



New South Wales

Statute Law (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill (No 2) 2012

Explanatory note

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

Overview of Bill

The objects of this Bill are:

- (a) to make minor amendments to various Acts and a Regulation (Schedule 1), and
- (b) to amend certain other Acts and instruments for the purpose of effecting statute law revision (Schedule 2), and
- (c) to repeal certain Acts and provisions of Acts and instruments (Schedule 3), and
- (d) to make other provisions of a consequential or ancillary nature (Schedule 4).

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.

Clause 3 makes it clear that the explanatory notes contained in the Schedules do not form part of the proposed Act.

Schedule 1 Minor amendments

Schedule 1 makes amendments to the following Acts and Regulation:

Apprenticeship and Traineeship Act 2001 No 80,
Australian Museum Trust Act 1975 No 95,
Biofuels Act 2007 No 23,
Child Protection (Working with Children) Act 2012 No 51,
Children and Young Persons (Care and Protection) Act 1998 No 157,
Crime Commission Act 2012 No 66,
Criminal Procedure Act 1986 No 209,
Election Funding, Expenditure and Disclosures Act 1981 No 78,
Independent Commission Against Corruption Act 1988 No 35,
Library Act 1939 No 40,
Local Government Act 1993 No 30,
Museum of Applied Arts and Sciences Act 1945 No 31,
Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Regulation 2008,
Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act 1979 No 200,
Public Finance and Audit Act 1983 No 152,
Racing Administration Act 1998 No 114,
Residential Tenancies Act 2010 No 42,
Security Industry Act 1997 No 157,
Special Commissions of Inquiry Act 1983 No 90,
State Emergency Service Act 1989 No 164,
Sydney Opera House Trust Act 1961 No 9,
Travel Agents Act 1986 No 5,
Universities Governing Bodies Act 2011 No 51,
Water Management Act 2000 No 92.

The amendments to each Act and Regulation are explained in detail in the explanatory note set out in Schedule 1 that relates to the Act or Regulation concerned.

Schedule 2 Amendments by way of statute law revision

Schedule 2 amends certain Acts and instruments for the purpose of effecting statute law revision.

The amendments to each Act and instrument are explained in detail in the explanatory note set out in Schedule 2 that relates to the Act or instrument concerned.

Schedule 3 Repeals

Schedule 3 repeals a number of Acts and provisions of Acts and instruments, and restores an Act that was previously repealed.

Clause 1 repeals redundant Acts and redundant provisions of an instrument.

Clause 2 repeals provisions of Acts, and instruments, that contain commenced amendments to other Acts and instruments or commenced repeals.

Clause 3 restores the *Law Courts Limited Act 1977*, which was repealed in 2011 but which has some ongoing application.

Schedule 4 General savings, transitional and other provisions

Schedule 4 contains savings, transitional and other provisions of a more general effect than those set out in Schedule 1.

The purpose of each provision is explained in detail in the explanatory note set out in Schedule 4 that relates to the provision concerned.