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NOTICE OF DECISION

Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration (Fees) Amendment Regulations 2022

I, Jaclyn Symes, Attorney-General, and Minister responsible for administering the **Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration Act 1996**, give notice under section 12 of the **Subordinate Legislation Act 1994** of my decision to make the proposed Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration (Fees) Amendment Regulations 2022 (the proposed Amendment Regulations).

The objective of the proposed Amendment Regulations is to amend the prescribed fee for a legal certificate in the Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration (Fees) Regulations 2019. A regulatory impact statement (RIS) was prepared for the proposed Amendment Regulations. The RIS supported increasing the legal certificate fee.

Notices announcing the availability of the RIS were placed in the Government Gazette and in *The Age* on 18 November 2021. The notices invited public comment, with a closing date for submissions on 17 December 2021. 207 submissions were received in response.

I have decided that the proposed Amendment Regulations should be made to increase the fee for a legal certificate. The proposed Amendment Regulations will commence on 1 March 2022.

JACLYN SYMES MP
Attorney-General
Minister for Emergency Services

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