



Defence Determination 2006/19

I, TERENCE JOHN MCCULLAGH, Acting Director General Personnel Policy and Employment Conditions, Defence Personnel Executive, make this Determination under section 58B of the *Defence Act 1903*.

Dated 10 April 2006

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Personnel Policy and Employment Conditions
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1 Citation

This Determination is Defence Determination 2006/19, Additional remuneration for star rank officers – amendment.

2 Commencement

This Determination commences on the date of signature.

3 Amendment

Defence Determination 2005/15, Conditions of Service, as amended,¹ is amended as set out in this Determination.

4 Clause 4.6.4 (Air ticket may be downgraded to fund extra ticket), title only
substitute

4.6.4 Air ticket may be downgraded to fund extra ticket for travel within Australia

5 Subclause 4.6.4.1 (Air ticket may be downgraded to fund extra ticket)
substitute

1. A member who is entitled to a business class air ticket for travel within Australia may do the following.
 - a. Choose in writing to take an economy class ticket instead of the business class ticket.
 - b. Use the difference in the cost of fares to fund a second economy class ticket.
 - c. Personally provide any extra amount necessary to pay for the purchase of the second ticket and related fringe benefits tax liability.

6 Paragraph 4.6.4.1.c (Air ticket may be downgraded to fund extra ticket)
insert at the end

See: Clause 13.2.4 for rules on downgrade of travel during short-term duty travel overseas.

NOTE

1. Defence Determination 2005/15, as amended to date. For previous amendments see Defence Determinations 2006/1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18. Certain provisions of the Determination have been modified by Determination No. 5 of 2005 and No. 1 of 2006, made under section 58H of the *Defence Act 1903*.

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

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This Determination amends Defence Determination 2005/15, Conditions of Service (the Principal Determination), made under section 58B of the *Defence Act 1903* (the Act). Chapter 4 of the Principal Determination sets out provisions dealing with allowances and reimbursements for members of the Australian Defence Force (ADF).

The purpose of this Determination is to limit a star rank officer's entitlement to downgrade an air ticket to fund an extra ticket for travel within Australia.

Clause 1 of this Determination sets out the manner in which this Determination may be cited.

Clause 2 of this Determination provides that the Determination commences on the date of signature, as provided under s58B(94) of the Act.

Clause 3 specifies that the amendment is made to the Principal Determination, as amended.

Clauses 4 and 5 amend the title of clause 4.6.4 and subclause 4.6.4.1 to the Principal determination, respectively. Star rank officers have an entitlement to downgrade their air ticket to fund an extra ticket. These amendments will limit a member's entitlement to downgrade to travel within Australia.

Clause 6 inserts a cross reference to clause 13.2.4 of the Principal Determination. This clause refers to the conditions of service for short-term duty travel overseas, and prohibits any downgrade of tickets during that type of travel.

Authority: Section 58B of the
Defence Act 1903