



Defence Force Remuneration Tribunal Determination No. 1 of 2024, Salaries – Air Force Air Surveillance Operator – amendment

The Defence Force Remuneration Tribunal, make this Determination under section 58H of the *Defence Act 1903*. It relates to Matter No. 2 of 2024 – Air Force: Air Surveillance Operator.

Dated 30 April 2024

Bernadette O'Neill

President

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Adrian Morris

Member

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Major General Gerard Fogarty, AO Rtd

Member

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1 Name

1. This Determination is Defence Force Remuneration Tribunal Determination No. 1 of 2024, Salaries – Air Force Air Surveillance Operators – amendment.
2. This Determination may also be cited as DFRT Determination No. 1 of 2024.

2 Commencement

Each provision of this instrument specified in column 1 of the table commences, or is taken to have commenced, in accordance with column 2 of the table. Any other statement in column 2 has effect according to its terms.

Commencement information	
Column 1	Column 2
Provisions	Commencement
1. The whole of this instrument	23 May 2024

Note: This table relates only to the provisions of this instrument as originally made. It will not be amended to deal with any later amendments of this instrument.

3 Authority

This instrument is made under section 58H of the *Defence Act 1903*.

4 Schedules

1. Defence Force Remuneration Tribunal Determination No. 2 of 2017, *Salaries*, as amended,¹ is amended as set out in Schedule 1 of this Determination.

Schedule 1—Air Surveillance Operator employment category amendment

DFRT Determination No. 2 of 2017, Salaries

1 Schedule B.9 (Part 3, Pay Grade 5, table item 16)
Repeal the item.

2 After Schedule B.9 (Part 3, Pay Grade 6, table item 12)
Insert:

12A.	Air Surveillance Operator Manager	A
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3 Schedule B.11 (Part 3, Pay Grade 5, table item 22)
Repeal the item.

4 After Schedule B.11 (Part 3, Pay Grade 6, table item 12)
Insert:

12A.	Air Surveillance Operator Manager	–
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EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

Defence Force Remuneration Tribunal No. 1 of 2024, Salaries – Air Force Air Surveillance Operators – amendment

This Determination amends Defence Force Remuneration Tribunal (DFRT) Determination No. 2 of 2017, Salaries (the Principal Determination), made under section 58H of the *Defence Act 1903* (the Act) and in accordance with subsection 33(3) of the *Acts Interpretation Act 1901* (AIA Act). The Principal Determination sets out provisions dealing with salary for members of the Australian Defence Force (ADF).

The purpose of this Determination is to amend employment categories under Schedule B.9 and B.11 of the Principal Determination, which set out the rate of salary for members. These schedules are being amended to place the employment category of Air Operator Manager into the new pay grades after a restructure of the employment category.

Section 1 of this Determination sets out the manner in which this Determination may be cited.

Section 2 of this Determination provides that the Determination commences on 23 May 2024.

Section 3 provides that this instrument has authority under section 58H of the *Defence Act 1903*.

Section 4 provides that each instrument that is specified in a Schedule to this instrument is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this instrument has effect according to its terms.

Schedule 1 – Air Surveillance Operators employment category amendment

Sections 1 and 2 amend pay grades 5 and 6 in Part 3 (Air Force) of Schedule B.9 (Warrant Officer Class 1 pay grades) of the Principal Determination. The tables list the employment categories for Warrant Officers Class 1 in the Air Force that are paid at the respective pay grade. The tables are being amended to remove Air Surveillance Operator Manager from pay grade 5 and to insert it into pay grade 6.

Sections 1 and 2 amend pay grades 5 and 6 in Part 3 (Air Force) of Schedule B.11 (Other Rank pay grades) of the Principal Determination. The table lists the employment categories for other ranks in the Air Force that are paid at the respective pay grade. The tables are being amended to remove Air Surveillance Operator Manager from pay grade 5 and to insert it into pay grade 6.

Authority: Section 58H of the
Defence Act 1903