**STATEMENT OF COMPATIBILITY WITH HUMAN RIGHTS**

*Prepared in accordance with Part 3 of the Human Rights (Parliamentary Scrutiny) Act 2011*

***Trans-Tasman Proceedings Legislation Amendment Regulation 2012 (No. 2)***

This Regulation is compatible with the human rights and freedoms recognised or declared in the international instruments listed in section 3 of the *Human Rights (Parliamentary Scrutiny) Act 2011*.

**Overview of the Legislative Instrument**

The purpose of the *Trans-Tasman Proceedings Legislation Amendment Regulation 2012 (No. 2)* (the Regulation) is to repeal, on the commencement of the *Trans-Tasman Proceedings Act 2010*, the *Trans‑Tasman Proceedings Legislation Amendment Regulation 2012 (No. 1)*; and amend the *Federal Court and Federal Magistrates Court Regulation 2012*, and the *Family Law (Fees) Regulation 2012*, to provide for fees for filing of applications under the *Trans‑Tasman Proceedings Act 2010*, including an application to register a judgement under that Act.

**Human rights implications**

The Regulation does not engage any of the applicable rights or freedoms.

**Conclusion**

The Regulation is compatible with human rights as it does not raise any human rights issues.

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