



Defence Determination 2000/3

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 27 January 2000

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

1 Citation

This Determination may be cited as Defence Determination 2000/3, Disturbance 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, as amended,¹ is amended as set out in this Determination.

4 Clause 4.2.3 (Rate of disturbance allowance)

Paragraph 4.2.3 (1) (a):

Omit “\$735”, substitute “\$747”.

5 Clause 4.2.5 (Additional payment if child required to change school)

Subclause 4.2.5 (1):

Omit “\$141”, substitute “\$142”.

NOTE

- 1 Defence Determination 2000/1 was made on 6 January 2000 and has been amended by Defence Determination 2000/2.

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

Defence Determination 2000/3

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

This Determination increases the base rate of disturbance allowance for members of the Australian Defence Force (ADF), following an annual review of the rates applicable in the Australian Public Service (APS). The base rate is identical to the rate applicable in the Department of Defence to APS employees with at least one dependant. Other rates for ADF members are established by applying the relevant factors in Schedule 4 to Determination 2000/1.

The rate of allowance applicable to a full-time student child who is required to change schools because of a removal is also increased in line with the corresponding APS rate.

The adjustments introduced by this Determination are based on an increase of 1.7% in the Consumer Price Index (All Groups) for the year to the end of the September quarter 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 amendments are in accordance with the *Australian Defence Force Enterprise Productivity Arrangement 1999-2002*, which requires the rates to be reviewed on that basis 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