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NOTICE OF DECISION

Guardianship and Administration (Fees) Regulations 2022

I, Jaclyn Symes MP, Attorney-General and Minister responsible for the **Guardianship and Administration Act 2019** (the Act), give notice under section 12 of the **Subordinate Legislation Act 1994** that further to public consultation on a regulatory impact statement (RIS), I have decided to recommend the making of the Guardianship and Administration (Fees) Regulations 2022 (the proposed Regulations). The proposed Regulations will replace the Guardianship and Administration (Fees) Regulations 2019 which are saved by the Guardianship and Administration (Fees) Transitional Regulations 2020.

The objective of these Regulations is to prescribe the annual fee payable to the Victorian and Civil Administrative Tribunal (VCAT) by estates subject to administration orders made under the Act. This supports the dual primary objects of the Act to protect and promote the human rights and dignity of persons with a disability, and to support VCAT's statutory functions.

Notices inviting public submissions were published in the Victorian Government Gazette and the Herald Sun on 8 November 2021. An exposure draft of the proposed Regulations and the RIS were released for public consultation on the Engage Victoria website on 8 November 2021 to 10 January 2022. Submissions were received from three stakeholders and have been considered in accordance with section 11 of the **Subordinate Legislation Act 1994**.

In response to feedback in the submissions to the RIS, I intend to make only minor and technical changes to the proposed Regulations. The proposed Regulations will commence on 1 March 2022.

After the proposed Regulations are made, they will become available for download from www.legislation.vic.gov.au

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