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DEFAMATION ORDER 2022 STATUTORY RULES 2022, No. 41

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DEFAMATION ORDER 2022

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

Dated 16 June 2022.

ELISE ARCHER Minister for Justice

1. Short title

This order may be cited as the *Defamation Order* 2022.

2. Commencement

This order takes effect on 1 July 2022.

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 2022 is declared to be \$443 000.

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Printed and numbered in accordance with the *Rules Publication Act* 1953.

Notified in the Gazette on 29 June 2022.

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 \$443 000 to be the maximum amount of damages for non-economic loss that may be awarded from 1 July 2022 in defamation proceedings.