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I, MAJOR GENERAL MICHAEL JEFFERY, AC, MC, Administrator of the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, make the following regulations under the *Migration Act 1958*.

Dated 30 April 1999.

PM Jeffery Administrator

By His Excellency's Command,

PHILIP RUDDOCK

Minister for Immigration and Multicultural Affairs

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2 Commencement

These regulations commence on 1 July 1999.

3 Amendment of Migration Agents Regulations 1998

Schedule 1 amends the Migration Agents Regulations 1998.

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(regulation 3)

[1] Schedule 2, clause 1.8

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[2] Schedule 2, after clause 2.14

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2.14A A migration agent must not represent that he or she can procure a particular decision for a client under the Migration Act or the Migration Regulations.

[3] Schedule 2, clause 2.17

substitute

- 2.17 If an application under the Migration Act or the Migration Regulations is vexatious or grossly unfounded (for example, an application that has no hope of success) the agent:
 - (a) must not encourage the client to lodge the application; and
 - (b) must advise the client that, in the agent's opinion, the application is vexatious or grossly unfounded; and
 - (c) if the client still wishes to lodge the application must obtain written acknowledgment from the client of the advice given under paragraph (b).

Notes

- 1. These regulations amend Statutory Rules 1998 No. 53.
- 2. Made by the Administrator on *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette* on

1999, and notified in the 1999.

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