

NOTICE OF INVESTIGATION

Section 196G of the *Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986*

The Repatriation Medical Authority (the Authority) gives notice under section 196G of the *Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986* [‘the VEA’] that it intends to carry out investigations under section 196B(7) of the VEA to review the contents of Statements of Principles concerning the following:

Condition:	Instrument Nos.:
accommodation disorder	296 & 297 of 1995
ancylostomiasis	137 & 138 of 1995
animal envenomation	162 & 163 of 1995
ascariasis	135 & 136 of 1995
Buerger's disease	73 & 74 of 1995
cerebral meningioma	207 & 208 of 1995
chilblains	265 & 266 of 1995
Cushing's syndrome	249 & 250 of 1995
dislocation	290 & 291 of 1995
effects of lightning	151 & 152 of 1995, as amended by 197 & 198 of 1995
frostbite	166 & 167 of 1995
immersion foot	168 & 169 of 1995
influenza	267 & 268 of 1995
malaria	172 & 173 of 1995
malignant neoplasm of the cerebral meninges	205 & 206 of 1995
methaemoglobinaemia	284 & 285 of 1995
nephrolithiasis	178 & 179 of 1995
non fatal effects of electric shock and death from electrocution	149 & 150 of 1995
pilonidal sinus	176 & 177 of 1995, as amended by 312 & 313 of 1995
poisoning and toxic reaction from plants	164 & 165 of 1995
rheumatic heart disease	93 & 94 of 1995
schistosomiasis	255 & 256 of 1995
sinus barotrauma	316 & 317 of 1995
strongyloidiasis	282 & 283 of 1995
ureteric calculus	180 & 181 of 1995

The Authority invites the following persons and organisations to make written submissions to the Authority in respect of any of the investigations:

- a person eligible to make a claim for pension under Part II or Part IV of the *Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986*;
- a person eligible to make a claim for compensation under section 319 of the *Military Rehabilitation and Compensation Act 2004* [‘the MRCA’];

- The Authority will hold its first meeting for the purposes of each of these investigations on **15 October 2007**.

All submissions must be in writing and received by the Authority at the address below no later than **5 October 2007**.

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