

21. RELEASE TO ATTEND AS A WITNESS

Entitlement

- 21.1 Where an employee is subpoenaed or called as a witness for the Crown to give evidence under a law of the Commonwealth or the Territory, the CEO will release the employee from duty, without deduction from pay or accrued leave entitlements, during the period necessary to attend.
- 21.2 Where an employee is subpoenaed to give evidence in relation to his or her duties or former duties in the Northern Territory Public Sector, the CEO will release the employee from duty and may grant such release without deduction from pay or accrued leave entitlements during the period necessary to attend.
- 21.3 Where an employee is subpoenaed or called as a witness in circumstances other than those referred to in by-law 21.121.1, the employee will be granted:
- (a) leave without pay; or
 - (b) recreation leave;

and any fees or allowances received as a result of the attendance may be retained by the employee.