

Public Lending Right Scheme (Payment Rates) Modification 2024

I, Tony Burke, Minister for the Arts, make the following instrument.

Dated 27 March 2024.

Tony Burke

Minister for the Arts

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1 Name

This instrument is the *Public Lending Right Scheme (Payment Rates) Modification 2024*.

2 Commencement

The whole of this instrument commences on the day after it is registered.

3 Authority

This instrument is made under paragraph 5(1)(b) of the *Public Lending Right Act 1985*.

4 Schedules

The *Public Lending Right Scheme 2016* is modified as set out in Schedule 1 to this instrument.

Schedule 1—Modifications

Public Lending Right Scheme 2016

1 Subsection 14(2)

Repeal the subsection, substitute:

(2) The creators’ public lending right rate of payment is provided by the following table:

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Estimated number of copies of a book** | **Rate of payment** |
| Up to 2,000 copies | $2.30 per copy |
| 2,001 – 5,000 copies | $2.28 per copy |
| 5,001 – 20,000 copies | $2.26 per copy |
| 20,001 – 70,000 copies | $2.20 per copy |
| 70,001 copies or more | $1.89 per copy |

2 Subsection 15(2)

Repeal the subsection, substitute:

(2) The publishers’ public lending right rate of payment is provided by the following table:

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Estimated number of copies of a book** | **Rate of payment** |
| Up to 2,000 copies | 57.5 cents per copy |
| 2,001 – 5,000 copies | 57.0 cents per copy |
| 5,001 – 20,000 copies | 56.5 cents per copy |
| 20,001 – 70,000 copies | 55.0 cents per copy |
| 70,001 copies or more | 47.25 cents per copy |