

## **Totalizator Agency Board Privatisation Amendment Bill 2002**

### **Explanatory note**

This explanatory note relates to this Bill as introduced into Parliament.

#### Overview of Bill

The object of this Bill is to amend the *Totalizator Agency Board Privatisation Act* 1997 and other legislation relating to prohibited shareholding interests in TAB Limited to increase the maximum shareholding interest allowed in TAB Limited from 5% to 10%.

### Outline of provisions

**Clause 1** sets out the name (also called the short title) of the proposed Act.

Clause 2 provides for the commencement of the proposed Act on the date of assent.

**Clause 3** is a formal provision giving effect to the amendments to the Acts and Regulations set out in Schedule 1.

**Schedule 1.1** amends, in accordance with the object of this Bill, the section of the *Totalizator Act 1997* providing for a prohibited shareholding interest.

**Schedule 1.2** [1] is a consequential amendment to the objects provision of the *Totalizator Agency Board Privatisation Act 1997*.

**Schedule 1.2** [2] amends, in accordance with the object of this Bill, the section of the *Totalizator Agency Board Privatisation Act 1997* providing for a prohibited shareholding interest.

**Schedule 1.2 [3] and [4]** provide that the regulations under the *Totalizator Agency Board Privatisation Act 1997* may contain provisions of a savings or transitional nature consequent on the enactment of the proposed Act.

**Schedule 1.3 and 1.4** make consequential amendments to the *Totalizator Regulation 1998* and the *Totalizator Agency Board Privatisation Regulation 1998* to omit redundant clauses that provide for an exemption from the 5% maximum shareholding interest in circumstances arising from a past share buy-back.



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#### A Bill for

An Act to amend the *Totalizator Agency Board Privatisation Act 1997* and other legislation relating to shareholding interests in TAB Limited; and for other purposes.

The Legislature of New South Wales enacts:		
1	Name of Act	2
	This Act is the <i>Totalizator Agency Board Privatisation Amendment Act</i> 2002.	3
2	Commencement	5
	This Act commences on the date of assent.	$\epsilon$
3	Amendments	7
	The Acts and Regulations specified in Schedule 1 are amended as set out in that Schedule.	8

Sch	edule 1 Amendments	1
	(Section 3)	2
1.1	Totalizator Act 1997 No 45	3
	Section 33 Prohibited shareholding interest	4
	Omit "5%" from section 33 (1). Insert instead "10%".	5
1.2	Totalizator Agency Board Privatisation Act 1997 No 43	6
[1]	Section 3 Objects of Act	7
	Omit "5%" from section 3 (d). Insert instead "10%".	8
[2]	Section 38 Prohibited shareholding interest	9
	Omit "5%" from section 38 (1). Insert instead "10%".	10
[3]	Schedule 5 Savings, transitional and other provisions	11
	Omit clause 1 (1). Insert instead:	12
	(1) The regulations may contain provisions of a savings or transitional nature consequent on the enactment of the following Acts:	13 14 15
	this Act	16
	Totalizator Agency Board Privatisation Amendment Act 2002	17 18
[4]	Schedule 5, clause 1 (2)	19
	Omit "this Act". Insert instead "the Act concerned".	20

1.3	Totalizator Agency Board Privatisation Regulation 1998	1
	Clause 4C Exemption from prohibited shareholding interest provisions—TAB Share Buy-Back: section 36 (7)	2 3
	Omit the clause.	4
1.4	Totalizator Regulation 1998	5
	Clause 4AB Exemption from prohibited shareholding interest provisions—TAB Share Buy-Back: section 31 (7)	6 7
	Omit the clause.	8