



# Migration Agents Registration (Application) Levy Act 1992

No. 86 of 1992

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## An Act to impose a levy on applications by individuals for registration as migration agents

[Assented to 30 June 1992]

The Parliament of Australia enacts:

### Short title

1. This Act may be cited as the *Migration Agents Registration (Application) Levy Act 1992*.

### 5 Commencement

2. This Act commences on the day on which the *Migration Amendment Act (No. 3) 1992* commences.

### Interpretation

3. In this Act, unless the contrary intention appears:  
10 “entrance applicant”, “immigration assistance”, “immigration case”, “paid immigration assistance” and “registration application” have the same meanings as in Part 2A of the *Migration Act 1958*.

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**Imposition of levy**

4. Levy is imposed on an individual's making of a registration application.

**Exemption**

5. Levy is not imposed on the making of a registration application by an individual who proposes to give immigration assistance to entrance applicants only in his or her capacity as an employee of, or a voluntary worker for, a person or organisation that does not charge entrance applicants a fee, nor require any other reward from them, for the giving of such assistance. 5  
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**Amount of levy**

6.(1) Subject to subsection (2), the amount of levy is:

(a) if the individual who makes the registration application proposes, at the time of making the application, to give immigration assistance in the capacity of an employee of: 15

(i) a registered agent; or

(ii) a partnership at least one of whose members is a registered agent; or

(iii) a corporation at least one of whose executive officers is a registered agent— 20

\$500; or

(b) in any other case—\$1,000.

(2) The amount of levy on the making of a registration application by an individual who:

(a) proposes, at the time of making the application, to give paid immigration assistance in no more than 5 immigration cases during the period of registration; and 25

(b) gives paid immigration assistance in no more than 5 immigration cases during that period;

is: 30

(c) if he or she proposes, at the time of making the application, to give immigration assistance in the capacity of an employee of:

(i) a registered agent; or

(ii) a partnership at least one of whose members is a registered agent; or 35

(iii) a corporation at least one of whose executive officers is a registered agent—

\$50; or

(d) in any other case—\$100.

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**By whom the levy is payable**

7. Levy is payable by the individual making the registration application.

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*[Minister's second reading speech made in—  
House of Representatives on 27 May 1992  
Senate on 3 June 1992]*