

DEFENCE FORCE REMUNERATION TRIBUNAL

MATTER No. 3 OF 2007

GRADED OFFICER PAY STRUCTURE –

ADF OFFICER PLACEMENT

STATEMENT

The Australian Defence Force (ADF) has sought the placement of its officers in the Graded Officer Pay Structure approved by the Tribunal on 27 February 2006 in its decision in the Remuneration Reform Project Case (Matter 2 of 2003).

Having considered the joint submissions of the ADF and the Commonwealth, the submissions of the Returned and Services League of Australia and the Regular Defence Force Welfare Association and the evidence, we have decided to place 06 (Colonel equivalent) officers and below in the structure as proposed.

Revised placement of Special Forces Officers (Commando and SAS) will require further material to be presented to the Tribunal. Dates for this hearing have been programmed in September 2007.

The date of effect of our decision shall be on and from 9 August 2007.

The Tribunal will issue the appropriate determination shortly and publish reasons for decision in due course.