

A.C.T Self-Government (Consequential Provisions) Regulations (Amendment) 1998 No. 110

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

Statutory Rules 1998 No. 110

Issued by authority of the Assistant Treasurer

Productivity Commission (Repeals, Transitional and Consequential Amendments) Act 1998

A.C.T Self-Government (Consequential Provisions) Regulations (Amendment)

Item 9 of Schedule 2 Part 1 of the *Productivity Commission (Repeals, Transitional and Consequential Amendments) Act 1998* (the Act) provides that the Governor-General may make regulations in relation to: transitional matters arising out of the repeal of the *Economic Planning Advisory Council Act 1983* and the *Industry Commission Act 1989*; and in relation to the enactment of the Act and the *Productivity Commission Act 1998*.

The A.C.T Self-Government (Consequential Provisions) Regulations made under the *A.C.T. Self-Government (Consequential Provisions) Act 1988* provide, among other things, for amendments to the *Economic Planning Advisory Council Act 1983* (later renamed the *Economic Planning Advisory Commission Act 1983*). With the repeal of the *Economic Planning Advisory Commission Act 1983* by the Act, those portions of the A.C.T Self-Government (Consequential Provisions) Regulations are redundant.

The purpose of the regulations is to amend the A.C.T Self-Government (Consequential Provisions) Regulations to omit provisions relating to the *Economic Planning Advisory Council Act 1983*.

Details of the Regulations are as follows.

Regulation 1. provides that, by Section 48 of the *Acts Interpretation Act 1901* the regulations commence on gazettal.

Regulation 2. provides that the A.C.T. Self-Government (Consequential Provisions) Regulations are amended as set out in these regulations.

Regulation 3 omits provisions relating to the *Economic Planning Advisory Council Act 1983*.