



# **Financial Framework (Supplementary Powers) Amendment (Health Measures No. 9) Regulations 2021**

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I, General the Honourable David Hurley AC DSC (Retd), Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, make the following regulations.

Dated 16 December 2021

David Hurley  
Governor-General

By His Excellency's Command

Simon Birmingham  
Minister for Finance

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## 1 Name

This instrument is the *Financial Framework (Supplementary Powers) Amendment (Health Measures No. 9) Regulations 2021*.

## 2 Commencement

- (1) Each provision of this instrument specified in column 1 of the table commences, or is taken to have commenced, in accordance with column 2 of the table. Any other statement in column 2 has effect according to its terms.

Commencement information		
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Provisions	Commencement	Date/Details
1. The whole of this instrument	The day after this instrument is registered.	18 December 2021

Note: This table relates only to the provisions of this instrument as originally made. It will not be amended to deal with any later amendments of this instrument.

- (2) Any information in column 3 of the table is not part of this instrument. Information may be inserted in this column, or information in it may be edited, in any published version of this instrument.

## 3 Authority

This instrument is made under the *Financial Framework (Supplementary Powers) Act 1997*.

## 4 Schedules

Each instrument that is specified in a Schedule to this instrument is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this instrument has effect according to its terms.

## Schedule 1—Amendments

### *Financial Framework (Supplementary Powers) Regulations 1997*

#### **1 In the appropriate position in Part 4 of Schedule 1AB (table)**

Insert:

531	mRNA vaccines and treatments	<p>To develop and maintain Australia’s onshore capability to manufacture mRNA products, as a measure to give effect to Australia’s obligations under the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, particularly Articles 2 and 12.</p> <p>This objective also has the effect it would have if it were limited to measures:</p> <p>(a) for the provision of, or incidental to the provision of, pharmaceutical, sickness or hospital benefits or medical services (within the meaning of paragraph 51(xxiiiA) of the Constitution); or</p> <p>(b) that are peculiarly adapted to the government of a nation and cannot otherwise be carried on for the benefit of the nation.</p>
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