

Overhaul of the Australian Foreign Investment Regime: A Summary

Annexure 2 – Fees

Entity or business

Action type	Fee payable
Acquiring an interest in securities in an entity or business or a direct interest in an agribusiness.	AUD25,000 if consideration is AUD1,000 million or less
Foreign government investor acquiring a direct interest in securities in an entity or business	Otherwise: AUD100,000

Mining, production or exploration tenements

Action type	Fee payable
Acquiring an interest in a mining or production tenement (excluding where vendor is an Australian government body)	AUD25,000
Foreign government investor acquiring an interest in a mining, production or exploration tenement	AUD10,000
Foreign government investor acquiring an interest of at least 10% of securities in a mining, production or exploration entity	AUD10,000

Commercial land

Action type	Fee payable
Acquiring an interest in commercial land that is not vacant	AUD25,000
Acquiring an interest in commercial land that is vacant	AUD10,000

Residential and agricultural land

Action type	Fee payable
Acquiring an interest in residential or agricultural land	<p>AUD5,000 for where the price is less than AUD1 million</p> <p>AUD10,000 where the price is AUD1 million – AUD2 million</p> <p>AUD20,000 where the price is AUD2 million - AUD3 million</p> <p>Extra AUD10,000 per additional price increments of AUD1 million up to a maximum of AUD100,000</p>

Exemption certificates

Action type	Fee payable
Applying for an exemption certificate in relation to a program to acquire interests in Australian land	AUD25,000 if consideration is AUD1,000 million or less Otherwise: AUD100,000
Applying for an exemption certificate to acquire securities through underwriting	AUD25,000
Applying for an exemption certificate to acquire certain interests in tenements or interest in securities in mining, production or exploration entities (if not otherwise interests in Australian land)	AUD25,000

Other fee rules

Action type	Fee payable
Internal re-organisations	AUD10,000
Variation of an exemption certificate	AUD5,000
Variation of a no objection notification	AUD5,000 if for an acquisition of an interest in Australian land. Otherwise: AUD10,000
Voluntary notifications	The same fee that would be payable for a notifiable action of the same acquisition type.