

**NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA**  
**NORTHERN TERRITORY CIVIL AND ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL**  
**AMENDMENT RULES 2020**

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## ***Northern Territory Civil and Administrative Tribunal Amendment Rules 2020***

The rules committee of the Northern Territory Civil and Administrative Tribunal, under section 138(3)(a) of the *Northern Territory Civil and Administrative Tribunal Act 2014*, makes the following Rules.

Dated 30 July 2020

R. H. Bruxner  
President

A. P. Macrides  
Member

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\* Notified in the *Northern Territory Government Gazette* on 30 September 2020.

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**1 Title**

These Rules may be cited as the *Northern Territory Civil and Administrative Tribunal Amendment Rules 2020*.

**2 Commencement**

These Rules commence on the day on which they are notified in the *Gazette*.

**3 Rules amended**

These Rules amend the *Northern Territory Civil and Administrative Tribunal Rules 2016*.

**4 Rule 3 amended (Service of documents)**

(1) Rule 3(2) and (8)

*omit*

(2) Rule 3(3)

*omit*

time, but that direction does not affect the obligation in subrule (2).

*insert*

time.

**5 Rule 5 amended (Commencing a proceeding – initiating application)**

Rule 5(3) to (5)

*omit*

**6 Rule 6 amended (Response to an initiating application)**

Rule 6(5)

*omit*

**7 Rule 7 repealed (Initial directions hearing)**

Rule 7

*repeal*

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**8 Rule 8 amended (Ordinary applications)**

Rule 8(2) to (6)

*omit, insert*

- (2) A person wishing to make an ordinary application must file with the Tribunal an ordinary application in the approved form.

*Note for subrule (2)*

*The current approved form for an ordinary application is Form 3.*

**9 Rule 9 amended (Evidence summonses)**

- (1) Rule 9(4) and (5)

*omit*

- (2) Rule 9(6)

*omit*

the original sealed summons

*insert*

it

**10 Rule 10 amended (Costs)**

- (1) Rule 10(2)

*omit, insert*

- (2) For section 132(2)(d) of the Act, in deciding whether to make a costs order for a proceeding or part of a proceeding, the Tribunal must take into account the extent to which a failure by a party to comply with these Rules or a direction by the Tribunal has resulted in a waste of money or time.

- (2) Rule 10(4) and (5)

*omit*

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**11 Rule 12 amended (Order that decision maker provide reasons)**

(1) Rule 12(1)

*omit*

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*insert*

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(2) Rule 12(2)

*omit*

**12 Repeal of Rules**

These Rules are repealed on the day after they commence.