

VETERANS' ENTITLEMENTS ACT 1986

DETERMINATION AS TO CERTAIN PERSONS WHO ARE TO BE TREATED AS IF FULL-TIME MEMBERS OF THE DEFENCE FORCE IN RESPECT OF SERVICE IN WORLD WAR 2

I, BENJAMIN CHARLES HUMPHREYS, Minister of State for Veterans' Affairs, pursuant to paragraph 5(13)(a) of the *Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986*, hereby determine that the *Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986* shall apply to, and in relation to, a person included in the classes of persons, as if that person, while rendering service during World War 2 of a kind specified in this determination, was a member of the Defence Force rendering continuous full-time service for the purposes of this Act:

- (1) persons employed by the Commonwealth of Australia who were attached to the Defence Force, being -
 - (a) persons who were so attached for continuous service, and who provided services as personnel belonging to field broadcasting units, as telegraphists, as camoufleurs, as war correspondents, as photographers or as cinematographers: or
 - (b) any other persons during any period when they provided service and assistance to the Defence Force: or
- (2) persons who, as representatives of an approved philanthropic organisation, provided welfare services to the Defence Force.

For the purposes of this Determination -

"approved philanthropic organisation" means:

- (a) the Australian Red Cross Society;
- (b) the Salvation Army;
- (c) the Young Women's Christian Association of Australia;
- (d) the Young Men's Christian Association of Australia; and
- (e) the Australian Comforts Fund.

"World War 2" has the same meaning as it has in subsection 5 (1) of the *Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986*.

DATED Friday 18th day of December 1987

BEN HUMPHREYS
Minister of State for Veterans' Affairs