

UTR6.220 - THE HECTOR MACLEAN SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Recitals-

- A. Mrs Joan Margaret Dickson of 16 Fairlie Court, South Yarra, Victoria who died on 15 April 2002 bequeathed-

'To the UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE the sum of SIXTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$60,000.00) to be used by such University's Department of Ophthalmology as a scholarship fund for research students such fund to be known as the HECTOR MACLEAN SCHOLARSHIP FUND as a tribute to the work done by Dr Hector Maclean during the years he was resident in Melbourne. If in the opinion of the University Council the specific purpose of the Fund should become impractical to pursue then the Council may use the income of the fund or the fund itself in the best interests of the general research program of the Ophthalmology Department.'

- B. Dr Maclean was appointed First Assistant in the Department in 1976 and subsequently was Associate Professor (Clinical) until he retired in 2003. He had a particular interest in ophthalmological conditions causing visual impairment and blindness in children and a strong interest in both undergraduate and postgraduate education in ophthalmology. The donor's husband, Mr Noel Dickson, arranged for the benefaction after being a patient in a clinical trial in the 1970s.
- C. The University received the sum of \$60,000 in satisfaction of the bequest on 14 October 2002.

It is provided as follows-

1. The sum of \$60,000 and any accumulations and additions to the sum forms a fund called 'The Hector Maclean Scholarship Fund' ('the fund') and the fund must be paid into an investment pool and remain there until Council directs otherwise.
2. The net annual income of the fund is to be applied to providing the Hector Maclean Scholarship. More than one scholarship may be awarded.
3. The scholarship is to be open to award to a research student in the department of Ophthalmology ('the department').
4. The scholarship is to be open for award annually by Council on the recommendation of the dean of the faculty of Medicine, Dentistry and Health Sciences ('the dean') who before making any recommendation concerning the scholarships must consult the head of the department.
5. The value of the scholarship is to be determined by Council on the recommendation of the dean provided that no more than the net annual income may be expended in any year.
6. If at any time it becomes impracticable or impossible to carry out the purposes for which the fund is established, Council on the recommendation of the department may apply the income or the capital of the fund towards the department's research program.