

Amendment Statement of Principles

concerning

RESTLESS LEGS SYNDROME
(Balance of Probabilities)

(No. 61 of 2023)

The Repatriation Medical Authority determines the following Amendment Statement of Principles under subsections 196B(3) and (8) of the *Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986*.

Dated 15 May 2023

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| The Common Seal of theRepatriation Medical Authoritywas affixed to this instrumentat the direction of: |
| Professor Terence Campbell AMChairperson |

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1. Name

This is the Amendment Statement of Principles concerning *restless legs syndrome* *(Balance of Probabilities)* (No. 61 of 2023).

1. Commencement

 This instrument commences on 30 May 2023.

1. Authority

This instrument is made under subsections 196B(3) and (8) of the *Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986*.

1. Amendment

The Statement of Principles concerning *restless legs syndrome (Balance of Probabilities)* (No. 114 of 2022) (Federal Register of Legislation No. F2022L01399) is amended in the following manner:

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| **Section**  | **Amendment** |
| *Schedule 1 – Dictionary* | *Replace the existing definition of "relevant service" with the following*:***relevant service*** means:* + - 1. eligible war service (other than operational service) under the VEA;
			2. defence service (other than hazardous service and British nuclear test defence service) under the VEA; or
			3. peacetime service under the MRCA.

Note: ***MRCA*** and ***VEA*** are defined in the Schedule 1 - Dictionary. |