

## Amendment of Statement of Principles

concerning

### **PERIPHERAL NEUROPATHY**

#### *Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986*

1. The Repatriation Medical Authority amends, under subsection 196B(3) of the *Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986* (the Act), Instrument No.80 of 2001 by:
  - A. omitting the word "*Karwinska*" from factor (k)(v) in clause 5 and inserting in its place the word "*Karwinskia*";
  - B. in paragraph 8, deleting clauses (a) and (g) from the definition for "**an infection from the specified list**" and inserting in their place the following clauses:
    - “(a) *Corynebacterium diphtheriae* (Diphtheria);
    - (g) *Clostridium botulinum* (Botulism);”
  - C. in paragraph 8, deleting clauses (e) and (i) from the definition for "**one of the chemical agents in the specified list**" and inserting in their place the following clauses:
    - “(e) dimethylaminopropionitrile (DMAPN);
    - (i) methyl n-butyl ketone (MNBK);”
  - D. in paragraph 8, deleting clause (j) from the definition for "**one of the drugs from List 1**" and inserting in its place the following clause:
    - “(j) nucleoside analogues (ddC, ddI, d4T);”

2. The amendments made by this instrument apply to all matters to which Instrument No.80 of 2001 and section 120B of the Act apply.

Dated this *Seventh* day of *April* 2003

The Common Seal of the )  
Repatriation Medical Authority )  
was affixed to this instrument )  
in the presence of )  
KEN DONALD  
CHAIRMAN