

TASMANIA

DEFAMATION ORDER 2019
STATUTORY RULES 2019, No. 44

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DEFAMATION ORDER 2019

I make the following order under section 35(3) of the *Defamation Act 2005*.

Dated 21 June 2019.

ELISE ARCHER
Minister for Justice

1. Short title

This order may be cited as the *Defamation Order 2019*.

2. Commencement

This order takes effect on 1 July 2019.

3. Maximum damages amount

For the purposes of section 35(1) of the *Defamation Act 2005*, the maximum damages amount that is to apply from 1 July 2019 is declared to be \$407 500.

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Notified in the *Gazette* on 26 June 2019.

This order is administered in the Department of Justice.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the order)

This order, for the purposes of section 35(1) of the *Defamation Act 2005*, declares \$407 500 to be the maximum amount of damages for non-economic loss that may be awarded from 1 July 2019 in defamation proceedings.