V. and each of its associates listed in the Schedule (the applicants) have applied for an approval under section 14 of the Financial Sector (Shareholdings) Act 1998 (the Act) to hold a 100 per cent stake in Allianz Australia Limited ACN 000 006 226 (Allianz Australia) (a financial sector company);
- 2. I am satisfied that it is in the national interest for the applicants to be granted approval to hold a 100 per cent stake in Allianz Australia

I, MAL BROUGH, Minister for Revenue and Assistant Treasurer, under subsection 14(1) of the Act, APPROVE Allianz Europe B.V. and each of its associates listed in the Schedule holding a 100 per cent stake in Allianz Australia.

This approval remains in force indefinitely.

Note: The terms 'associate', 'stake' and 'financial sector company' have the same meanings as they do in the Act.

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Mal Brough

Minister for Revenue and Assistant Treasurer

SCHEDULE

List of ASSOCIATES

The following individuals and companies and their associates are considered to be associates of Allianz Europe B.V. for the purposes of the Financial Sector (Shareholdings) Act 1998.

ACN 000 335 802 Pty Limited

Adriatica de Seguros C.A.

AGF Asset Management S.A.

AGF Belgium Insurance

AGF Brasil Seguros S.A.

AGF La Lilloise

AGIS Allianz Dresdner Informationssysteme GmbH

Alba Allgemeine Versicherungs-Gesellschaft

Allian Nederland Schadeverzekering N.V.

Allianz AG

Allianz (UK) Limited

Allianz Australia Advantage Limited

Allianz Australia Claims Services Limited

Allianz Australia Employee Share Plan Pty Limited

Allianz Australia Insurance Limited

Allianz Australia International Limited

Allianz Australia Limited

Allianz Australia Services Pty Limited

Allianz Australia Services (No.2) Pty Limited

Allianz Australia Workers Compensation (NSW) Limited

Allianz Australia Workers Compensation (SA) Limited

Allianz Australia Workers Compensation (Vic) Limited

Allianz Bulgaria Insurance and Reinsurance Company Ltd.

Allianz Bulgaria Life Insurance Company Ltd.

Allianz Capital Managers GmbH

Allianz Capital Partners GmbH

Allianz Compania de Seguros y Reaseguros S.A.

Allianz Combill Insurance plc,

Allianz Dresdner Bauspar AG

Allianz EFU Health Insurance Ltd.

Allianz Egypt Insurance Company S.A.E.

Allianz Egypt Life Company S.A.E.

Allianz Elementar Versicherungs-Aktiengesellschaft

Allianz Europe Ltd.

Allianz Fire and Marine Insurance Japan Ltd.

Allianz General Insurance Company S.A.

Allianz General Insurance Malaysia Berhad p.l.c.

Allianz Global Investors Advisory GmbH

Allianz Global Investors AG

Allianz Global Investors Luxembourg S.A.

Allianz Global Investors of America L.P.

Allianz Global Risk Ruckversicherungs-AG

Allianz Global Risks US Insurance Company

Allianz Hungaria Biztosito Rt.

Allianz Immobilien GmbH

Allianz Insurance (Hong Kong) Limited

Allianz Insurance Company of Singapore Pte. Ltd.

Allianz Irish Life Holdings p.l.c.

Allianz Lebensversicherungs-AG

Allianz Life Insurance Co. Ltd.

Allianz Life Insurance Company of North America

Allianz Life Insurance Company S.A.

Allianz Life Insurance Malaysia Berhad p.l.c.

Allianz Marine and Aviation France

Allianz Marine and Aviation Versicherungs-AG

Allianz Mexico S.A. Compania de Seguros

Allianz Nederland Levensverzekering N.V.

Allianz New Zealand Limited

Allianz of America Inc.

Allianz Pensionskasse AG

Allianz poistovna a.s.

Allianz President Life Insurance

Allianz Private Equity Partners GmbH

Allianz Private Krankenversicherungs-AG

Allianz ProzessFinanz GmbH

Allianz Re Dublin Ltd.

Allianz Risk Transfer AG

Allianz Slovenska poist'ovna a.s.

Allianz Subalpina Societa di Assicurazioni e Riassicurazioni S.p.A.

Allianz Suisse Lebensversicherungs-Gesellschaft

Allianz Suisse Versicherungs-Gesellschaft

Allianz Tiriac Insurance S.A.

Allianz Underwriters Insurance Company

Allianz Versicherungs-AG

Allianz Worldwide Care Ltd.

Allianz Zagreb d.d.

Allianz Zentrum für Technick GmbH

Assurances Generales de France

Assurances Generales de France IART

Assurances Generales de France Vie

Banque AGF

Bayerische Versicherungsbank AG

Cadence Capital Management LLC

CIC Allianz Insurance Limited

Club Marine Limited

Colseguros Generales S.A.

Commercial Bank Allianz Bulgaria Ltd.

Compagnie d'Assurance de Protection Juridique S.A.

Companhia de Seguros Allianz Portugal S.A.

DEGI Deutsche Gesellschaft für Immobilienfonds mbH

Deutsche Lebenversicherungs-AG

Deutscher Investment - Trust Gesellschaft für Wertpapieranlagen mbH

Directial Financial Services Limited

Dredner Bank (Schweiz) AG

Dredner Bank Luxemburg S.A.

Dredner International Management Services Ltd.

Dresdner Bank AG

dresdner bank investment management Kapitalanlagegesellschaft mbH

Dresdner Kleinwort Wasserstein (Japan) Ltd.

Dresdner Kleinwort Wasserstein (South East Asia) Ltd.

ELVIA Reiseversicherungs-Gesellschaft AG

Euler Credito y Caution

Euler Hermes Kreditversicherungs-AG

Euler Hermes SFAC. S.A.

Eurovida, S.A. Compania de Seguros y Reaseguros

FAI Allianz Limited

Fireman's Fund Insurance Company

Four Seasons Health Care Ltd.

Frankfurter Versicherungs-AG

GeniaLloyd S.p.A.

Hunter Premium Funding Limited

Insurance Joint Stock Company "Allianz"

International Reinsurance Company S.A.

Lloyd Adriatico S.p.A.

Lombardkasse AG

Mondial Assistance S.A.

Munchner und Magdeburger Agrarversicherung AG

NFJ Investment Group LP

Nicholas Applegate

Oldenburgische Landesbank AG

Oppenheimer Capital LLC

P.T. Asuransi Allianz Utama Indonesia Ltd.

PA Distributors LLC

Pacific Investment Management Company LLC

Privatinvest Bank AG

RAS Tutela Giudiziaria S.p.A

RB Vita S.p.A.

RCM (UK) Ltd

RCM Capital Management LLC

Recovre Pty Limited

Reuschel & Co. Kommanditgesellschaft

Riunione Adriatica di Sicurta S.p.A.

T.U. Allianz Polska S.A.

T.U. Allianz Polska Zycie S.A.

Veer Palthe Voute N.V.

Vereinte Special Versicherung AG

Vereinte Spezial Krankenversicherung AG

Wm. H McGee & Co. Inc.

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

Foreign Acquisitions and Takeovers Act 1975

ORDER UNDER SUBSECTION 22(1)

WHEREAS -

- (A) Emma Louise Taylor is a foreign person for the purposes of section 21A of the Foreign Acquisitions and Takeovers Act 1975 ('the Act'); and
- (B) Emma Louise Taylor proposes to acquire an interest in Australian urban land referred to in the notice furnished on 14 December 2005 under section 26A of the Act.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Roy Nixon, Acting General Manager of the Foreign Investment and Trade Policy Division, of the Treasury and authorised to make this order for and on behalf of the Treasurer, PROHIBIT, pursuant to subsection 22(1) of the Act, the proposed acquisition for a period not exceeding ninety days after this order comes into operation, for the purpose of enabling consideration to be given as to whether an order should be made under subsection 21A(2) of the Act in respect of the proposed acquisition.

Dated this

13th day of January 2006

Acting General Manager

COMMISSIONER OF TAXATION

The Commissioner of Taxation, Michael D'Ascenzo, gives notice of the following Rulings, copies of which can be obtained from Branches of the Australian Taxation Office or at http://law.ato.gov.au.

NOTICE OF ADDENDA

Ruling Number	Subject	Brief Description
CR 2006/1	Income tax: Macquarie Goodman Industrial Trust –	This Ruling applies to the owners of ordinary units in Macquarie Goodman Industrial Trust (MGI) who:
	Macquarie Goodman Group merger stapling arrangement	 participated in the scheme that is the subject of this Ruling;
		 hold their MGI units on capital account; and
		 are residents of Australia within the meaning of that term in subsection 6(1) of the <i>Income Tax Assessment Act 1936</i>.
		This Ruling applies to the income year ended 30 June 2005.
CR 2006/2	Income tax: Macquarie Goodman Management Limited	This Ruling applies to the owners of ordinary shares in Macquarie Goodman Management Limited (MGM) who:
	Macquarie Goodman Group merger stapling arrangement	 participated in the scheme that is the subject of this Ruling;
		 hold their MGM shares on capital account; and
		 are residents of Australia within the meaning of that term in subsection 6(1) of the <i>Income Tax Assessment Act 1936</i>.
		This Ruling applies to the income year ended 30 June 2005.

NOTICE OF ADDENDA

Ruling Number	Subject	Brief Description
TD 2003/12	Income tax: what activities are 'seasonally dependent agronomic activities' for the purposes of section 82KZMG of the Income Tax Assessment Act 1936?	This Addendum amends TD 2003/12 to incorporate the extension until 30 June 2008 of the '12-month rule' for certain prepaid expenditure by investors in forestry managed investment schemes. The extension was made by the <i>Tax Laws Amendment (2005 Measures No. 5) Act 2005</i> .

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWALS

Ruling Number	Subject	Brief Description
CR 2006/1	Income tax: Macquarie Goodman Industrial Trust – Macquarie Goodman Group merger stapling arrangement	This Class Ruling is withdrawn from 1 July 2005.
CR 2006/2	Income tax: Macquarie Goodman Management Limited – Macquarie Goodman Group merger stapling arrangement	This Class Ruling is withdrawn from 1 July 2005.
PR 2005/101	Income tax: Peppermint Springs Vineyard Project (post 30 June 2005 Growers)	The project did not proceed as no taxpayers entered into the arrangement described in the Product Ruling during the relevant period. Therefore, PR 2005/101 has no application as it does not rule on the tax consequences for any taxpayer.
PR 2005/105	Income tax: Limestone Coast Vignettes Project – 2005 Development Vignette Owners (to 31 October 2005)	The minimum subscription was not met and the Project did not proceed. Therefore, PR 2005/105 has no application as it does not rule on the tax consequences for any taxpayer.
PR 2005/106	Income tax: Limestone Coast Vignettes Project – 2006 Mature Vignette Owners (to 31 March 2006)	The minimum subscription was not met and the Project did not proceed. Therefore, PR 2005/106 has no application as it does not rule on the tax consequences for any taxpayer.

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Exemption No. 180

Superannuation Industry (Supervision) Act 1993

I, Stephen Edward Glenfield, a delegate of APRA, under section 328 of the *Superannuation Industry Supervision (Act) 1993* (the Act), EXEMPT Mercer Investment Nominees Ltd ABN 79 004 717 533, as trustee of Mercer Super Trust SFN 329 742955 (the Fund) from compliance with subregulations 9.04D(1), 9.04D (2), 9.04D(3), 9.04I(1) and 9.04I(3) of the Superannuation Industry (Supervision) Regulations 1994 (the Regulations); and

Under subsection 330(2) of the Act this Exemption is subject to the conditions specified in the Schedule attached to this Notice.

Dated 23 December 2005

[Signed]

Stephen Edward Glenfield General Manager Specialised Institutions Division

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Interpretation

In this Notice

APRA means the Australian Prudential Regulation Authority.

- *Note 1* Under section 336 of the Act, a copy of this Exemption must be published in the *Gazette*.
- *Note 2* Under subsection 331(1) of the Act, a person must not, without reasonable excuse, contravene a condition of this Exemption. The penalty is 5 penalty units. This is an offence of strict liability.
- *Note 3* Under subsection 331(2) of the Act, if a person has contravened a condition of this Exemption, the Court may, on the application of APRA, order the person to comply with the condition.
- Note 4 Under paragraph (z) of the definition of *reviewable decision* in subsection 10(1) of the Act, the decision to make this Exemption is a reviewable decision. If you are dissatisfied with this decision, you may request APRA to reconsider it in accordance with subsection 344(1) of the Act. The request for reconsideration must be made in writing, must set out the reasons for making the request, and must be given to APRA within 21 days after the day on which you first received notice of this decision, or within such further period as APRA allows. If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of APRA's reconsideration of the decision, you may, subject to the *Administrative Appeals Tribunal Act 1975*, apply to the Administrative Appeals Tribunal for review of the reconsidered decision.
- *Note 5* The address where written notice specified in this Notice may be given to APRA is Level 21, 2 Lonsdale Street, Melbourne. Vic 3001.

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Schedule of conditions

- 1. The exemption from compliance with subregulations 9.04D(1), 9.04D (2), 9.04D(3), 9.04I(1) and 9.04I(3) of the Regulations applies only to the extent that those subregulations would prohibit the Trustee of a sub-fund of the Fund (the *sub-fund*) from:
 - (a) accepting, and having as a member, a defined benefit member (a *transferred member*) of the Grosvenor Australia Properties Pension Plan SFN 255 908 948 (the *original fund*); and
 - (b) providing a defined benefit pension to a *transferred pensioner* or a *derivative pensioner*.
- 2. The sub-fund must comply with paragraphs 9.04B(a) and (b) and 9.04G (a) and (b) of the Regulations (which require the sub-fund to have separate assets, beneficiaries and beneficial interests).
- 3. Each transferred member must be transferred to the sub-fund from the original fund, together with their benefits in the original fund.
- 4. Each transferred member must be a defined benefit member of the original fund immediately before the transfer.
- 5. Each transferred member must be transferred from the original fund in the course of the winding up of the original fund.
- 6. At the time of the transfer, the Trustee must believe, on reasonable grounds, that the original fund is being wound up and the winding up will be completed within a reasonable time.
- 7. A defined benefit pension may only be provided to:
 - (a) a transferred pensioner; or
 - (b) a derivative pensioner.
- 8. The first payment of the defined benefit pension must be made within 12 months after the day when the pension becomes payable.

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9. *Cashing conditions* means conditions specified in the governing rules of the Fund or sub-fund which impose requirements (which are consistent with the cashing restrictions and mandatory cashing requirements in Part 6 of the Regulations) relating to the times at which and the circumstances in which a person's benefits in the fund or sub-fund may or must be cashed for the person.

- 10. A *transferred pensioner* is a person in relation to whom paragraphs (a) to (g) apply:
 - (a) the person was transferred to the sub-fund from the original fund, together with their benefits in the original fund;
 - (b) the person was transferred from the original fund in the course of the winding up of the original fund;
 - (c) at the time of the transfer, the Trustee of the sub-fund believed, on reasonable grounds, that the original fund was being wound up and that the winding up would be completed within a reasonable time:
 - (d) the person had a vested or contingent entitlement to a defined benefit pension (the *original defined benefit pension*) from the original fund on 11 May 2004 and at all times from that date until they were transferred to the sub-fund;
 - (e) the person's vested or contingent entitlement to the original defined benefit pension from the original fund ceased when they were transferred from that fund;
 - (f) the defined benefit pension provided to the person by the subfund is identical to the original defined benefit pension.

11. A derivative pensioner is:

- (a) a person (a *reversionary pensioner*) who is a reversionary beneficiary of a transferred pensioner; or
- (b) the legal personal representative of a transferred pensioner or of a reversionary pensioner; or
- (c) a dependant of a transferred pensioner or of a reversionary pensioner;

whose entitlement to the defined benefit pension from the sub-fund is derived from the transferred pensioner.

- 12. A pension is taken to be *payable* to a person if the person has satisfied a condition of release in Schedule 1 of the Regulations relating to the cashing of their benefits in the form of a pension and, under the governing rules of the Fund or sub-fund, the person is entitled to have the pension paid to them (at the times or intervals specified under the governing rules of the Fund or sub-fund) either:
 - (a) unconditionally; or
 - (b) subject only to meeting reasonable requirements relating to:
 - (i) electing to receive the whole or part of their benefits in the form of a pension; or
 - (ii) applying for the pension or for particular payments under the pension.
- 13. A pension provided by the sub-fund is taken to be *identical* to the original defined benefit pension if, under the governing rules of the Fund or sub-fund, it is payable on the same terms and conditions, and is calculated in the same way, as the original defined benefit pension (so that the same amount is payable in the same circumstances under each pension).
- 14. A reference to a person having a *vested entitlement to a defined benefit pension* means that either:

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- (a) the pension is payable to the person; or
- (b) under the governing rules of the Fund or sub-fund providing the pension, the pension will become payable to the person if specified cashing conditions are satisfied.
- 15. A reference to a person having a *contingent entitlement to a defined* benefit pension means that:
 - (a) the person does not have a vested entitlement to the pension; but
 - (b) under the governing rules of the Fund or sub-fund providing the pension, the pension will become payable to the person if specified conditions are satisfied.

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Exemption No. 181

Superannuation Industry (Supervision) Act 1993

I, Stephen Edward Glenfield, a delegate of APRA, under section 328 of the *Superannuation Industry Supervision (Act) 1993* (the Act), EXEMPT Watson Wyatt Superannuation Pty Ltd ABN 56 098 527 256, RSE licence number L0000185 as trustee of Gillette Australia Superannuation Fund SFN 147293945 from compliance with subsection 93(4) of the Act; and

Under subsection 330(2) of the Act this Exemption is subject to the conditions specified in the Schedule attached to this Notice.

Dated 21 December 2005

[Signed]

Stephen Edward Glenfield General Manager Specialised Institutions Division

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Interpretation

In this Notice

APRA means the Australian Prudential Regulation Authority.

- Note 1 Under section 336 of the Act, a copy of this Exemption must be published in the Gazette.
- *Note 2* Under subsection 331(1) of the Act, a person must not, without reasonable excuse, contravene a condition of this Exemption. The penalty is 5 penalty units. This is an offence of strict liability.
- *Note 3* Under subsection 331(2) of the Act, if a person has contravened a condition of this Exemption, the Court may, on the application of APRA, order the person to comply with the condition.
- Note 4 Under paragraph (z) of the definition of *reviewable decision* in subsection 10(1) of the Act, the decision to make this Exemption is a reviewable decision. If you are dissatisfied with this decision, you may request APRA to reconsider it in accordance with subsection 344(1) of the Act. The request for reconsideration must be made in writing, must set out the reasons for making the request, and must be given to APRA within 21 days after the day on which you first received notice of this decision, or within such further period as APRA allows. If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of APRA's reconsideration of the decision, you may, subject to the *Administrative Appeals Tribunal Act 1975*, apply to the Administrative Appeals Tribunal for review of the reconsidered decision.
- *Note 5* The address where written notice specified in this Notice may be given to APRA is Level 21, 2 Lonsdale Strret, Melbourne. Vic. 3001.

Schedule of conditions

- 1) Watson Wyatt Superannuation Pty Ltd (the *Trustee*) must ensure that a policy committee is established in respect of the Gillette Australia Superannuation Fund (the *Fund*) (the *Policy Committee*).
- 2) The Trustee must ensure that the Policy Committee has an equal number of employer representatives and member representatives.
- 3) If a vacancy occurs in the membership of the Policy Committee, the Policy Committee is taken to comply with condition 2 if paragraphs 3.05(5)(a) to (c) of the Regulations are satisfied in relation to the Fund.
- 4) The Trustee must comply with subsection 107(2) of the Act and regulation 4.06 of the Regulations in relation to the Policy Committee.
- 5) The Trustee must comply with regulation 3.08 of the Regulations in relation to the Policy Committee as if the Policy Committee was a policy committee of a public offer superannuation fund.
- 6) The functions that the Policy Committee may undertake include the functions specified in paragraphs 3.06(1)(a) to (e) of the Regulations.

Interpretation

In this Exemption:

policy committee has the meaning given in section 10 of the Act.

member representative has the meaning given in section 10 of the Act.

employer representative has the meaning given in section 10 of the Act.

Regulations means the Superannuation Industry (Supervision) Regulations 1994.



Approval to hold a stake in a financial sector company of more than 15%

Financial Sector Shareholdings Act 1998

SINCE

- A. The Applicant has applied to the Treasurer under section 13 of the *Financial Sector (Shareholdings) Act 1998* (the Act) for approval to hold a 100% stake in Lifeplan Australia Building Society ACN 087 652 079 (LABS), a financial sector company under the Act;
- B. The stake is to be acquired through the issue of shares in LABS to the Applicant under a scheme to be approved by LABS' members; and
- C. I am satisfied that it is in the national interest for the Applicant to hold a 100% stake in LABS;
- I, Stephen Edward Glenfield, a delegate of the Treasurer, under:
 - a. section 14 of the Act, APPROVE the Applicant holding a 100% stake in LABS; and
 - b. subsection 16(1) of the Act, SPECIFY that the proposed share acquisition must be completed by 1 July 2006 for this approval to remain in force after that time.

This Approval has effect from the date it is signed.

Dated 22 December 2005

[Signed]

Stephen Glenfield General Manager Specialised Institutions Division

Interpretation

In this Notice

APRA means the Australian Prudential Regulation Authority. *financial sector company* has the meaning given in section 3 of the Act.



Consent to demutualisation of ADI

Banking Act 1959

SINCE

- A. Lifeplan Australia Building Society Ltd ACN 087 652 079 (the Building Society) is an ADI within the meaning of the *Banking Act 1959* (the Act);
- B. The Building Society proposes a demutualisation to facilitate Lifeplan Australia Friendly Society Ltd ACN 087 649 492 (the Friendly Society) acquiring a 100% stake in the ADI;
- C. The Building Society proposes to effect the demutualisation through a scheme of arrangement requiring Court approval under subsection 411(4) of the *Corporations Act 2001* (the scheme);
- D. Section 63 of the Act makes it an offence for an ADI to effect a reconstruction (including a demutualisation) unless the Treasurer has given prior consent in writing to the ADI to do so;
- E. On 24 November 2005 the Building Society requested the Treasurer to consent to the demutualisation; and
- F. I am satisfied that there are no national interest grounds for withholding consent to the demutualisation
- I, Stephen Edward Glenfield, a delegate of the Treasurer, CONSENT under subsection 63(1) of the Act to the Building Society effecting the demutualisation SUBJECT to the conditions, imposed under subsection 64(1) of the Act, that the scheme not proceed unless:
 - a) The scheme is approved beforehand by a court under subsection 411(4) of the *Corporations Act 2001*; and
 - b) The member approvals required under the scheme are obtained by 1 July 2006

Dated 22 December 2005

[Signed]

Stephen Glenfield General Manager Specialised Institutions Division

Notes:

- 1. Stake has the same meaning as it does under clause 10 of Schedule 1 to the Financial Sector (Shareholdings) Act 1998
- 2. It is an offence under subsection 63(1) of the Banking Act 1959 for an ADI to effect a reconstruction without first obtaining the written consent of the Treasurer to effect the reconstruction
- 3. Any reconstruction effected without the prior written consent of the Treasurer is void and of no effect under subsection 63(2) of the Banking Act 1959



Approval to hold a stake in a Financial Sector Company of more than 15%

Financial Sector Shareholdings Act 1998

SINCE:

- (1) The Minister of Finance, Incorporated of Singapore (the applicant) has applied to the Treasurer under section 13 of the *Financial Sector (Shareholdings) Act* 1998 (the Act) for approval to hold a 88.1452% stake in the Bank of China Limited ABN 29 002 979 955 (the Company), a financial sector company under the Act; and
- I am satisfied that it is in the national interest to approve the applicant holding a stake in the Company of more than 15%,
- I, Keith David Chapman, a delegate of the Treasurer, under section 14 of the Act, APPROVE the applicant holding an 88.1452% stake in the Company, SUBJECT to the conditions, imposed under subsection 16(1) of the Act, specified in the Schedule.

This approval remains in force indefinitely.

Dated 6 January 2006

[Signed]

Keith Chapman General Manager Diversified Institutions Division

Note 1: Subsection 19 of the Act provides:

- (1) If:
- (a) at a particular time, a person holds an approval under section 14 to hold a stake in a financial sector company of more than 15%; and

(b) the financial sector company is a holding company of an authorised deposit-taking institution or an authorised insurance company;

there are taken to be in force at that time approvals of the Treasurer, under section 14, for the person to hold the same percentage stake in each financial sector company that is a 100% subsidiary of the holding company.

At the time this approval was granted, Bank of China (Australia) Limited ABN 28 110 077 622 was a 100% subsidiary of the Company.

Schedule - Conditions imposed on this Authority

1. The stake that the applicant may hold is confined to any stake arising from any direct or indirect relationship that it may have with Asia Financial Holdings Pte Ltd.



Approval to hold a stake in a Financial Sector Company of more than 15%

Financial Sector Shareholdings Act 1998

SINCE:

- (1) Temasek Holdings (Pte) Ltd and its associates (the applicants) were, by Notice of Approval dated 21 December 2005, granted approval under section 14 of the *Financial Sector (Shareholdings) Act* 1998 (the Act) to hold an 88% stake in Bank of China Limited ABN 29 002 979 955 (the Company); and
- (2) the applicants have applied to the Treasurer under section 17 of the Act to vary the percentage specified in the Notice of Approval; and
- (3) I am satisfied that it is in the national interest to vary the percentage,
- I, Keith David Chapman, a delegate of the Treasurer, under subsection 17(3) of the Act, VARY the percentage specified in the approval by increasing it from 88% to 88.1452%.

This approval remains in force indefinitely.

Dated 6 January 2006

[Signed]

Keith Chapman General Manager Diversified Institutions Division

Interpretation

In this Notice

associates means those persons listed in Schedule 1 to the approval dated 21 December 2005.

Note 1: Subsection 19 of the Act provides:

- (1) If:
- (a) at a particular time, a person holds an approval under section 14 to hold a stake in a financial sector company of more than 15%; and
- (b) the financial sector company is a holding company of an authorised deposit-taking institution or an authorised insurance company;

there are taken to be in force at that time approvals of the Treasurer, under section 14, for the person to hold the same percentage stake in each financial sector company that is a 100% subsidiary of the holding company.

At the time the original approval was granted, Bank of China (Australia) Limited ABN 28 110 077 622 was a 100% subsidiary of the Company.

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Notice imposing conditions on Authorisation to carry on insurance business

Insurance Act 1973

TO: XL Re Ltd ABN 54 094 352 048 (the general insurer) Level 18, 1 Margaret Street, Sydney NSW 2000

SINCE APRA issued to the general insurer an Authorisation to carry on insurance business in Australia under subsection 12(1) of the *Insurance Act 1973* (the Act), on 24 June 2002 (the Authorisation);

I, Graham Neil Johnson, a delegate of APRA, under paragraph 13(1)(a) of the Act, IMPOSE on the Authorisation the conditions set out in the Schedule attached to this Notice.

This Notice takes effect on 1 January 2006.

Dated 30 December 2005

[Signed]

Graham Neil Johnson Executive General Manager (A/g) Diversified Institutions Division

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Interpretation

In this Notice

APRA means the Australian Prudential Regulation Authority.

insurance business has the meaning given in section 3 of the Act.

prudential standard has the meaning given in section 3 of the Act.

- *Note 1* Under subsection 13(1) of the Act, APRA may, at any time, by written notice to the general insurer impose conditions or additional conditions or vary or revoke conditions imposed on the insurer's authorisation under section 12 of the Act. The conditions must relate to prudential matters.
- *Note 2* Under subsection 13(2) of the Act, a condition may be expressed to have effect despite anything in the prudential standards.
- *Note 3* Under subsection 13(4) of the Act, if APRA imposes conditions on a general insurer's authorisation, APRA must give written notice to the insurer and ensure that notice that the action has been taken is published in the *Gazette*.
- Note 4 Under subsection 14(1) of the Act, a general insurer commits an offence if:
- (a) the insurer does an act or fails to do an act; and
- (b) doing the act or failing to do the act results in a contravention of a condition of the insurer's authorisation under section 12 of the Act; and
- (c) there is no determination in force under subsection 7(1) of the Act, that subsection 14(1) of the Act does not apply to the insurer.

The maximum penalty is 300 penalty units. Under subsection 14(1A) of the Act, where an individual commits an offence against subsection 14(1) of the Act, because of Part 2.4 of the *Criminal Code* or commits an offence under Part 2.4 of the *Criminal Code* in relation to an offence against subsection 14(1) of the Act, the individual is punishable, on conviction, by a fine not exceeding 60 penalty units. Under subsection 14(2) of the Act, an offence against section 14 of the Act, is an offence of strict liability.

Schedule - the conditions on the Authorisation

- 1. Insurance business conducted in Australia by the Company can only be conducted for the sole purpose of discharging liabilities that arose under insurance contracts entered into prior to 1 January 2006.
- 2. Assets in Australia of the Company are not to be:
 - a. removed from Australia; or
 - b. used to discharge liabilities outside Australia; or
 - c. charged for the benefit of any person outside Australia

EXCEPT

- i. to discharge the Company's liabilities under insurance contracts in respect of which premiums are remitted in Australia; or
- ii. to make premium payments due outside Australia under reinsurance arrangements; or
- iii. where APRA's approval in writing is provided beforehand; or
- iv. where required by law.

Note: the Company will continue to be required to comply with section 28 of the Act and Prudential Standard GPS 120.

3. The Company must invest its funds as per the Investment Strategy contained within the Risk Management Strategy dated 15 March 2004, and any changes to this strategy must be approved by APRA.

Public Notices



ROYAL CHARTER OF THE AUSTRALIAN ACADEMY OF THE HUMANITIES

APPROVAL OF AMENDMENTS TO ROYAL CHARTER BY-LAWS

I, PHILIP MICHAEL JEFFERY, Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council and under clause 15 of the Royal Charter of The Australian Academy of the Humanities (the Academy), hereby approve the amendments to the By-Laws of the Academy set out in the attached Schedule, being By-Laws affirmed by at least two-thirds of the Fellows of the Academy voting in a postal ballot conducted on 4 April 2005 and at a special general meeting held on 19 November 2005.

Dated / Levente 2005

Governor-General

By His Excellency's command

GARY HARDGRAVE

Minister for Vocational and Technical Education

for the Prime Minister

SCHEDULE

AMENDMENTS TO THE BY-LAWS OF THE AUSTRALIAN ACADEMY OF THE HUMANITIES

he Australian Academy of the Humanities By-Laws are amended such that:

- (a) By-Law 8A is deleted;
- (b) The title of this section is amended to read 'Overseas Fellows';
- (c) By-Law 8B be amended by deleting the text 'or, if appropriate, take up the status of Senior Fellow';
- (d) By-Law 3(c) is amended by deleting the text 'Senior Fellows and';
- (e) By-Law 11 is amended by deleting from the second sentence the text 'Senior Fellows and';
- (f) By-Law 13 is amended by deleting in the first line the text 'Senior or';
- (g) By-Law 13(c)(i) is amended by deleting in the second line the text 'Senior or';
- (h) By-Law 14(1)(c) is amended by deleting in the first line the text 'or Senior Fellows';
- (i) By-Law 14(4) is amended by deleting in the first and third lines the text 'or Senior Fellow';
- (j) By-Law 15(1) is amended by deleting in the first line the text 'and Senior Fellow';
- (k) By-Law 16(1) is amended by deleting in the first line the text 'and Senior Fellow';
- (I) By-Law 16(2) is amended by deleting in the first line the text 'and Senior Fellow';
- (m) By-Law 19(3) is amended by deleting in the second line the text 'and Senior Fellows';
- (n) By-Law 22 is amended by deleting in the second line the text 'or Senior Fellow';
- (o) By-Law 23 is amended by deleting in the second line the text ', or Senior Fellow';
- (p) By-Law 27 is amended by deleting in the second line the text ', Senior Fellow or Senior Fellows';
- (q) By-Law 34 is amended by deleting in the first line the text ', Senior Fellow';
- (r) By-Law 39 is amended by deleting in the fourth line the text ', that is Fellows and Senior Fellows';
- (s) By-Law 40 is amended by deleting in the fourth and sixth lines the text ', Senior Fellow';
- (t) By-Law 41 is amended by deleting in the second line the text 'and Senior Fellows':



- (u) By-Law 45(3) is amended by deleting in the second line the text 'and Senior Fellows';
- (v) By-Law 46(2) is amended by deleting in the third line the text ', and Senior Fellows' and by deleting in the fourth line the text ', Senior Fellow';
- (w) By-Law 47 is amended by deleting in the third line the text 'and Senior Fellows';
- (x) By-Law 50 is amended by deleting in the second line the text 'and Senior Fellow':
- (y) By-Law 53(2) is amended by deleting in the first line the text ', Senior Fellow'; and
- (z) By-Law 57 is amended by deleting in the second line the text 'and Senior Fellows'.

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Preserved Mushrooms from

The People's Republic of China

Finding in relation to a dumping investigation

Public Notice under section 269TG (1) and (2) of the Customs Act 1901

The Australian Customs Service (Customs) has completed its investigation into the alleged dumping of preserved mushrooms as set out in the following table.

Country	Exporter	Dumping margin
China	Xiamen Gulong Import & Export Co Ltd	4.2%
	Fujian Zishan Group Co Ltd	4.8%
	Fujian Provincial Cereals, Oils & Foodstuffs Import/ Export Corporation Xiamen Company	20.6%
	Xiamen Fortune Import & Export Co Ltd	17.4%
	Jiangsu Cereals, Oils & Foodstuffs Import Export Group Corp	-4.5%
	Other exporters	23.2%

In Trade Measures' Report No.99 Customs recommended the imposition of anti-dumping measures against imports of preserved mushrooms from China, except by Jiangsu Cereals, Oils & Foodstuffs Import Export Group Corp (Jiangsu). The report outlined the investigations carried out by Customs, material findings of fact and the reasons for the recommendations made by Customs. It is available on request from the Trade Measures Office, Australian Customs Service, Canberra, telephone (02) 6275 6547 or from Customs' website on the internet.

I, CHRISTOPHER MARTIN ELLISON, Minister for Justice and Customs, have considered, and accepted, the recommendations of Customs, the reasons for the recommendations and the material findings of fact on which the recommendations are based. The factors relevant to my determination of material injury to the industry are the size of the dumping margins, the quantity of goods exported from China and the effect of the dumped imports on prices in the Australian market and the consequent impact on the Australian industry.

I declare that s. 8 of the *Customs Tariff (Anti Dumping) Act 1975* applies to preserved mushrooms of the genus *Agaricus*, whole, sliced or as stems and pieces, in brine, sauce or some other similar preserving medium, packed in containers, including bottles, cans, bags, pails and barrels; and

- under s. 269TG(1) of the Customs Act 1901 (the Act), like goods exported to Australia
 after 30 September 2005, to the extent permitted by s. 269TN of the Act, by all exporters
 from China except Jiangsu, against whom the investigation was terminated on the basis
 of negligible dumping margins under s. 269TDA of the Act; and
- under s. 269TG(2) of the Act, like goods that are exported to Australia after the date of publication of this notice, by all exporters from China, except Jiangsu, against whom the

protecting our borders

Cat. No. S00706 ISSN 1032-2345 © Commonwealth of Australia 2006 investigation was terminated on the basis of negligible dumping margins under s. 269TDA of the Act.

Interested parties may request a review of this decision by lodging an application for review with the Trade Measures Review Officer in the approved form and manner within 30 days of the publication of this notice. The legislation relating to the review of Ministerial decisions is set out in s. 269ZZA of the Act.

Export prices, non-injurious prices and normal values will not be published in this notice as they may reveal confidential information. The method used to compare export prices and normal values to establish dumping margins is a comparison of the weighted average of export prices and normal values.

Trade Measures' Report No.99 contains details about this investigation and should be read in conjunction with this notice.

Enquiries about this notice may be directed to the case manager, telephone number (02) 6275 6016 or facsimile number (02) 6275 6990 or by email to tmops3@customs.gov.au.

CHRISTOPHER MARTIN ELLISON Minister for Justice and Customs

DATE: 29/12/05



Customs Tariff (Anti Dumping) Act 1975

Preserved mushrooms

The People's Republic of China

Notice Pursuant to section 8(5)

I, CHRISTOPHER MARTIN ELLISON, Minister for Justice and Customs, pursuant to subsection 8(5) of the *Customs Tariff (Anti Dumping) Act 1975*, <u>DIRECT</u> that the element of interim dumping duty referred to in paragraph (4)(a) in respect of preserved mushrooms or champignons of the genus *Agaricus*, whole, sliced or as stems and pieces, in brine, sauce or some other preserving medium, packed in containers, including bottles, cans, bags, pails and barrels exported from the People's Republic of China to Australia be ascertained by reference to a measure of the quantity of those particular goods.

If the non-injurious price of goods of that kind as ascertained or last ascertained for the purposes of the dumping duty notice is less than the normal value of goods of that kind as so ascertained, or last so ascertained, a lesser amount of interim dumping duty is fixed, pursuant to subsection 8(5A) of the Customs Tariff (Anti Dumping) Act 1975, I have had regard to the desirability of fixing a lesser amount of duty such that the sum of:

- (i) the export price of goods of that kind as so ascertained, or last so ascertained, and
- (ii) that lesser duty,

does not exceed that non-injurious price.

This notice applies to preserved mushrooms or champignons of the genus *Agaricus*, whole, sliced or as stems and pieces, in brine, sauce or some other preserving medium, packed in containers, including bottles, cans, bags, pails and barrels and like goods entered for home consumption on or after 30 September 2005.

Dated this 29th day of December 2005

CHRISTOPHER MARTIN ELLISON Minister for Justice and Customs

SPECIAL

ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER ACT 2005

Notice of Authorisation

I. IAN WILLIS, the Director of Evaluation and Audit of the Department of Finance and Administration, appointed pursuant to section 193ZA of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Act 2005 ('the Act'), hereby, pursuant to section 193ZG(1) of the Act, authorise the person or persons whose names are set below, who are independent contractors engaged by the Department of Finance and Administration, to perform the functions and exercise the powers conferred on me by section 193ZG of the Act, on my behalf until 30 June 2006 in respect of undertaking any evaluation or audit assigned by me to such person or persons.

Peter Sheville Tony Grieves Greg Quinn Daniel Abbey

Dated this 11th day of January 2006.

Ian Willis

Director of Evaluation and Audit



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