L.N. 141 of 2006

LEGAL AID (ASSESSMENT OF RESOURCES AND CONTRIBUTIONS) (AMENDMENT) REGULATION 2006

(Made by the Chief Executive in Council under section 28 of the Legal Aid Ordinance (Cap. 91))

1. Contributions

Part I of Schedule 3 to the Legal Aid (Assessment of Resources and Contributions) Regulations (Cap. 91 sub. leg. B) is amended, by repealing "\$155,800" wherever it appears and substituting "\$158,300".

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COUNCIL CHAMBER 13 June 2006

Explanatory Note

This Regulation amends Part I of Schedule 3 to the Legal Aid (Assessment of Resources and Contributions) Regulations (Cap. 91 sub. leg. B). The Schedule specifies the maximum contribution payable by an aided person of legal aid to the Director of Legal Aid. Certain maximum contributions in subparagraphs (b) and (c) of that Part are determined by reference to the upper limit of the financial resources of an aided person under section 5 of the Legal Aid Ordinance (Cap. 91). Section 5 of the Ordinance has been amended by increasing the upper limit of the financial resources of an aided person under that section to \$158,300. The amendment in this Regulation is to consequentially reflect the amendment made to section 5 of the Ordinance.