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1 Name of Notice

This Notice is the *Election Funding, Expenditure and Disclosures (Adjustable Amounts) Notice*.

2 Definitions

In this Notice:

Column 1

the Act means the Election Funding, Expenditure and Disclosures Act 1981.

Column 2

Schedule 1 Notice of adjustable amounts

- 1 Applicable caps on political donations (section 95A of the Act)
 - (1) Political donations to or for the benefit of a registered party Table

Column 1	Column 2
First day of financial year	Adjustable amount
1 July 2011	\$5,200
1 July 2012	\$5,300
1 July 2013	\$5,500
1 July 2014	\$5,700

(2) Political donations to or for the benefit of a party that is not a registered party Table

Column 1	Column 2	
First day of financial year	Adjustable amount	
1 July 2011	\$2,100	
1 July 2012	\$2,200	

1 July 2013	\$2,300
1 July 2014	\$2,400

(3) Political donations to or for the benefit of an elected member **Table**

Column 1	Column 2
First day of financial year	Adjustable amount
1 July 2011	\$2,100
1 July 2012	\$2,200
1 July 2013	\$2,300
1 July 2014	\$2,400

(4) Political donations to or for the benefit of a group Table

Column 1	Column 2
First day of financial year	Adjustable amount
1 July 2011	\$5,200
1 July 2012	\$5,300
1 July 2013	\$5,500
1 July 2014	\$5,700

(5) Political donations to or for the benefit of a candidate Table

Column 1	Column 2
First day of financial year	Adjustable amount
1 July 2011	\$2,100
1 July 2012	\$2,200
1 July 2013	\$2,300
1 July 2014	\$2,400

(6) Political donations to or for the benefit of a third-party campaigner Table

Column 1	Column 2
First day of financial year	Adjustable amount

1 July 2011	\$2,100
1 July 2012	\$2,200
1 July 2013	\$2,300
1 July 2014	\$2,400

2 Applicable caps on electoral communication expenditure on State election campaigns (section 95F of the Act)

(1) Parties with Assembly candidates in a general election Table

Column 1 Column 2

First day of election period Adjustable amount

27 March 2011 \$111,200

(2) Other parties with Council candidates in a general election Table

Column 1 Column 2

First day of election period Adjustable amount

27 March 2011 \$1,166,600

(3) Independent groups of candidates in Council general elections Table

Column 1 Column 2

First day of election period Adjustable amount

27 March 2011 \$1,166,600

(4) Party candidates in Assembly general election

Table

Column 1 Column 2

First day of election period Adjustable amount

27 March 2011 \$111,200

(5) Non-grouped candidates in Council general election Table

Column 1 Column 2

First day of election period Adjustable amount

27 March 2011 \$166,700

(6) Candidates in Assembly by-election

Table

Column 1 Column 2

First day of election period Adjustable amount

27 March 2011 \$222,300

(7) Independent candidates in Assembly general election

Table

Column 1 Column 2

First day of election period Adjustable amount

27 March 2011 \$166,700

(8) Third-party campaigners

27 March 2011

Table

Column 1 Column 2

First day of election period adjustable amount

For a State general election:

- (a) \$1,166,600 if the third-party campaigner was registered under the Act prior to the commencement of the capped expenditure period for the election, or
- (b) \$583,300 if the third-party campaigner was not registered under the Act prior to the commencement of the capped expenditure period for the election, or

for a by-election for the Assembly, \$22,300

(9) Additional cap for individual Assembly seats

Table

Column 1	Column 2
First day of election period	adjustable amount
	(a) \$55,600 in the case of a party, or
27 March 2011	(b) \$22,300 in the case of a third-party campaigner

3 Public funding of eligible parties for administrative expenditure (section 97E of the Act)

Table

Column 1

First day of calendar year

1 January 2013

1 January 2014

Column 2

Adjustable amount

- (a) \$204,700 if there is only one elected member endorsed by the party, or
- (b) \$358,100 if there are only 2 elected members endorsed by the party, or
- (c) \$460,400 if there are only 3 elected members endorsed by the party, or
- (d) \$460,400 if there are more than 3 elected members endorsed by the party plus \$85,000 for each such member in excess of 3 up to a maximum of 22 members in excess of 3.
- (a) \$209,000 if there is only one elected member endorsed by the party, or
- (b) \$365,500 if there are only 2 elected members endorsed by the party, or
- (c) \$469,900 if there are only 3 elected members endorsed by the party, or
- (d) \$469,900 if there are more than 3 elected members endorsed by the party plus \$86,800 for each such member in excess of 3 up to a maximum of 22 members in excess of 3.

Note-

The adjustable amounts for the public funding of eligible parties for administrative expenditure under section 97E of the Act were increased on 28 October 2014 by Schedule 2 to the *Election Funding, Expenditure and Disclosures*Amendment Act 2014. Subsequent adjustable amounts are calculated from the amounts as so amended.

(a) \$256,400 if there is only one elected
member endorsed by the party, or

- (b) \$460,000 if there are only 2 elected members endorsed by the party, or
- (c) \$613,300 if there are only 3 elected members endorsed by the party, or
- (d) \$613,300 if there are more than 3 elected members endorsed by the party plus \$102,300 for each such member in excess of 3 up to a maximum of 22 members in excess of 3.
- 4 Public funding of Independent members for administrative expenditure (section 97F of the Act)

Table

1 January 2015

Column 1	Column 2	
First day of calendar year	Adjustable amount	
1 January 2013	\$204,700	
1 January 2014	\$209,000	
1 January 2015	\$213,700	

5 Public funding of eligible parties for policy development expenditure (section 97I of the Act)

Table

Column 1	Column 2
First day of calendar year	Adjustable amount
1 January 2012	(a) 26 cents for each first preference vote received by any candidate at the previous State election who was endorsed by the party, or
	(b) \$5,200,
	whichever is the greater

1 January 2013

1 January 2014

1 January 2015

- (a) 27 cents for each first preference vote received by any candidate at the previous State election who was endorsed by the party, or
- (b) \$5,400,

whichever is the greater

- (a) 28 cents for each first preference vote received by any candidate at the previous State election who was endorsed by the party, or
- (b) \$5,600,

whichever is the greater

Note-

The adjustable amounts for the public funding of eligible parties for policy development expenditure under section 97I of the Act were increased on 28 October 2014 by Schedule 2 to the *Election Funding, Expenditure and Disclosures*Amendment Act 2014. Subsequent adjustable amounts are calculated from the amounts as so amended.

- (a) 58 cents for each first preference vote received by any candidate at the previous State election who was endorsed by the party, or
- (b) \$11,500,

whichever is the greater