Amendment of Statement of Principles
concerning
ACUTE MYELOID LEUKAEMIA

ICD CODE: 205.0

Veterans’ Entitlements Act 1986
subsection 196B(3)

The Repatriation Medical Authority amends, under subsection 196B(3) of the Veterans’ Entitlements Act 1986 (the Act), Instrument No.36 of 1994 (Statement of Principles concerning acute myeloid leukaemia) by:

1. inserting, immediately after paragraph 1(b), the following:

“(ba) being occupationally involved in the handling of AVGAS or petroleum products containing benzene greater than 5% by volume for one month or more before the clinical onset of acute myeloid leukaemia; or

(bb) being occupationally involved in the handling of AVGAS or petroleum products containing benzene greater than 1% by volume for one year or more before the clinical onset of acute myeloid leukaemia; or”.

2. The amendments made by this instrument apply to all matters to which Instrument No.36 of 1994 and section 120B of the Act apply.
Dated this Twenty-first day of June 1995

The Common Seal of the Repatriation Medical Authority was affixed to this instrument in the presence of:

KEN DONALD
CHAIRMAN