

Remuneration Tribunal

Ministers of State Salaries Additional to the Basic Parliamentary Salary

STATEMENT

The Tribunal is obliged to inquire into and report on – but not to determine - whether any alterations are desirable in the salaries payable to Ministers of State. This task must be done on an annual basis.

The additional salaries for Ministers of State are expressed as a percentage of the parliamentary base salary. As they are expressed in this way, the Tribunal anticipates that salaries payable to Ministers of State will vary at the same time that the base salary for parliamentarians varies.

This year, the Tribunal has decided to propose the same percentages in relation to the various offices as set out in the 2011 Report, as outlined in *Report Number 1 of 2012 – Report on Ministers of State - Salaries Additional to the Basic Parliamentary Salary.*

The Tribunal's determinations and reports are available on its website - http://www.remtribunal.gov.au/.

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