NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

Public Sector Employment and Management Act 1993

DETERMINATION NUMBER 1002 OF 2023

NT Electoral Commission – Relocation Expenses and Allowances

I, VICKI TELFER, Commissioner for Public Employment, pursuant to section 14(2) of the *Public Sector Employment and Management Act 1993* and with reference to section 13(a) of that Act, determine that:

- 1. Casual and fixed period employees working as Electoral Practitioners employed by the Northern Territory Electoral Commission, who have the pre-requisite knowledge to perform specialised duties during an election, may be entitled to:
 - a. payment of relocation allowance in accordance with the provisions of the *Public Sector Employment and Management Act* By-Law 28; and
 - b. payment of travel costs in order to take up, and return from, such temporary employment at the rate of either:
 - i. the cost of return airfares where travel is by air; or
 - ii. payment of kilometre allowance at the rate determined for payments under By-Law 32 where travel is by road.
- 2. The provisions of this Determination will only apply where the employee is an experienced electoral practitioner who has been engaged specifically for the preparations and conduct of the following major electoral events:
 - Legislative Assembly General Elections;
 - Legislative Assembly By-Elections;
 - Local Government Council General Elections;
 - Local Government Council By-Elections; and
 - Territory-wide elections, Plebiscites or Referendums.
- 3. The provisions of this Determination do not apply to employees on a secondment arrangement.
- 4. This Determination is to have effect on and from midnight 23 February 2023.
- 5. This Determination shall cease to have effect from midnight 23 February 2027, unless revoked earlier.

Dated: 3 March 2023

VICKI TELFER PSM Commissioner for Public Employment