### **Amendment Statement of Principles**

#### concerning

# LOSS OF TEETH

# No. 122 of 2007

#### for the purposes of the

### Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986 and Military Rehabilitation and Compensation Act 2004

- 1. This Instrument may be cited as Statement of Principles concerning loss of teeth No. 122 of 2007.
- 2. The Repatriation Medical Authority amends, under subsection 196B(8) of the *Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986*, Statement of Principles concerning loss of teeth No. 74 of 2007 by:
  - (A) Replacing factors (d) and (e) in clause 6 with the following:
    - "(d) having a fracture of the affected tooth or luxation of the affected tooth before the clinical onset of loss of teeth; or
    - (e) having a fracture of the alveolar bone supporting the affected tooth or disruption of the alveolar bone supporting the affected tooth, before the clinical onset of loss of teeth; or";
  - (B) Inserting the following definition of "fracture of the affected tooth" in clause 9 after the definition of "disruption of the alveolar bone":
    - "**''fracture of the affected tooth''** means fracture of the crown, involving the dentine, or the root of the affected tooth;".

- 3. The amendments made by this instrument apply to all matters to which Instrument No. 74 of 2007, section 120B of the *Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986* and section 339 of the *Military Rehabilitation and Compensation Act 2004* apply.
- 4. The amendment made by this instrument takes effect from 14 November 2007.

Dated this first day of November 2007 The Common Seal of the )

The Common Seal of the)Repatriation Medical Authority)was affixed to this instrument)in the presence of)

KEN DONALD CHAIRPERSON