

**EDUCATION AND TRAINING REFORM ACT 2006**

**Order Amending Ministerial Order No. 1228 – Fixing of fees charged by the Victorian Institute of Teaching 2019-20**

**MINISTERIAL ORDER NO. 1294**

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The **Minister for Education** makes the following Order—

**1. Title**

This Order may be cited as Ministerial Order No. 1294 – *Order Amending Ministerial Order No. 1228 – Victorian Institute of Teaching Registration Fees 2019-20*.

**2. Purpose**

This Order amends Ministerial Order No. 1228 – *Victorian Institute of Teaching Registration Fees 2019-20* (Ministerial Order 1228), as amended from time to time, to apply new fee rates for teacher and early childhood teacher registration for the period 1 September 2021 to 30 August 2022.

**3. Authorising provision**

This Order is made under sections 2.6.77, 5.10.4 and clause 3 of Schedule 6 to the **Education and Training Reform Act 2006**.

**4. Commencement**

This Order is made on the date it is signed and commences operation on 1 September 2021.

**5. Clause 4 substituted**

For clause 4 of Ministerial Order 1228 **substitute—**

“The fees in clause 5 are for a 12-month period commencing 1 September 2021.”.

**6. Clause 5 substituted**

For clause 5 of Ministerial Order 1228 **substitute—**

“The following fees are fixed pursuant to section 2.6.77 of the Act:

Initial registration (applicants with Victorian qualifications) / permission to teach pursuant to sections 2.6.7(2), 2.6.12A(2)* and 2.6.13(2)	\$144
Initial registration (applicants with interstate or overseas qualifications) / permission to teach pursuant to sections 2.6.7(2) and 2.6.13(2)*	\$167
Application for second registration pursuant to section 2.6.7(2), 2.6.12A(2) and 2.6.77A	\$34
Annual registration / renewal of registration if paid by 30 September pursuant to sections 2.6.18 and 2.6.21**	\$108

Annual registration / renewal of registration if paid from 1 October to 31 December which incorporates the late processing fee/additional fee pursuant to sections 2.6.18 and 2.6.21**	\$142
Annual registration / renewal of registration for second registration pursuant to section 2.6.18, 2.6.21 and 2.6.77A**	\$25
National criminal history check (known as the Nationally Coordinated Criminal History Check) pursuant to section 2.6.22A(3)	\$62
Late processing fee / additional fee pursuant to sections 2.6.18 and 2.6.21	\$34
Replacement of registration card processing fee pursuant to section 2.6.4(2)(g)	\$25
Course accreditation pursuant to section 2.6.4(2)(g)	\$2,537
Statement of good standing pursuant to section 2.6.4(2)(g)	\$49

\* There may be an additional cost for a Nationally Coordinated Criminal History Check.

\*\* The annual registration fee is payable where registration is not due for renewal. In all other cases the renewal fee applies.”

**Dated this 22 day of July 2020**



**THE HON. JAMES MERLINO MP**

**Deputy Premier**

**Minister for Education**

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**Subordinate Legislation Act 1994**

**HUMAN RIGHTS CERTIFICATE**

(Section 12D)

**MINISTERIAL ORDER NO. 1294**

**VICTORIAN INSTITUTE OF TEACHING REGISTRATION FEES 2021-22**

I, James Merlino, Minister for Education, and Minister responsible for administering Part 2.6 of the **Education and Training Reform Act 2006** certify that, in my opinion, the proposed Order does not limit any human rights set out in the **Charter of Human Rights and Responsibilities Act 2006**.

Dated: 22/07/2020

**The Hon. James Merlino MP**  
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**CERTIFICATE OF CONSULTATION**

(Section 12C)

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**VICTORIAN INSTITUTE OF TEACHING REGISTRATION FEES 2021-22**

I, James Merlino, Minister for Education, and Minister responsible for administering Part 2.6 of the **Education and Training Reform Act 2006**, certify under section 12C of the **Subordinate Legislation Act 1994** that there has been consultation in accordance with the Premier's Guidelines made under the **Subordinate Legislation Act 1994**.

Dated: 22/07/2020

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**EXEMPTION CERTIFICATE**

(Section 12F)

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**VICTORIAN INSTITUTE OF TEACHING REGISTRATION FEES 2021-22**

I, James Merlino, Minister for Education, and Minister responsible for administering Part 2.6 of the **Education and Training Reform Act 2006**, certify under section 12F(1)(a) of the **Subordinate Legislation Act 1994** that, in my opinion, the proposed legislative instrument does not impose a significant economic or social burden on a sector of the public.

The reasons for forming this opinion are that –

- the Victorian Institute of Teaching has carried out a significant burden assessment and has advised that the total revenue to be generated by the proposed fee increase is approximately \$1.5 million annually, which is less than the \$2 million threshold to require a Regulatory Impact Statement, as advised by Better Regulation Victoria;
- the proposed increase will be the first and only increase to the relevant fees proposed for the 2021-2022 financial year.

Consistent with the Department of Treasury and Finance Cost Recovery Guidelines, the approval of the Treasurer to increase the existing Victorian Institute of Teaching fees by a rate greater than the annual rate was sought and has been granted.

Accordingly, a Regulatory Impact Statement is not required for this legislative instrument.

Dated: 22/07/2020

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