



Defence Determination 2000/2

I, MAL PEARCE, Director General Personnel Policy and Employment Conditions, Defence Personnel Executive, acting under a delegation made by the Minister for Defence under regulation 72A of the Defence Force Regulations, make the following Determination under section 58B of the *Defence Act 1903*.

Dated 24 January 2000

M. PEARCE
Director General
Personnel Policy and Employment Conditions
Defence Personnel Executive

1 Citation

This Determination may be cited as Defence Determination 2000/2, Vehicle allowance (Defence Determination 2000/1 – Amendment).

2 Commencement

This Determination is to be taken to have commenced on 23 December 1999.

3 Amendment

Defence Determination 2000/1, Conditions of Service, is amended as set out in this Determination.

4 Schedule 3 (Rates of vehicle allowance)

Omit the Schedule, substitute the Schedule set out in the Attachment to this Determination.

ATTACHMENT

Schedule 3 Rates of vehicle allowance

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Engine capacity (non-rotary engine)	Engine capacity (rotary engine)	Rate (cents a kilometre)
More than 2,600cc	more than 1,300cc	55.8
1,601cc to 2,600cc	801cc to 1,300cc	54.9
1,600cc or less	800cc or less	45.9

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

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This Determination amends Defence Determination 2000/1 made under section 58B of the *Defence Act 1903*.

This Determination replaces Schedule 3 with a new schedule that increases the rates of vehicle allowance. The increases are the result of a comprehensive review of motor vehicle allowance within the Australian Public Service (APS) which takes place every three years. The rates are identical to those applying to APS employees in the Department of Defence and represent an average increase of 5.5% since the 1999 annual review, which was implemented on 31 March 1999.

The Determination is taken to have commenced on 23 December 1999, the same day as the rates applicable to APS employees in the Department. The amendment is in accordance with the *Australian Defence Force Enterprise Productivity Arrangement: 1999-2002*, which requires the rates to be reviewed in the December quarter 1999.

The retrospective application of this Determination does not affect the rights of a person (other than the Commonwealth) in a manner prejudicial to that person, nor does it impose any liability on such person.

Authority: Section 58B of the
Defence Act 1903