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Vocational Education and Training Act 1996

Vocational Education and Training Amendment Regulations 1999

Made by the Governor in Executive Council.

1. Citation

These regulations may be cited as the *Vocational Education and Training Amendment Regulations 1999*.

2. The regulations amended

The amendments in these regulations are to the *Vocational Education and Training Regulations 1996**.

[* Published in Gazette 27 December 1996, pp. 7167-84. For amendments to 25 February 1999 see 1997 Index to Legislation of Western Australia, Table 4, p. 279 and Gazette 14 August and 4 December 1998.]

3. Regulation 12 amended

Regulation 12 is amended by deleting "The" and inserting instead —

" Subject to regulation 15A, the ".

4. Regulation 13 amended

Regulation 13 is amended by deleting "No" and inserting instead —

" Subject to regulation 15A, no ".

5. Regulation 14 amended

Regulation 14 is amended by deleting "The" and inserting instead —

" Subject to regulation 15A, the ".

6. Regulation 15 replaced

Regulation 15 is repealed and the following regulation is inserted instead —

15. Tuition fees for category D courses

Subject to regulation 15A, the tuition fee for a category D course is to be an amount calculated in accordance with item 7 of Schedule 1.

7. Regulation 15A inserted

After regulation 15 the following regulation is inserted in Part 3 Division 2 —

15A. Tuition fees for overseas students

- The tuition fee for any course for a student who is not an Australian resident is —
 - (a) if there is a relevant determination in force under this regulation, the fee specified in that determination; or
 - (b) otherwise, the fee calculated in accordance with regulation 12, 13, 14 or 15, as the case requires.

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- (2) The Minister may by instrument issued to the relevant college or colleges determine the tuition fee for a course for a student who is not an Australian resident.
- (3) The Minister may determine different fees for different courses or different students based on
 - (a) the categories of the course;
 - (b) the subject matter of the course;
 - (c) which college provides the course;
 - (d) the country of origin of the student;
 - (e) the level and extent of the student's previous vocational education, training and experience;
 or
 - (f) any other criteria the Minister considers relevant to the cost of providing the course,

or any combination of those criteria.

(4) In this regulation —

"Australian resident" means a person who -

- (a) is an Australian citizen within the meaning of the *Australian Citizenship Act 1948* of the Commonwealth; or
- (b) holds a permanent visa within the meaning of the *Migration Act 1958* of the Commonwealth.

By Command of the Governor,

M. C. WAUCHOPE, Clerk of the Executive Council.

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