



## **Appendix A: Regulation 4.31B. Review by the Refugee Review Tribunal - fee and waiver**

Reg 4.31B.

- (1) The fee for review by the Tribunal of an RRT-reviewable decision is \$1,000.
- (2) The fee is payable within 7 days of the time when notice of the decision of the Tribunal is taken to be received by the applicant in accordance with section 441C of the Act.

Note Under regulation 4.40, notice of a decision of the Tribunal is given by one of the methods specified in section 441A of the Act.

- (3) However, if:
  - (a) the Tribunal determines that the applicant for the visa that was the subject of the review is a person to whom Australia has protection obligations under the Refugees Convention as amended by the Refugees Protocol-the fee is not payable; and
  - (b) a fee has been paid under this regulation and, following the Tribunal's determination, the matter in relation to which the fee was paid is remitted by a court for reconsideration by the Tribunal-no further fee is payable under this regulation.
- (4) If 2 or more applications for review are combined in accordance with regulation 4.31A, only 1 fee is payable for reviews that result from those applications.
- (5) This regulation applies in relation to a review of a decision only if the application for review was made on or after 1 July 1997 and before 1 July 2003.