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Statement from the Australian Fair Pay Commission

The Australian Fair Pay Commission today released the following statement clarifying remuneration of its Commissioners:

The Australian Fair Pay Commission does not set its own remuneration.

Remuneration of Commissioners is determined by the Remuneration Tribunal, which is the independent statutory body that handles the remuneration of more than 160 key Commonwealth offices, including the Australian Fair Pay Commission office holders.

Determinations are made according to criteria laid down by the Tribunal.

The matter of what, if any, increase is awarded to Australian Fair Pay Commission office holders is determined by the Remuneration Tribunal and not by the Australian Fair Pay Commission.

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