I, TERENCE JOHN WATSON, Acting Director General Financial 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 29 October 1998

T. WATSON
Acting Director General Financial Conditions
Defence Personnel Executive
1. **Citation**
1.1 This Determination may be cited as Defence Determination 1998/37, Common Duties Allowance (Amendment).

2. **Commencement**
2.1 This Determination is to be taken to have commenced on 1 October 1998.

3. **Amendment**
3.1 Defence Determination 1996/16, as amended\(^1\), is amended as set out in this Determination.

4. **Schedule 3 (Rates of remote locality allowances)**
4.1 Part 3, Rates of Antarctic allowances:
Column 3, Common Duties Allowance:
Omit “8,060”, substitute “8,221”.

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**NOTE**

1. Defence Determination 1996/16, as amended to date. For previous amendments see Note to Defence Determination No. 1 of 1998 and see also Nos. 1, 13, 17, 19, 20, 23, 24, 25, 27, 28, 31, 32 and 33 of 1998.
EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

Defence Determination 1998/37

Defence Act 1903

Determination 0105, Common Duties Allowance (CDA), provides for the payment of an allowance to members of the Australian Defence Force (ADF) performing duties additional and unrelated to their main duties in support of an official Australian National Antarctic Research Expedition.

This Determination amends Defence Determination 1996/16, which sets out the rates of various allowances and contributions applicable to members of the ADF that are referred to in other determinations made under section 58B of the Defence Act 1903, by updating the rate of CDA.

Clause 2 provides for this Determination to commence on 1 October 1998, the date of effect of the most recent increase of 2% in ADF base rates of pay and related allowances under the ADF Productivity Based Remuneration Arrangement: 1997-99.

Clause 4 authorises a revised rate of CDA by substituting the increased rate (+2%).

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