



Child Support (Registration and Collection) Amendment Regulations 2006 (No. 1)¹

Select Legislative Instrument 2006 No. 148

I, PHILIP MICHAEL JEFFERY, Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, make the following Regulations under the *Child Support (Registration and Collection) Act 1988*.

Dated 22 June 2006

P. M. JEFFERY
Governor-General

By His Excellency's Command

MAL BROUGH
Minister for Families, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs

1 Name of Regulations

These Regulations are the *Child Support (Registration and Collection) Amendment Regulations 2006 (No. 1)*.

2 Commencement

These Regulations commence on the commencement of Schedule 1 to the *Child Support Legislation Amendment (Reform of the Child Support Scheme—Initial Measures) Act 2006*.

3 Amendment of *Child Support (Registration and Collection) Regulations 1988*

Schedule 1 amends the *Child Support (Registration and Collection) Regulations 1988*.

Schedule 1 Amendments

(regulation 3)

[1] Paragraph 5E (1) (a)

omit

\$5 per week;

insert

the minimum rate per week;

[2] Paragraph 5E (2) (a)

omit

\$5 per week

insert

the minimum rate per week

[3] After subregulation 5E (2)

insert

(3) In this regulation:

minimum annual rate of child support, for a calendar year, means the amount worked out in accordance with subsection 66 (4) of the *Child Support (Assessment) Act 1989* as if a reference in that subsection to child support period were a reference to calendar year.

minimum rate, for a week in a calendar year, means the amount worked out using the following steps:

Step 1: Divide the minimum annual rate of child support for the calendar year by 365.25.

Step 2: Round the amount worked out in Step 1 to 5 decimal places by increasing the fifth decimal place by 1 if the sixth decimal place is 5 or more.

Step 3: Multiply the amount worked out in Step 2 by 7.

Step 4: Round up the amount worked out in Step 3 to the nearest cent.

Note

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