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Subordinate Legislation Act 1994

NOTICE OF DECISION TO MAKE LEGAL PROFESSION (PRACTISING CERTIFICATE FEES) REGULATIONS 2007

Notice is given in accordance with section 12 of the **Subordinate Legislation Act 1994** that the Legal Profession (Practising Certificate Fees) Regulations will be made by the Governor-in-Council on 11 December 2007.

Summary of statutory rule

A practising certificate is required under the **Legal Profession Act 2004** for a person to be a legal practitioner in Victoria. The Act requires that an application for a practising certificate be accompanied by the prescribed fee for the certificate. The Regulations set the prescribed fees for the remainder of the 2007/08 financial year and then from 1 July 2008 until 30 June 2011.

The Regulations will increase fees for practising certificates from 1 July 2008:

- from \$320 to \$412 for practitioners authorised to receive trust monies; and
- from \$200 to \$256 for practitioners not authorised to receive trust monies.

Statement of reasons available

A statement of the reasons for the decision to make these Regulations is available from the Civil Law Policy Branch, Department of Justice, Level 24, 121 Exhibition Street, Melbourne 3000, or at www.justice.vic.gov.au.

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