



Military Rehabilitation and Compensation Commission

Military Rehabilitation and Compensation (Electronic Lodgement Approval) Instrument 2018

Instrument 2018 No. MRCC7

We, LISA FOREMAN and JOHN GEARY, delegates of the Military Rehabilitation and Compensation Commission, pursuant to subsection 323(3) of the *Military Rehabilitation and Compensation Act 2004*:

1. revoke the instrument entitled *Military Rehabilitation and Compensation (Approval of Electronic Lodgement) Instrument 2016* (Instrument 2016 No. MRCC 60) made on 15 December 2016;
2. approve the claims, applications, requests and other documents listed in Schedule 1 for electronic lodgement where the claim, application, request or other document is transmitted electronically;
3. approve the manner specified in Schedule 2 for the electronic lodgement of claims, applications, requests and other documents listed in Schedule 1;
4. approve the electronic addresses listed in Schedule 3 for transmission of a document listed in Schedule 1 in a manner listed in Schedule 2.

This instrument is taken to have commenced on 1 July 2018.

Dated this 27th day of July 2018.

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LISA FOREMAN
FAS Veterans' Services and Support Division

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JOHN GEARY
FAS Clients' Benefits Division

SCHEDULE 1

LIST OF CLAIMS, APPLICATIONS, REQUESTS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS APPROVED FOR ELECTRONIC LODGEMENT UNDER SUBSECTION 323(3) OF THE *MILITARY REHABILITATION AND COMPENSATION ACT 2004*

Documents approved for lodgement via fax, internet and email		
	Document	Provision in <i>Military Rehabilitation and Compensation Act 2004</i> pursuant to which, or for the purposes of which, the document is brought into existence
1.	Claim for acceptance of liability or claim for compensation in a form approved under paragraph 319(2)(c) (if any) for a claim of the kind lodged Note: approved forms are at: http://www.dva.gov.au/dvaforms	Subsection 319(1)
2.	Request for reconsideration	Section 349
3.	Application to the Veterans' Review Board	Section 352

Note 1: Any supporting material that is required by the *Military Rehabilitation And Compensation Act 2004* (MRCA) to be lodged in respect of a claim, application, request or other document referred to in Schedule 1 of this instrument, may be lodged in the same manner as approved by this instrument for the claim or other document to which it relates – see subsection 323(6) of MRCA.

Note 2: If “proof of identity” documents are requested to be lodged in respect of a claim under MRCA, they may be lodged in the same manner as approved by this instrument for the kind of claim to which they relate.

Note 3: This instrument is not a legislative instrument within the meaning of the *Legislation Act 2003*.

SCHEDULE 2

MANNER OF ELECTRONICALLY LODGING CLAIMS, APPLICATIONS, REQUESTS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS APPROVED FOR THE PURPOSES OF SUBSECTION 323(3) OF THE *MILITARY REHABILITATION AND COMPENSATION ACT 2004*

For the documents listed in Schedule 1:

- Transmission by facsimile machine; or
- Transmission via the Internet using the system operated by the Department of Veterans' Affairs; or
- Transmission via email.

SCHEDULE 3

LIST OF ELECTRONIC ADDRESSES APPROVED FOR THE PURPOSES OF SUBSECTION 323(3) OF THE *MILITARY REHABILITATION AND COMPENSATION ACT 2004*

1. TRANSMISSION BY FACSIMILE MACHINE

Location of facsimile machine	Facsimile machine addresses
DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS	
CANBERRA	(02) 6289 1195 (02) 6257 1818 (02) 6056 4325
NEW SOUTH WALES	(02) 9213 7930 (02) 9213 7322 (02) 9213 7400 (02) 6622 4486 (02) 4929 6215 (02) 9213 7400
VICTORIA	(03) 9284 6431 (03) 9284 6120 (03) 5224 8299 (03) 5336 5199 (03) 5128 5099 (03) 9284 6798
QUEENSLAND	(07) 3223 8425 (07) 4722 3300 (07) 3223 8479 (07) 5571 1292 (07) 5583 2099 (07) 5570 1920 (07) 4722 3300 (07) 5569 9599 (07) 3223 8775 (07) 3223 8611
SOUTH AUSTRALIA	(08) 8290 0498 (08) 8290 0412
NORTHERN TERRITORY	(08) 8945 0384 (08) 8935 1489
WESTERN AUSTRALIA	(08) 9366 8570 (08) 9366 8375
TASMANIA	(03) 6221 6742

2. TRANSMISSION VIA THE INTERNET

The uniform resource locator (URL) - <http://www.dva.gov.au/Pages/home.aspx>

3. TRANSMISSION VIA EMAIL

For the documents listed in item 1 of the table in Schedule 1, the email addresses:

- compensation.claims@dva.gov.au, or
- GeneralEnquiries@dva.gov.au

For the documents listed in items 2 and 3 of the table in Schedule 1, the email addresses:

- appeals@dva.gov.au, or
- GeneralEnquiries@dva.gov.au

