



# **Migration Agents Registration (Renewal) Levy Amendment Act 1995**

**No. 112 of 1995**

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**An Act to amend the *Migration Agents Registration  
(Renewal) Levy Act 1992*, and for related purposes**

*[Assented to 29 September 1995]*

The Parliament of Australia enacts:

**Short title etc.**

**1.(1)** This Act may be cited as the *Migration Agents Registration  
(Renewal) Levy Amendment Act 1995*.

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(2) In this Act, “**Principal Act**” means the *Migration Agents Registration (Renewal) Levy Act 1992*<sup>1</sup>.

**Commencement**

2.(1) Subject to subsection (2), this Act commences on a day to be fixed by Proclamation.

(2) If this Act does not commence within the period of 6 months beginning on the day on which it receives the Royal Assent, it commences on the first day after the end of that period.

**Repeal and substitution of section 6**

3.(1) Section 6 of the Principal Act is repealed and the following section is substituted:

**Amount of levy**

“6.(1) The amount of levy payable in respect of a registration renewed in a financial year starting on or after 1 July 1995 is, subject to subsection (3), the amount worked out under the formula:

$$\frac{\text{new CGFCE number}}{\text{base CGFCE number}} \times \text{relevant base rate}$$

where:

‘**new CGFCE number**’ means the number worked out as follows:

- (a) take the first set of Commonwealth Government Final Consumption Expenditure Implicit Price Deflators to be issued by the Department of Finance after 1 January in the previous financial year;
- (b) find the number that relates to the period ending on 31 December in the previous financial year;
- (c) that number is the new CGFCE number;

‘**base CGFCE number**’ means the number worked out as follows:

- (a) take the first set of Commonwealth Government Final Consumption Expenditure Implicit Price Deflators to be issued by the Department of Finance after 1 January in the previous financial year;
- (b) find the number that relates to the period ending on 31 December 1993;
- (c) that number is the base CGFCE number;

‘**relevant base rate**’ means the base rate applicable under subsection (2) to the renewal of the registration.

“(2) The base rate applicable to a renewal of a registration is as follows:

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- (a) if, at the time of the renewal, the individual whose registration is renewed proposes to give immigration assistance in the capacity of an employee of a registered agent, an employee of a partnership at least one of whose members is a registered agent, or an employee of a corporation at least one of whose executive officers is a registered agent, then:
  - (i) if he or she also proposes at that time to give during the period for which the registration is continued, and during that period gives, paid immigration assistance in no more than 5 cases—\$50; or
  - (ii) if subparagraph (i) does not apply—\$525;
- (b) if the individual whose registration is renewed is not proposing, at the time of that renewal, to give immigration assistance in any of the capacities mentioned in paragraph (a), then:
  - (i) if he or she proposes at that time to give during the period for which the registration is continued, and during that period gives, paid immigration assistance in no more than 5 cases—\$105; or
  - (ii) if subparagraph (i) does not apply—\$1,050.

“(3) If an amount worked out under the formula in subsection (1) is not a multiple of \$5, the amount is to be rounded as follows:

- (a) if the amount exceeds the nearest lower multiple of \$5 by \$2.50 or more—round the amount up to the nearest higher multiple of \$5;
- (b) in any other case—round the amount down to the nearest lower multiple of \$5.”.

(2) The amendment made by subsection (1) applies to registrations renewed on or after the day on which this section commences.

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**NOTE**

*Migration Agents Registration (Renewal) Levy Act 1992*

1. No. 87, 1992.

[*Minister's second reading speech made in—  
House of Representatives on 9 February 1995  
Senate on 27 February 1995*]