

DETERMINATION

I, **LAURIE GLANFIELD**, Director General of the New South Wales Attorney General's Department, pursuant to clause 43(2) of the *Dust Diseases Tribunal Regulation 2001*, determine that Contributions Assessors appointed to claims pursuant to Part 4 of the *Dust Diseases Tribunal Regulation 2001* are entitled to remuneration in connection with the exercise of their functions under this Part as follows:

ACTIVITY	MAXIMUM FEE
Making a determination	\$1200 for first 4 hours of work. Additional hours may be charged at \$200/hour (up to a further 4 hours).
Special circumstances – If the Contributions Assessor believes that the case will require more than 8 hours work to make a determination, fees can be recovered for the additional work, but only with the approval of the Registrar. The special circumstances in a particular matter are to be summarised in a letter attached to the invoice. Special circumstances may include: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Additional time spent in making determination as a result of novel areas of law; or• Matters involving an unusually large amount of material.	\$200/hour.
Review of papers – This applies if the matter settles or contribution between defendants is otherwise resolved after the Contributions Assessor receives documents from the parties and before determination is made.	\$300/hour for up to 4 hours of work. Additional hours may be charged at \$200/hour (up to a further 4 hours).

These fees include administrative overheads incurred by the Contributions Assessor and are inclusive of GST.

Dated this fourth day of JULY 2005


Laurie Glanfield
Director General