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Fee Increases

Land Titles Office

Since 2010 LTO registration fees have been expressed in revenue units in the *Registration Regulations*. On 1 July 2018, the value of each revenue unit for the 2018/19 financial year will increase to \$1.18. This will give rise to a number of fee increases, including:

Standard Lodgement	\$145.00
Non Standard Lodgement	\$201.00
Caveat	\$236.00
General Power of Attorney	\$135.00
Noting Fee	\$ 56.00
Search	\$ 34.00
Advance Personal Plan	\$135.00
(if lodged with General Power of Attorney)	\$ 23.00

The fee schedule will not be updated until the end of June 2018. After that date visit:

www.nt.gov.au/property/land/land-titles-forms-and-fees

Births, Deaths & Marriages Office fees will increase by the same revenue units under the *Births, Deaths & Marriages Registration Regulations*.

Birth, Death or Marriage Certificates	\$ 46.00
Change of Name Certificate	\$ 46.00
Commemorative Certificates	\$ 45.00
Correction of Register	\$ 46.00
Register Change of Name (Total Fee)	\$ 92.00
Marriage Ceremony (Total Fee)	\$300.00

Births, Deaths and Marriages Remote Circuit

BDM initiated a pilot project to provide specific BDM services (free of charge) in some regional and remote communities for a 3 month period commencing from late November 2018. The pilot project was completed on 1 March 2018 and overall proved to be very successful with positive feedback received from community representatives.

In total 17 visits to remote/regional communities were conducted. 13 visits were to locations in the northern region of the NT and 4 in the southern region of the NT.

The combined performance data arising from these visits was as follows:

	21/11/ 2017-28/02/2018
Birth Certificates	1265
Aboriginal Population Record Certificates	33
Change of Name Adult	336
Change of Name x 1 Parent	11

This will be continued as an ongoing program from 2018/19.

Lodgement Statistics

The below table and graph show the total number of Instruments lodged in the Land Titles Office from various financial year periods. * The 2017/2018 financial year period covers the total number of Instruments lodged from 01 July 2017 to 30 April 2018.

PERIOD (Financial Year)	INSTRUMENTS LODGED
2007/2008	27,085
2008/2009	26,738
2009/2010	25,636
2010/2011	21,627
2011/2012	22,311
2012/2013	24,997
2013/2014	26,051
2014/2015	25,619
2015/2016	18,964
2016/2017	17,457
*2017/2018	13053

