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## **Prostitution Control Act 1994**

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Consumer Affairs Victoria has undertaken a review of the fees structure and administrative arrangements established under the Prostitution Control Regulations 1995. The purpose of the review is to ensure that the fees charged are commensurate with the costs of administration of the **Prostitution Control Act 1994** and that the Regulations reflect changes to the licensing regime for the prostitution industry since the commencement of Prostitution Control Act 1994.

The proposed Prostitution Control (Fees) Regulations will ensure that revenue coming into the Prostitution Control Fund reflects the costs of effective administration of the Act. The proposed regulations contemplate an increase in fees charged to individuals applying to be licensed as prostitution service providers, incumbent licensees and approved managers.

The proposed Prostitution Control (Amendment) Regulations will reflect administrative changes that have resulted from the replacement of the Prostitution Control Board with the Business Licensing Authority and the adoption of a perpetual licensing system in place of the triennial system of licence renewals.

Consumer Affairs Victoria invites submissions from interested persons and organisations on the appropriateness of the proposed regulations and any alternatives that could be considered.

Copies of the RIS and the proposed Regulations are available from the Program Development and Evaluation Branch, Consumer Affairs Victoria (telephone 9627 6236) or can be obtained from the Consumer Affairs Victoria website ([www.consumer.vic.gov.au](http://www.consumer.vic.gov.au)). Written submissions are invited and must be addressed to:

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All submissions must be received at the above address no later than 5:00pm on Monday 28 June 2004.

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