

TASMANIA

DEFAMATION ORDER 2023
STATUTORY RULES 2023, No. 26

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DEFAMATION ORDER 2023

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

Dated 24 May 2023.

ELISE ARCHER
Minister for Justice

1. Short title

This order may be cited as the *Defamation Order 2023*.

2. Commencement

This order takes effect on 1 July 2023.

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 2023 is declared to be \$459 000.

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Notified in the *Gazette* on 7 June 2023.

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 \$459 000 to be the maximum amount of damages for non-economic loss that may be awarded from 1 July 2023 in defamation proceedings.