Public Sector Restructure (Miscellaneous Acts Amendments) Bill 2009

Explanatory note

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

Overview of Bill

The object of this Bill is to amend various Acts as a consequence of the *Public Sector Employment and Management (Departmental Amalgamations) Order 2009* (which commenced on 1 July 2009) and to implement further administrative reforms in relation to the public sector. Most of the amendments made by this Act either update references to various Divisions of the Government Service (or to positions in the Government Service) as a consequence of the amalgamations effected by that Order (*the departmental amalgamations order*) or rationalise the way in which certain Acts are administered as a result of those amalgamations.

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 the explanatory notes contained in the Schedules to the proposed Act do not form part of the Act.

Schedules 1–40 make amendments to the following Acts and instrument:

Aboriginal Housing Act 1998 No 47

Children and Young Persons (Care and Protection) Act 1998 No 157

Children Legislation Amendment (Wood Inquiry Recommendations) Act 2009 No 13

Community Relations Commission and Principles of Multiculturalism Act 2000 No 77

Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999 No 93

Dairy Industry Act 2000 No 54

Fire Brigades Act 1989 No 192

Food Act 2003 No 43

Housing Act 2001 No 52

Institute of Sport Act 1995 No 52

Internal Audit Bureau Act 1992 No 20

Mental Health (Forensic Provisions) Act 1990 No 10

Motor Accidents Compensation Act 1999 No 41

Motor Accidents (Lifetime Care and Support) Act 2006 No 16

Ombudsman Act 1974 No 68

Parliamentary Precincts Act 1997 No 66

Police Act 1990 No 47

Public Finance and Audit Act 1983 No 152

Public Sector Employment and Management Act 2002 No 43

Public Sector Employment and Management (Departmental Amalgamations) Order 2009

Rural Fires Act 1997 No 65

Rural Fires Amendment Act 2009 No 74

Sporting Venues Authorities Act 2008 No 65

State Emergency Service Act 1989 No 164

State Property Authority Act 2006 No 40

Sydney Olympic Park Authority Act 2001 No 57

Teacher Housing Authority Act 1975 No 27

Western Sydney Parklands Act 2006 No 92

Workers Compensation Act 1987 No 70

Workplace Injury Management and Workers Compensation Act 1998 No 86

Young Offenders Act 1997 No 54

Youth Advisory Council Act 1989 No 39

The amendments are explained in the explanatory note appearing at the end of the relevant Schedule relating to the Act or instrument concerned.