

**Motor Accidents Compensation
Further Amendment (Terrorism) Bill
2002**

Explanatory note

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

Overview of Bill

The object of this Bill to extend for 12 months until 1 January 2004 the temporary exclusion of acts of terrorism from compulsory third-party insurance coverage provided under the *Motor Accidents Compensation Act 1999*.

Outline of provisions

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

Clause 2 provides that the proposed Act commences on the date of assent.

Clause 3 gives effect to the Overview above by omitting the references to “1 January 2003” from sections 15A (3) and 35A (3) of the *Motor Accidents Compensation Act 1999* (being the current expiry date for the temporary exclusion of acts of terrorism from compulsory third-party insurance coverage provided under that Act) and replacing those references with “1 January 2004”.