**THE AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY**

**DISCIPLINE Rule 2021**

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

1. Authority for making the instrument.  *The Governance Statute, section 68(1) (General power to make rules and orders).*

2. Purpose and operation of the instrument. The Rule defines misconduct by students of the University and sets out the consequences of, and University procedures for dealing with, misconduct.

3. Documents incorporated in the instrument by reference.  None.

4. Consultation process. The changes to the Rule were endorsed by Academic Board for the Vice-Chancellor’s approval on 4 May 2021. The Rule was made by the Vice-Chancellor on 15 July 2021.

Corporate Governance and Risk Office

15 July 2021