



New South Wales

Statute Law (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill 2026

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This PUBLIC BILL, originated in the LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY and, having this day passed, is now ready for presentation to the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL for its concurrence.

Legislative Assembly

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly



New South Wales

Statute Law (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill 2026

No. _____, 2026

A Bill for

An Act to amend certain Acts and instruments in various respects and for the purpose of effecting statute law revision; and to make certain savings.

EXAMINED

Speaker

The LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL has this day agreed to this Bill with/without amendment.

Legislative Council

Clerk of the Parliaments

The Legislature of New South Wales enacts—	1
1 Name of Act	2
This Act is the <i>Statute Law (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 2026</i> .	3
2 Commencement	4
This Act commences, or is taken to have commenced, as follows—	5
(a) for Schedule 1.8—on the commencement of the <i>Heavy Vehicle National Law Amendment Act 2025</i> of Queensland, section 41,	6 7
(b) for Schedule 2.148—on the commencement of the <i>Surveillance Devices Amendment (Public Interest Exceptions) Act 2026</i> , Schedule 1[3],	8 9
(c) for Schedule 2.166—on the commencement of the <i>Workers Compensation Legislation Amendment (Firefighters) Act 2025</i> , Schedule 2[5],	10 11
(d) otherwise—on the date of assent to this Act.	12
3 Explanatory notes	13
The matter appearing under the heading “Explanatory note” in the schedules of this Act does not form part of this Act.	14 15

Schedule 1	Minor amendments	1
1.1	Bail Act 2013 No 26	2
	Section 43 Police power to make bail decision	3
	Omit section 43(1B).	4
	Insert instead—	5
	(1B) A police officer of or above the rank of sergeant at a mental health facility, within the meaning of the <i>Mental Health Act 2007</i> , may, despite subsection (3), make a bail decision for an offence if the person accused of the offence—	6
	(a) is detained in the mental health facility for assessment under the <i>Mental Health and Cognitive Impairment Forensic Provisions Act 2020</i> , section 19(a) or (b), and	7
	(b) has been found, as a result of the assessment, not to be a mentally ill person or mentally disordered person.	8
	Explanatory note	9
	The proposed amendment removes references to repealed provisions of the <i>Mental Health and Cognitive Impairment Forensic Provisions Act 2020</i> .	10
1.2	Community Land Management Act 2021 No 7	11
[1]	Section 90 Interest, discounts on contributions and payment plans	12
	Omit “general” from section 90(3).	13
[2]	Section 90(7)	14
	Insert “or the association committee” after “the association” in section 90(7)(h).	15
	Explanatory note	16
	Item [1] of the proposed amendment provides that a community association, precinct association or neighbourhood association may, by resolution at all meetings, determine, either generally or in a particular case, that a contribution that must be paid under the <i>Community Land Management Act 2021</i> , Part 5, Division 2 bears no interest.	17
	Item [2] of the proposed amendment provides that the regulations may also prescribe requirements for association committees to give written reasons to an owner on refusing the owner’s request to enter into a payment plan for the payment of overdue contributions required to be paid under the <i>Community Land Management Act 2021</i> , Part 5, Division 2.	18
1.3	Community Services (Complaints, Reviews and Monitoring) Act 1993 No 2	19
[1]	Section 37 Notification to Ombudsman of reviewable deaths	20
	Omit “Chief Executive of ADHC” from section 37(2).	21
	Insert instead “Secretary of the Department of Communities and Justice”.	22
[2]	Section 37(2)	23
	Omit “the Chief Executive”.	24
	Insert instead “the Secretary”.	25
[3]	Section 37(4)	26
	Omit the subsection.	27

(ii) allowing another person to use the person’s licence, or	1
(iii) using another person’s licence.	2
Explanatory note	3
Items [4] and [5] of the proposed amendments allow regulations to provide for the production, keeping and use of licences issued under the <i>Driving Instructors Act 1992</i> . Items [1]–[3] make consequential amendments.	4 5 6
1.7 First Home Owner Grant and Shared Equity Act 2000 No 21	7
Section 19 Payment of grant	8
Omit “, by cheque” from section 19(1).	9
Explanatory note	10
The proposed amendment removes the option for a first home owner grant to be paid by cheque.	11
1.8 Heavy Vehicle (Adoption of National Law) Act 2013 No 42	12
Section 27F Section 10 of Crimes (Sentencing Procedure) Act 1999 not applicable in certain circumstances	13 14
Omit “(Vehicle operations—driver fatigue)” from section 27F(2)(c).	15
Insert instead “(Vehicle operations—driver fatigue and fitness to drive)”.	16
Commencement	17
The proposed amendment to the <i>Heavy Vehicle (Adoption of National Law) Act 2013</i> commences on the commencement of the <i>Heavy Vehicle National Law Amendment Act 2025</i> of Queensland, section 41.	18 19 20
Explanatory note	21
The proposed amendment updates a reference to the <i>Heavy Vehicle National Law (NSW)</i> , Chapter 6 to reflect an amendment to the Heavy Vehicle National Law, set out in the Schedule to the <i>Heavy Vehicle National Law Act 2012</i> of Queensland, made by the <i>Heavy Vehicle National Law Amendment Act 2025</i> of Queensland.	22 23 24 25
1.9 Land and Environment Court Act 1979 No 204	26
Section 12 Commissioners	27
Omit section 12(2)(g).	28
Insert instead—	29
(g) suitable knowledge of matters concerning land rights for Aboriginal persons and qualifications and experience suitable for the determination of disputes involving Aboriginal persons, or	30 31 32
Explanatory note	33
The proposed amendment updates outdated references to Aboriginal persons.	34
1.10 Land Tax Management Act 1956 No 26	35
Section 14 Assessments to be made	36
Omit “Commissioner’s” from section 14(1).	37
Insert instead “Chief Commissioner’s”.	38
Explanatory note	39
The proposed amendment corrects a reference to the Chief Commissioner of State Revenue to ensure consistent usage with the <i>Taxation Administration Act 1996</i> . The Chief Commissioner of State Revenue and Commissioner of State Revenue are established as separate roles under that Act, sections 60 and 64.	40 41 42 43

1.11 Law Enforcement (Controlled Operations) Act 1997 No 136	1
[1] Section 3 Definitions	2
Omit section 3(1), definition of <i>law enforcement agency</i> , paragraph (e)(ii) and (iii).	3
Insert instead—	4
(ii) the Australian Criminal Intelligence Commission,	5
(iii) the Department of Home Affairs.	6
[2] Section 29 Delegations	7
Omit “the Australian Crime Commission” from section 29(5).	8
Insert instead “the Australian Criminal Intelligence Commission”.	9
Explanatory note	10
Item [1] amends the definition of <i>law enforcement agency</i> to reflect machinery of government changes made by the Commonwealth. Item [2] makes a consequential amendment.	11 12
1.12 Paintball Amendment Act 2023 No 31	13
Schedule 2 Amendment of Paintball Regulation 2019	14
Omit the schedule.	15
Explanatory note	16
The proposed amendment omits a redundant amendment of the <i>Paintball Regulation 2019</i> providing that offences against the <i>Paintball Act 2018</i> , sections 36A and 36B are penalty notice offences. The <i>Paintball Regulation 2019</i> was replaced by the <i>Paintball Regulation 2024</i> , which provides that offences against the <i>Paintball Act 2018</i> , sections 36A and 36B are penalty notice offences.	17 18 19 20
1.13 Police Act 1990 No 47	21
Section 134 Application of Division	22
Omit “Part 8 of the <i>Government Sector Employment Rules 2014</i> ” from the note.	23
Insert instead “the <i>Government Sector Employment (NSW Police Force) Rules 2017</i> , Part 6”.	24 25
Explanatory note	26
The proposed amendment updates a reference to make it clear that the <i>Government Sector Employment (NSW Police Force) Rules 2017</i> provide for the procedural requirements for dealing with misconduct by NSW Police Force administrative employees.	27 28 29
1.14 Railway Construction (Maldon to Port Kembla) Act 1983 No 112	30
Section 6 Application of other Acts	31
Omit section 6(2).	32
Insert instead—	33
(2) The <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> , Part 5 applies to an act, matter or thing done or intended to be done under this Act that is—	34 35
(a) the use of land, or	36
(b) the subdivision of land, or	37
(c) the erection of a building.	38
(3) For subsection (2), the Authority is the determining authority within the meaning of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> , Division 5.1.	39 40 41

Explanatory note	1
The proposed amendment restructures the provision to omit an outdated cross-reference and improve clarity.	2 3
1.15 Roads Act 1993 No 33	4
Section 139 Nature of consent	5
Omit “section 91 of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> , is subject to Division 5 of Part 4 of that Act” from section 139(1)(c1).	6 7
Insert instead “the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> , section 4.46, is subject to that Act, Division 4.8”.	8 9
Explanatory note	10
The proposed amendment updates references to the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> .	11 12
1.16 Strata Schemes Management Act 2015 No 50	13
Section 4 Definitions	14
Omit section 4(1), definition of <i>Secretary</i> .	15
Insert instead—	16
<i>Secretary</i> means the Secretary of the Department.	17
Explanatory note	18
The proposed amendment removes the Commissioner of Fair Trading from the definition of Secretary and amends the definition to mean only the Secretary of the Department of Customer Service.	19 20 21
1.17 Subordinate Legislation Act 1989 No 146	22
Schedule 5 Further postponement of repeal of statutory rules	23
Insert after clause 5—	24
6 Postponement of repeal of statutory rules until 1 September 2027	25
The following statutory rules remain in force until 1 September 2027, unless sooner repealed—	26 27
(a) <i>Adoption Regulation 2015</i> ,	28
(b) <i>Air Transport Regulation 2016</i> ,	29
(c) <i>Boarding Houses Regulation 2013</i> ,	30
(d) <i>Child Protection (Working with Children) Regulation 2013</i> ,	31
(e) <i>Children (Detention Centres) Regulation 2015</i> ,	32
(f) <i>Combat Sports Regulation 2014</i> ,	33
(g) <i>Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Regulation 2014</i> ,	34
(h) <i>Funeral Funds Regulation 2016</i> ,	35
(i) <i>Government Sector Employment Regulation 2014</i> ,	36
(j) <i>Heritage Regulation 2012</i> ,	37
(k) <i>Home Building Regulation 2014</i> ,	38
(l) <i>Law Enforcement (Powers and Responsibilities) Regulation 2016</i> ,	39
(m) <i>Lobbying of Government Officials (Lobbyists Code of Conduct) Regulation 2014</i> ,	40 41

(n)	<i>Lord Howe Island Regulation 2014,</i>	1
(o)	<i>Marine Safety Regulation 2016,</i>	2
(p)	<i>Mining Regulation 2016,</i>	3
(q)	<i>Passenger Transport Regulation 2014,</i>	4
(r)	<i>Petroleum (Offshore) Regulation 2016,</i>	5
(s)	<i>Petroleum (Onshore) Regulation 2016,</i>	6
(t)	<i>Protection of the Environment Operations (Waste) Regulation 2014,</i>	7
(u)	<i>Residential (Land Lease) Communities Regulation 2015,</i>	8
(v)	<i>Smoke-free Environment Regulation 2016,</i>	9
(w)	<i>Strata Schemes Management Regulation 2016,</i>	10
(x)	<i>Veterinary Practice Regulation 2013,</i>	11
(y)	<i>Workers Compensation Regulation 2016.</i>	12

Explanatory note

The proposed amendment postpones the date on which several regulations are automatically repealed by the *Subordinate Legislation Act 1989*. As the automatic repeal of each regulation has been postponed at least 5 times, the regulations cannot be further postponed by order under the *Subordinate Legislation Act 1989*, section 11.

The regulations are currently due to be repealed on 1 September 2026 but continue to be required. The repeals are proposed to be further postponed for the following reasons—

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| (a) | The Department of Communities and Justice is undertaking a review of the out-of-home care system, which may identify potential amendments to the <i>Adoption Act 2000</i> . It is therefore considered premature to remake the <i>Adoption Regulation 2015</i> . | 20
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| (b) | Transport for NSW is undertaking a review of bus industry policy to identify potential amendments to the <i>Passenger Transport Act 2014</i> (the PT Act). The potential amendments may impact the in-force status of the <i>Air Transport Act 1964</i> , which is due to be repealed on the commencement of the PT Act, section 179. As the <i>Air Transport Regulation 2016</i> will also be repealed at that time, it is considered premature to remake the regulation. | 23
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| (c) | A Bill is being prepared to repeal and replace the <i>Boarding Houses Act 2012</i> . It is therefore considered premature to remake the <i>Boarding Houses Regulation 2013</i> because the regulation is required until the new Act and accompanying regulation commence. | 28
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| (d) | The Office of the Children's Guardian is undertaking a review of the <i>Child Protection (Working with Children) Act 2012</i> , with a discussion paper released for public consultation at the end of 2025. The Standing Council of Attorneys-General has also agreed to review the national approach to Working With Children Checks. It is therefore considered premature to remake the <i>Child Protection (Working with Children) Regulation 2013</i> prior to the consideration of reforms at both national and State level. | 31
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| (e) | The remake of the <i>Children (Detention Centres) Regulation 2015</i> is underway and the postponement of the repeal is required due to the length and complexity of the regulation and the <i>Children (Detention Centres) Act 1987</i> . | 37
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| (f) | The remake of the <i>Combat Sports Regulation 2014</i> is underway and the postponement of the repeal is required to provide sufficient time to remake the regulation following the commencement of substantial reforms to the <i>Combat Sports Act 2013</i> . | 40
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| (g) | A Bill is being prepared to amend the regulation-making powers in the <i>Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999</i> . It is therefore considered premature to remake the <i>Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Regulation 2014</i> . | 43
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| (h) | The Department of Customer Service is planning to review the <i>Funeral Funds Act 1979</i> in 2026. It is therefore considered premature to remake the <i>Funeral Funds Regulation 2016</i> before any legislative amendments arising from the review are made. | 46
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| (i) | The Cabinet Office is undertaking a review of the <i>Government Sector Employment Act 2013</i> . It is therefore considered premature to remake the <i>Government Sector Employment Regulation 2014</i> before any legislative amendments arising from the review are made. | 49
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| (j) | NSW Environment and Heritage is undertaking a review of the <i>Heritage Act 1977</i> . It is therefore considered premature to remake the <i>Heritage Regulation 2012</i> before any legislative amendments arising from the review are made. | 52
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(k)	The Building Commission NSW intends to progress legislative amendments to certain building legislation in 2026, including the <i>Home Building Regulation 2014</i> . It is therefore considered premature to remake the regulation before any legislative changes are made.	1 2 3
(l)	The remake of the <i>Law Enforcement (Powers and Responsibilities) Regulation 2016</i> is underway and the postponement of the repeal is required due to the length and complexity of the regulation and the <i>Law Enforcement (Powers and Responsibilities) Act 2002</i> .	4 5 6
(m)	The recommendations made by ICAC in Operation Eclipse about the lobbying of government officials continue to be actively considered by the Government. As the remake of the <i>Lobbying of Government Officials (Lobbyists Code of Conduct) Regulation 2014</i> will be progressed as part of this process, it is considered premature to remake the regulation.	7 8 9 10
(n)	The Lord Howe Island Board is undertaking a review of the <i>Lord Howe Island Local Environment Plan 2010</i> and the Board's policies, procedures and delegations to identify potential amendments to the <i>Lord Howe Island Regulation 2014</i> . It is therefore considered premature to remake the regulation.	11 12 13 14
(o)	The remake of the <i>Marine Safety Regulation 2016</i> is underway and the postponement of the repeal is required to provide sufficient time to remake the regulation following the commencement of substantial reforms to the <i>Marine Safety Act 1998</i> .	15 16 17
(p)	The Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development is currently progressing potential legislative amendments to the <i>Mining Act 1992</i> . It is therefore considered premature to remake the <i>Mining Regulation 2016</i> .	18 19 20
(q)	Transport for NSW is undertaking a review of bus industry policy to identify potential amendments to the PT Act. It is therefore considered premature to remake the <i>Passenger Transport Regulation 2014</i> as the regulation may need to be amended or replaced.	21 22 23
(r)	The remakes of the <i>Petroleum (Offshore) Regulation 2016</i> and the <i>Petroleum (Onshore) Regulation 2016</i> are underway and the postponement of the repeal for both regulations is required to ensure that the approach across both regulations is harmonised and consistent.	24 25 26
(s)	The remake of the <i>Protection of the Environment Operations (Waste) Regulation 2014</i> is underway and the postponement of the repeal is required due to the length and complexity of the regulation.	27 28 29
(t)	The Department of Customer Service intends to implement legislative changes arising from a statutory review of the <i>Residential (Land Lease) Communities Act 2013</i> . It is therefore considered premature to remake the <i>Residential (Land Lease) Communities Regulation 2015</i> before the legislative changes are made.	30 31 32 33
(u)	The Ministry of Health is undertaking tobacco reform work over the next 12 months, which may impact the <i>Smoke-free Environment Act 2000</i> and the <i>Smoke-free Environment Regulation 2016</i> . It is therefore considered premature to remake the regulation.	34 35 36
(v)	The repeal of the <i>Strata Schemes Management Regulation 2016</i> should be postponed due to the length and the complexity of the remake.	37 38
(w)	A Bill is being prepared to amend the <i>Veterinary Practice Act 2003</i> , which will involve the remake of the <i>Veterinary Practice Regulation 2013</i> . It is therefore considered premature to remake the regulation.	39 40 41
(x)	The remake of the <i>Workers Compensation Regulation 2016</i> is underway and the postponement of the repeal is required to provide sufficient time to remake the regulation following the commencement of substantial reforms to the <i>Workers Compensation Act 1987</i> .	42 43 44

1.18 Sydney Harbour Tunnel (Private Joint Venture) Act 1987 No 49	45
[1] Section 17 Limitation of appeals	46
Omit "section 112" from section 17(1)(b).	47
Insert instead "section 5.7".	48
[2] Section 17(1)(d)	49
Omit "section 111".	50
Insert instead "section 5.5".	51
Explanatory note	52
The proposed amendments update references to the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> .	53 54

1.19 Transport Administration Act 1988 No 109	1
[1] Section 99A Closure and disposal of railway lines	2
Omit “Part 5.1” from section 99A(1B).	3
Insert instead “Part 5”.	4
[2] Section 104P Part 5 of EPA Act to apply to development for light rail system	5
Omit “Part 4 of” from section 104P(1), definition of <i>development</i> .	6
[3] Section 104P(3), note	7
Omit the note.	8
[4] Section 104P(5)	9
Insert after section 104P(4)—	10
(5) This section is subject to the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> , Part 5.	11 12
[5] Section 124 Acquisition of national park and other park land	13
Omit “Division 4 of” from section 124(8).	14
[6] Section 126, heading	15
Omit the heading.	16
Insert instead—	17
126 Civil Liability Act 2002, Part 4 and EPA Act, section 6.20 not to apply	18
[7] Section 126(1)	19
Omit “Sections 109ZJ and 109ZK of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ”.	20 21
Insert instead “The <i>Civil Liability Act 2002</i> , Part 4 and the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> , section 6.20”.	22 23
[8] Section 126(2)	24
Omit “section 109ZI of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ”.	25
Insert instead “the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> , section 6.19”.	26
[9] Section 127 Order of approval under Heritage Act	27
Omit “Sections 67 and 68 of the <i>Heritage Act 1977</i> ”.	28
Insert instead “The <i>Heritage Act 1977</i> , Parts 4 and 6, Division 8 and section 139”.	29
[10] Section 127	30
Omit “Division 4 of Part 5 of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ”.	31
Insert instead “the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> , Part 5”.	32
Explanatory note	33
The proposed amendments update references to the <i>Civil Liability Act 2002</i> , the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> and the <i>Heritage Act 1977</i> .	34 35

Schedule 2	Statute law revision amendments	1
2.1	Adoption Act 2000 No 75	2
[1]	Dictionary	3
	Omit the definition of <i>Children’s Guardian</i> .	4
[2]	Dictionary, definition of “Court”	5
	Omit “of New South Wales”.	6
	Explanatory note	7
	Item [1] of the proposed amendments omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	8
	Item [2] omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Supreme Court, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	9
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2.2	Ageing and Disability Commissioner Act 2019 No 7	12
	Section 3 Definitions	13
	Omit “council within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i> ” from section 3(1), definition of <i>government sector agency</i> .	14
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	Insert instead “local council”.	16
	Explanatory note	17
	The proposed amendment updates a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	18
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2.3	Barangaroo Act 2009 No 2	20
	Section 29 Transfer of land or management of land of other public authorities	21
	Omit “within the meaning of the <i>State Owned Corporations Act 1989</i> and a subsidiary (within the meaning of that Act)” from section 29(6), definition of <i>public authority</i> , paragraph (b).	22
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	Insert instead “and a subsidiary, within the meaning of the <i>State Owned Corporations Act 1989</i> ”.	25
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	Explanatory note	27
	The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to a State owned corporation, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	28
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2.4	Betting Tax Act 2001 No 43	30
	Section 3 Definitions	31
	Omit “referred to in section 60 of the <i>Taxation Administration Act 1996</i> ” from the definition of <i>Chief Commissioner</i> .	32
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	Explanatory note	34
	The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Chief Commissioner of State Revenue, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	35
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2.5	Biofuels Act 2007 No 23	37
	Section 3 Definitions	38
	Omit section 3(1), definition of <i>IPART</i> .	39

Explanatory note	1
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	2 3
2.6 Biosecurity Act 2015 No 24	4
Section 7 General definitions	5
Omit “within the meaning of the <i>State Owned Corporations Act 1989</i> ” from the definition of <i>government agency</i> , paragraph (c).	6 7
Explanatory note	8
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to a State owned corporation, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	9 10
2.7 Boarding Houses Act 2012 No 74	11
[1] Whole Act, except as otherwise amended by this subschedule	12
Insert “local” before “council” wherever occurring.	13
[2] Section 4 Definitions	14
Omit section 4(1), definition of <i>council</i> .	15
[3] Section 26 Relationship with other Acts	16
Insert “local” before “councils”.	17
Explanatory note	18
The proposed amendments update references to a council with references to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	19 20
2.8 Building and Development Certifiers Act 2018 No 63	21
Section 44 Knowingly issuing a false certificate	22
Omit section 44(1)(a).	23
Insert instead—	24
(a) a complying development certificate or a certificate referred to in the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> , section 6.4,	25 26
Explanatory note	27
The proposed amendment omits text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	28 29
2.9 Charitable Trusts Act 1993 No 10	30
Section 3 Definitions	31
Omit “of New South Wales” from the definition of <i>Court</i> .	32
Explanatory note	33
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Supreme Court, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	34 35
2.10 Child Protection (International Measures) Act 2006 No 12	36
Section 5 Definitions	37
Omit section 5(1), definition of <i>Children’s Court</i> .	38

Explanatory note	1
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	2 3
2.11 Child Protection (Offenders Registration) Act 2000 No 42	4
Section 2B Definitions	5
Omit “Magistrate” from section 2B(1), definition of <i>court</i> .	6
Insert instead “Judge of the Local Court”.	7
Explanatory note	8
The proposed amendment updates terminology consequent on the enactment of the <i>Local Court and Bail Legislation Amendment Act 2025</i> .	9 10
2.12 Childcare and Economic Opportunity Fund Act 2022 No 54	11
Section 5 Preparation of independent reports	12
Omit “The Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal of New South Wales” from section 5(6).	13 14
Insert instead “The Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal”.	15
Explanatory note	16
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	17 18
2.13 Children and Young Persons (Care and Protection) Act 1998 No 157	19
Section 3 Definitions	20
Omit section 3(1), definitions of <i>Children’s Court</i> and <i>Children’s Guardian</i> .	21
Explanatory note	22
The proposed amendment omits redundant definitions that are provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	23 24
2.14 Children (Community Service Orders) Act 1987 No 56	25
Section 3 Definitions	26
Omit section 3(1), definition of <i>Children’s Court</i> .	27
Explanatory note	28
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	29 30
2.15 Children (Criminal Proceedings) Act 1987 No 55	31
Section 3 Definitions	32
Omit section 3(1), definition of <i>Children’s Court</i> .	33
Explanatory note	34
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	35 36
2.16 Children (Detention Centres) Act 1987 No 57	37
Section 3 Definitions	38
Omit section 3(1), definition of <i>Children’s Court</i> .	39

Explanatory note	1
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	2 3
2.17 Children’s Guardian Act 2019 No 25	4
[1] Section 27 Who must give report of reportable allegation or conviction	5
Omit “,” from section 27(2).	6
Insert instead “,”.	7
[2] Section 57 Disclosure of information	8
Omit “within the meaning of the <i>Health Services Act 1997</i> ” from section 57(8), definition of <i>public health entity</i> , paragraph (e).	9 10
[3] Section 114 Restriction on inspection of records	11
Omit “of New South Wales” from section 114(3), definition of <i>Court</i> .	12
[4] Schedule 1 Entities	13
Omit “within the meaning of the <i>Health Services Act 1997</i> ” from item 11.	14
[5] Schedule 6 Dictionary	15
Omit the definitions of <i>Children’s Court</i> and <i>Commissioner of Police</i> .	16
Explanatory note	17
Item [1] of the proposed amendments corrects a punctuation error.	18
Items [2] and [4] omit redundant text in relation to references to the Ambulance Service of NSW, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	19 20
Item [3] omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Supreme Court, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	21 22
Item [5] omits redundant definitions that are provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	23
2.18 Civil Procedure Act 2005 No 28	24
Schedule 1 Application of Act	25
Omit “Commission in Court Session (the Industrial Court)” from the table.	26
Insert instead “Industrial Court”.	27
Explanatory note	28
The proposed amendment updates a reference to the Industrial Court, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	29 30
2.19 Coal Mine Subsidence Compensation Act 2017 No 37	31
Section 27 Emergency, urgent and temporary actions	32
Omit “council within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i> ” from section 27(7), definition of <i>public authority</i> , paragraph (f).	33 34
Insert instead “local council”.	35
Explanatory note	36
The proposed amendment updates a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	37 38

2.20 Community Land Development Act 2021 No 6	1
[1] Section 47 Planning approval	2
Omit section 47(3)(a).	3
Insert instead—	4
(a) for a development consent—as a condition of the development consent authorised by, and imposed under, the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> , section 4.17, or	5 6 7
[2] Dictionary	8
Omit the definition of <i>planning approval</i> .	9
Insert instead—	10
<i>planning approval</i> means—	11
(a) a development consent, or	12
(b) an approval under the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> , Division 5.2.	13 14
Explanatory note	15
The proposed amendments omit text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	16 17
2.21 Community Land Management Act 2021 No 7	18
Dictionary	19
Omit the definition of <i>planning approval</i> .	20
Insert instead—	21
<i>planning approval</i> means—	22
(a) a development consent, or	23
(b) an approval under the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> , Division 5.2.	24 25
Explanatory note	26
The proposed amendment omits text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	27 28
2.22 Contaminated Land Management Act 1997 No 140	29
[1] Section 4 Definitions	30
Omit section 4(1), definition of <i>local authority</i> , paragraph (a).	31
Insert instead—	32
(a) the local council in relation to an area within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i> , or	33 34
[2] Section 4(1), definition of “planning approval”, paragraph (a)	35
Omit “under the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> , Part 4”.	36
Explanatory note	37
Item [1] of the proposed amendments updates a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	38 39
Item [2] omits text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	40 41

2.23 Conversion Practices Ban Act 2024 No 19	1
[1] Schedule 2 Dictionary	2
Omit “under the <i>Anti-Discrimination Act 1977</i> ” from the definition of Board .	3
[2] Schedule 2, definition of “President”	4
Omit “under the <i>Anti-Discrimination Act 1977</i> ”.	5
Explanatory note	6
The proposed amendments omit redundant text in relation to references to the Anti-Discrimination Board, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	7
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2.24 Conveyancers Licensing Act 2003 No 3	9
Section 3 Definitions	10
Omit the definition of <i>public holiday</i> .	11
Explanatory note	12
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	13
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2.25 Conveyancing Act 1919 No 6	15
[1] Sections 23H and 23J	16
Omit “under the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” wherever occurring.	17
[2] Section 196C Definitions	18
Omit the definition of <i>development consent</i> .	19
Explanatory note	20
The proposed amendments omit text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	21
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2.26 Co-operative Housing and Starr-Bowkett Societies Act 1998 No 11	23
Schedule 1 General interpretative provisions	24
Omit clause 13(1), definition of <i>public holiday</i> .	25
Explanatory note	26
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	27
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2.27 Coroners Act 2009 No 41	29
Section 68 Manner of service of subpoena	30
Omit “council within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i> ” from section 68(5), definition of public officer , paragraph (c).	31
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Insert instead “local council”.	33
Explanatory note	34
The proposed amendment updates a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	35
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2.28 Crimes Act 1900 No 40	1
Section 525 Stealing or damaging books and other things in public library and other places	2
Omit “council (within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i>)”.	3
Insert instead “local council”.	4
Explanatory note	5
The proposed amendment updates a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	6
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2.29 Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999 No 93	9
Section 3 Interpretation	10
Omit section 3(1), definition of <i>Drug Court</i> .	11
Explanatory note	12
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	13
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2.30 Crimes (Sentencing Procedure) Act 1999 No 92	15
Section 3 Interpretation	16
Omit section 3(1), definition of <i>Drug Court</i> .	17
Explanatory note	18
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	19
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2.31 Criminal Procedure Act 1986 No 209	21
Section 3 Definitions	22
Omit “council within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i> ” from section 3(1), definition of <i>public officer</i> , paragraph (c).	23
Insert instead “local council”.	24
Explanatory note	25
The proposed amendment updates a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	26
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2.32 Dams Safety Act 2015 No 26	29
[1] Section 4 Definitions	30
Omit “(or any of its subsidiaries) within the meaning of the <i>State Owned Corporations Act 1989</i> ” from section 4(1), definition of <i>public authority</i> , paragraph (d).	31
Insert instead “or a subsidiary within the meaning of the <i>State Owned Corporations Act 1989</i> ”.	32
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[2] Section 48 Mining in notification areas—requirement for consent authorities to consult with Dams Safety NSW	35
Omit “, <i>development consent</i> ” from section 48(6).	36
Explanatory note	37
Item [1] of the proposed amendments omits redundant text in relation to a reference to a State owned corporation, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	38
Item [2] omits a definition made redundant by a definition inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	39
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2.33 Defamation Act 2005 No 77	1
[1] Schedule 1 Additional publications to which absolute privilege applies	2
Omit “constituted under the <i>Anti-Discrimination Act 1977</i> ” from clause 9(1)(b).	3
[2] Schedule 1, clause 9(2)(a)	4
Omit “constituted under that Act”.	5
Explanatory note	6
The proposed amendments omit redundant text in relation to references to the Anti-Discrimination Board, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	7
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2.34 Design and Building Practitioners Act 2020 No 7	9
Section 26 Requirements for compliance declarations before issue of building certificates	10
	11
Omit section 26(a).	12
Insert instead—	13
(a) a complying development certificate or a certificate under the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> , Part 6,	14
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Explanatory note	16
The proposed amendment omits text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	17
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2.35 Digital Restart Fund Act 2020 No 15	19
Section 3 Definitions	20
Omit “within the meaning of the <i>State Owned Corporations Act 1989</i> ” from section 3(1), definition of <i>government agency</i> , paragraph (c).	21
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Explanatory note	23
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to a State owned corporation, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	24
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2.36 Drug Misuse and Trafficking Act 1985 No 226	26
Section 36Q Application of Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979	27
Omit “under the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” from section 36Q(1).	28
Explanatory note	29
The proposed amendment omits text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	30
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2.37 Dust Diseases Tribunal Act 1989 No 63	32
Section 3 Definitions	33
Omit section 3(1), definition of <i>District Court</i> .	34
Explanatory note	35
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	36
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2.38 Duties Act 1997 No 123	1
Dictionary	2
Omit “under the <i>Taxation Administration Act 1996</i> ” from clause 1, definition of Chief Commissioner .	3
Explanatory note	4
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Chief Commissioner of State Revenue, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	5
2.39 Electoral Act 2017 No 66	8
[1] Section 4 Definitions	9
Omit section 4(1), definition of Surveyor-General .	10
[2] Section 45 Persons who are to provide information	11
Omit “council within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i> ” from section 45(1)(c).	12
Insert instead “local council”.	13
[3] Section 119 Appointment of scrutineers	14
Omit “in in” from section 119(10).	15
Insert instead “in”.	16
Explanatory note	17
Item [1] of the proposed amendments omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	18
Item [2] updates a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	19
Item [3] omits a duplicated word.	20
2.40 Electricity Generator Assets (Authorised Transactions) Act 2012 No 35	21
Schedule 1 Interpretative provisions	22
Omit “within the meaning of the <i>State Owned Corporations Act 1989</i> ” from clause 1, definition of SOC .	23
Explanatory note	24
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to a State owned corporation, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	25
2.41 Electricity Infrastructure Investment Act 2020 No 44	26
[1] Section 29 Orders prohibiting connection to network infrastructure	27
Omit “under the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” from section 29(5).	28
[2] Dictionary	29
Omit “established under the <i>Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal Act 1992</i> ” from the definition of Tribunal .	30
Explanatory note	31
Item [1] of the proposed amendments omits text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	32
Item [2] omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	33

2.42 Electricity Network Assets (Authorised Transactions) Act 2015 No 5	1
Schedule 1 Interpretative provisions	2
Omit “within the meaning of the <i>State Owned Corporations Act 1989</i> ” from clause 1, definition of <i>SOC</i> .	3 4
Explanatory note	5
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to a State owned corporation, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	6 7
2.43 Electricity Supply Act 1995 No 94	8
Dictionary	9
Omit “established under the <i>Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal Act 1992</i> ” from the definition of <i>Tribunal</i> .	10 11
Explanatory note	12
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	13 14
2.44 Emergency Services Levy Act 2017 No 32	15
Section 3 Definitions	16
Omit “under the <i>Taxation Administration Act 1996</i> ” from section 3(1), definition of <i>Chief Commissioner</i> .	17 18
Explanatory note	19
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Chief Commissioner of State Revenue, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	20 21
2.45 Emergency Services Levy Insurance Monitor Act 2024 No 33	22
[1] Schedule 2 Dictionary	23
Omit “under the <i>Taxation Administration Act 1996</i> ” from the definition of <i>Chief Commissioner</i> .	24 25
[2] Schedule 2, definition of “IPART”	26
Omit the definition.	27
Explanatory note	28
Item [1] of the proposed amendments omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Chief Commissioner of State Revenue, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	29 30
Item [2] omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	31
2.46 Energy and Utilities Administration Act 1987 No 103	32
Section 3 Definitions	33
Omit “(including any subsidiary of a State owned corporation) within the meaning of the <i>State Owned Corporations Act 1989</i> ” from section 3(1), definition of <i>State agency</i> , paragraph (d).	34 35 36
Insert instead “, including a subsidiary of a State owned corporation within the meaning of the <i>State Owned Corporations Act 1989</i> ”.	37 38
Explanatory note	39
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to a State owned corporation, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	40 41

2.47 Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 No 203	1
Section 4.13 Notification, consultation and concurrence	2
Omit “to obtain” from section 4.13(1).	3
Insert instead “obtain”.	4
Explanatory note	5
The proposed amendment corrects a minor grammatical error.	6
2.48 Eraring Power Station Act 1981 No 107	7
Section 3 Interpretation	8
Omit “of New South Wales” from section 3(1), definition of <i>Court</i> .	9
Explanatory note	10
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Supreme Court, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	11
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2.49 Felons (Civil Proceedings) Act 1981 No 84	13
Section 6 Refusal of leave—appeal	14
Omit “(within the meaning of the <i>Supreme Court Act 1970</i>)” from section 6(2).	15
Explanatory note	16
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Court of Appeal, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	17
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2.50 Filming Approval Act 2004 No 38	19
Section 5 Application of Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 to filming activities in designated areas	20
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Omit “under Part 4 of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” from section 5(1)(a).	22
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Explanatory note	24
The proposed amendment omits text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	25
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2.51 Fire and Emergency Services Levy Act 2017 No 9	27
[1] Whole Act	28
Omit “Council” wherever occurring.	29
Insert instead “Local council”.	30
[2] Whole Act	31
Omit “Councils” wherever occurring.	32
Insert instead “Local councils”.	33
[3] Whole Act, except sections 3 and 129	34
Insert “local” before “council” wherever occurring.	35
[4] Whole Act	36
Insert “local” before “councils” wherever occurring.	37

[5] Whole Act	1
Insert “local” before “council’s” wherever occurring.	2
[6] Section 3 Definitions	3
Omit “under the <i>Taxation Administration Act 1996</i> ” from section 3(1), definition of Chief Commissioner .	4 5
[7] Section 3(1), definition of “council”	6
Omit the definition.	7
[8] Section 3, definition of “State owned corporation”	8
Omit “means a State owned corporation (within the meaning of the <i>State Owned Corporations Act 1989</i>) or a subsidiary of a State owned corporation”.	9 10
Insert instead “includes a subsidiary of a State owned corporation within the meaning of the <i>State Owned Corporations Act 1989</i> ”.	11 12
[9] Schedule 1 Public benefit land	13
Omit “(within the meaning of the <i>State Emergency Service Act 1989</i>)” from item 7(c).	14
Explanatory note	15
Items [1]–[5] and [7] of the proposed amendments update references to a council with references to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	16 17
Item [6] omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Chief Commissioner of State Revenue, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	18 19
Item [8] omits redundant text in relation to a reference to a State owned corporation, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	20 21
Item [9] omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the State Emergency Service, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	22 23
2.52 Fire and Rescue NSW Act 1989 No 192	24
Section 44 Definitions	25
Omit “under the <i>Taxation Administration Act 1996</i> ” from the definition of State Revenue Commissioner .	26 27
Explanatory note	28
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Chief Commissioner of State Revenue, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	29 30
2.53 Firearms Act 1996 No 46	31
Section 75 Administrative reviews by Civil and Administrative Tribunal of certain decisions regarding firearms prohibition orders	32 33
Omit “make a a” from section 75(1).	34
Insert instead “make a”.	35
Explanatory note	36
The proposed amendment omits a duplicated word.	37
2.54 First Home Owner Grant and Shared Equity Act 2000 No 21	38
Section 3 Definitions	39
Omit “referred to in section 60 of the <i>Taxation Administration Act 1996</i> ” from section 3(1), definition of Chief Commissioner .	40 41

Explanatory note	1
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Chief Commissioner of State Revenue, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	2 3
2.55 Fisheries Management Act 1994 No 38	4
[1] Sections 206(1A)(a) and 220ZD(2)(a)	5
Omit “under Part 4 of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> , or an approval to which Part 5 of that Act applies,” wherever occurring.	6 7
Insert instead “or an approval under the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> , Part 5”.	8 9
[2] Section 220ZF Defences	10
Omit “within the meaning of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” from section 220ZF(1)(b)(i).	11 12
[3] Section 220ZF(1)(b)(ii)	13
Omit “of Part 5 of that Act”.	14
Insert instead “of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> , Part 5”.	15
[4] Sections 221ZT(a), 221ZW(1), 221ZY(1)(a) and 221ZZ(1)(a)	16
Omit “under Part 4 of the Planning Act” wherever occurring.	17
[5] Schedule 1AA Environmental assessment of designated fishing activities	18
Omit “under Part 4 of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” wherever occurring in clauses 12(4) and 13(4).	19 20
Explanatory note	21
The proposed amendments omit text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	22 23
2.56 Forestry Act 2012 No 96	24
Section 69W Application of Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979	25
Omit “under Part 4 of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> has no effect during any period that development consent under Part 4 of that Act” from section 69W(4).	26 27
Insert instead “has no effect during any period that development consent”.	28
Explanatory note	29
The proposed amendment omits text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	30 31
2.57 Gaming Machine Tax Act 2001 No 72	32
Section 3 Definitions	33
Omit “referred to in section 60 of the <i>Taxation Administration Act 1996</i> ” from section 3(1), definition of <i>Chief Commissioner</i> .	34 35
Explanatory note	36
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Chief Commissioner of State Revenue, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	37 38

2.58 Gaming Machines Act 2001 No 127	1
[1] Section 42 General provisions	2
Omit section 42(4).	3
[2] Section 209 Relationship with Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979	4
Omit “under that Act” from section 209(3)(a).	5
Explanatory note	6
Item [1] of the proposed amendments omits a redundant definition of public holiday , which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	7
Item [2] omits text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	8
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2.59 Gas Supply Act 1996 No 38	11
Schedule 3 Dictionary	12
Omit “established under the <i>Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal Act 1992</i> ” from the definition of Tribunal .	13
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Explanatory note	15
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	16
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2.60 Government Guarantees Act 1934 No 57	18
Section 3A Guarantees for industrial purposes	19
Omit “council within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i> ” from section 3A(3).	20
Insert instead “local council”.	21
Explanatory note	22
The proposed amendment updates a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	23
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2.61 Government Information (Information Commissioner) Act 2009 No 53	25
Section 3 Definitions	26
Omit section 3(1), definition of Privacy Commissioner .	27
Explanatory note	28
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	29
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2.62 Government Information (Public Access) Act 2009 No 52	31
Schedule 4 Interpretative provisions	32
Omit clause 1, definitions of Information Commissioner , Privacy Commissioner and State owned corporation or SOC .	33
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Insert in alphabetical order—	35
SOC means a State owned corporation.	36
Explanatory note	37
The proposed amendment omits redundant definitions that are provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	38
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2.63 Government Sector Finance Act 2018 No 55	1
[1] Section 1.4 General definitions	2
Omit the definition of <i>Auditor-General</i> .	3
[2] Section 5.7 Act of grace payments	4
Omit “under the <i>Taxation Administration Act 1996</i> as if the payment is an amount of unpaid tax under that Act” from section 5.7(3A).	5 6
Insert instead “as if the payment is an amount of unpaid tax under the <i>Taxation Administration Act 1996</i> ”.	7 8
[3] Section 6.3 Authorisation to invest in government issued investments	9
Omit “council within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i> ” from section 6.3(6).	10
Insert instead “local council”.	11
Explanatory note	12
Item [1] of the proposed amendments omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	13 14
Item [2] amends redundant text in relation to a reference to the Chief Commissioner of State Revenue, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	15 16
Item [3] updates a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	17 18
2.64 Health Administration Act 1982 No 135	19
Section 8 Functions of the Health Secretary	20
Omit “council (within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i>)” from section 8(2)(f).	21 22
Insert instead “local council”.	23
Explanatory note	24
The proposed amendment updates a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	25 26
2.65 Health Insurance Levies Act 1982 No 159	27
Section 4 Definitions	28
Omit “referred to in section 60 of the <i>Taxation Administration Act 1996</i> ” from section 4(1), definition of <i>Chief Commissioner</i> .	29 30
Explanatory note	31
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Chief Commissioner of State Revenue, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	32 33
2.66 Health Records and Information Privacy Act 2002 No 71	34
[1] Section 4 Definitions	35
Omit section 4(1), definitions of <i>Health Care Complaints Commission</i> and <i>Privacy Commissioner</i> .	36 37
[2] Section 4(1), definition of “public sector agency”, paragraph (e1)	38
Omit “Division of the Government Service”.	39
Explanatory note	40
Item [1] of the proposed amendments omits redundant definitions that are provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	41 42

Item [2] omits redundant text in relation to a reference to Service NSW, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	1 2
2.67 Health Services Act 1997 No 154	3
Section 10 Functions of local health districts	4
Omit “constituted under the <i>Health Care Complaints Act 1993</i> ” from section 10(f)(i).	5
Explanatory note	6
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Health Care Complaints Commission, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	7 8
2.68 Hemp Industry Act 2008 No 58	9
Section 13 Renewal of licence	10
Insert “notice” after “the applicant” in section 13(5).	11
Explanatory note	12
The proposed amendment inserts a missing word.	13
2.69 Heritage Act 1977 No 136	14
Section 4 Definitions	15
Omit section 4(1), definition of <i>Valuer-General</i> .	16
Explanatory note	17
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	18 19
2.70 Home Building Act 1989 No 147	20
[1] Section 29 Definitions	21
Omit section 29(1), definition of <i>owner-builder work</i> , paragraph (b)(i) and (ii).	22
Insert instead—	23
(i) that may not be carried out on the land concerned except with development consent, or	24 25
(ii) that is complying development.	26
[2] Section 103BG Rejection of premiums by Authority	27
Omit “(established by the <i>Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal Act 1992</i>)” from section 103BG(6)(b).	28 29
[3] Schedule 1 Definitions and other interpretative provisions	30
Omit clause 1(1), definitions of <i>complying development certificate</i> and <i>development consent</i> .	31 32
Explanatory note	33
Items [1] and [3] of the proposed amendments omit text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	34 35
Item [2] omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	36 37

2.71 Hunter Water Act 1991 No 53	1
[1] Section 3 Definitions	2
Omit “the Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal established under the <i>Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal Act 1992</i> ” from section 3(2), definition of Tribunal .	3 4
Insert instead “the Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal”.	5
[2] Section 16 Area covered by operating licence	6
Omit “council within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i> ” from section 16(2)(a).	7 8
Insert instead “local council”.	9
[3] Section 48 Definitions	10
Omit “under Part 4 of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” from section 48(1), definition of approval , paragraph (c).	11 12
Explanatory note	13
Item [1] of the proposed amendments omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	14 15 16
Item [2] updates a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	17 18
Item [3] omits text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	19 20
2.72 Industrial Relations (Child Employment) Act 2006 No 96	21
[1] Section 3 Definitions	22
Omit “of New South Wales” from section 3(1), definition of Commission .	23
[2] Section 3(1), definition of “industrial court”, paragraph (a)	24
Omit “of New South Wales”.	25
Explanatory note	26
The proposed amendments omit redundant text in relation to terms defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	27 28
2.73 Industrial Relations (Commonwealth Powers) Act 2009 No 115	29
Section 3 Definitions	30
Omit “Teaching Service of New South Wales” from section 3(1), definition of State public sector employee , paragraph (a).	31 32
Insert instead “Teaching Service”.	33
Explanatory note	34
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Teaching Service, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	35 36
2.74 Infrastructure NSW Act 2011 No 23	37
Sections 4(1), definition of “government agency”, paragraph (d) and 28, definition of “government agency”	38 39
Omit “council (within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i>)” wherever occurring.	40 41

Insert instead “local council”.	1
Explanatory note	2
The proposed amendment updates references to a council with references to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	3 4
2.75 Inspector of Custodial Services Act 2012 No 55	5
[1] Section 9 Inspector may enter into arrangements with government officials and agencies	6 7
Omit “constituted by the <i>Independent Commission Against Corruption Act 1988</i> ” from section 9(4)(b).	8 9
[2] Section 9(4)(c)	10
Omit “constituted by the <i>Health Care Complaints Act 1993</i> ”.	11
[3] Section 9(4)(d)	12
Omit “constituted by the <i>Law Enforcement Conduct Commission Act 2016</i> ”.	13
[4] Section 9(4)(e)	14
Omit “appointed under the <i>Children’s Guardian Act 2019</i> ”.	15
Explanatory note	16
The proposed amendments omit redundant text in relation to references to the Independent Commission Against Corruption, the Health Care Complaints Commission, the Law Enforcement Conduct Commission and the Children’s Guardian, which are defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	17 18 19 20
2.76 Insurance Protection Tax Act 2001 No 40	21
Section 3 Definitions	22
Omit “referred to in section 60 of the <i>Taxation Administration Act 1996</i> ” from the definition of <i>Chief Commissioner</i> .	23 24
Explanatory note	25
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Chief Commissioner of State Revenue, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	26 27
2.77 Interpretation Act 1987 No 15	28
Schedule 4 Dictionary	29
Insert in alphabetical order—	30
<i>complying development</i> has the same meaning as in the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> .	31 32
<i>complying development certificate</i> has the same meaning as in the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> .	33 34
<i>development consent</i> has the same meaning as in the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> .	35 36
<i>exempt development</i> has the same meaning as in the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> .	37 38
Explanatory note	39
The proposed amendment inserts definitions of <i>complying development</i> , <i>complying development certificate</i> , <i>development consent</i> and <i>exempt development</i> , as defined by the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> , into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> .	40 41 42

2.78 Lake Macquarie Smelter Site (Perpetual Care of Land) Act 2019 No 9	1
Section 3 Definitions	2
Omit “within the meaning of the <i>State Owned Corporations Act 1989</i> ” from section 3(1), definition of government agency , paragraph (c).	3 4
Explanatory note	5
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to a State owned corporation, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	6 7
2.79 Land and Environment Court Act 1979 No 204	8
[1] Section 25A Application of Division	9
Omit “, under the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” wherever occurring in section 25A(1)(a) and (b).	10 11
[2] Section 39 Powers of Court on appeals	12
Omit “council within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i> ” from section 39(6). Insert instead “local council”.	13 14
[3] Section 39(6)	15
Omit “that council”.	16
Insert instead “the local council”.	17
Explanatory note	18
Item [1] of the proposed amendments omits text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	19 20
Items [2] and [3] update references to a council with references to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	21 22
2.80 Land Development Contribution Management Act 1970 No 22	23
[1] Section 3 Definitions	24
Omit section 3(1), definition of valuer-general .	25
[2] Sections 9(2), 39(1), 40(1) and (2), 41(1), 42(1), (2) and (4), 43–45, 46(1) and (3)(c), 47(1) and (2), 48, 50, 51(1), 52, 53(1), (3) and (5), 54(4)(a) and 58(3)	26 27
Omit “valuer-general” wherever occurring.	28
Insert instead “Valuer-General”.	29
[3] Sections 40 and 53, headings	30
Omit “ Valuer-general ” wherever occurring.	31
Insert instead “ Valuer-General ”.	32
[4] Sections 42(2)(a), 46(3)(c) and 47(3)	33
Omit “valuer-general’s” wherever occurring.	34
Insert instead “Valuer-General’s”.	35
Explanatory note	36
Item [1] of the proposed amendments omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4. Items [2]–[4] make consequential amendments.	37 38

2.81 Land Sales Act 1964 No 12	1
Section 4 Requirements as to subdivisions	2
Omit “under the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” from section 4(b1).	3
Explanatory note	4
The proposed amendment omits text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	5 6
2.82 Land Tax Management Act 1956 No 26	7
[1] Section 3 Definitions	8
Omit “referred to in section 60 of the <i>Taxation Administration Act 1996</i> ” from section 3(1), definition of <i>Chief Commissioner</i> .	9 10
[2] Section 10 Land exempted from tax	11
Omit “(within the meaning of the <i>State Owned Corporations Act 1989</i>)” from section 10(1)(m).	12 13
Explanatory note	14
Item [1] of the proposed amendments omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Chief Commissioner of State Revenue, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	15 16
Item [2] omits redundant text in relation to a reference to a State owned corporation, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	17 18
2.83 Law Enforcement Conduct Commission Act 2016 No 61	19
Section 4 Definitions	20
Omit section 4(1), definition of <i>Independent Commission Against Corruption</i> or <i>ICAC</i> .	21
Explanatory note	22
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	23 24
2.84 Library Act 1939 No 40	25
[1] Whole Act	26
Omit “local authority” wherever occurring.	27
Insert instead “local council”.	28
[2] Whole Act	29
Omit “local authorities” wherever occurring.	30
Insert instead “local councils”.	31
[3] Section 2 Definitions	32
Omit section 2(1), definition of <i>Local authority</i> .	33
[4] Section 13 Subsidy	34
Omit “local authority’s” from section 13(5).	35
Insert instead “local council’s”.	36
Explanatory note	37
The proposed amendments update references to a local authority with references to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	38 39

2.85 Licensing and Registration (Uniform Procedures) Act 2002 No 28	1
Section 81 Amendment of other Acts and statutory rules	2
Omit the section.	3
Explanatory note	4
The proposed amendment omits a redundant provision that gives effect to a schedule no longer in force.	5 6
2.86 Liquor Act 2007 No 90	7
Section 165 Definitions	8
Omit the definition of <i>local council</i> .	9
Explanatory note	10
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	11 12
2.87 Loan Fund Companies Act 1976 No 94	13
Section 4 Definitions	14
Omit “of New South Wales” from section 4(1), definition of <i>Court</i> .	15
Explanatory note	16
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Supreme Court, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	17 18
2.88 Local Court Act 2007 No 93	19
Section 43 Definitions	20
Omit “council within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i> ” from the definition of <i>public officer</i> , paragraph (c).	21 22
Insert instead “local council”.	23
Explanatory note	24
The proposed amendment updates a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	25 26
2.89 Local Court and Bail Legislation Amendment Act 2025 No 61	27
Schedule 2 Consequential amendments relating to new judicial offices	28
Omit Schedule 2.5 and 2.40.	29
Explanatory note	30
The proposed amendment omits redundant matter.	31
2.90 Local Government Act 1993 No 30	32
[1] Section 202 Definitions	33
Omit the definition of <i>complying development certificate</i> .	34
[2] Section 223 Role of governing body	35
Omit “policies” from section 223(1)(d).	36
Insert instead “policies”.	37

[3] Dictionary	1
Omit the definitions of <i>business day</i> and <i>complying development certificate</i> .	2
Explanatory note	3
Items [1] and [3] of the proposed amendments omit redundant definitions that are provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> .	4
Item [2] corrects a typographical error.	5
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2.91 Local Land Services Act 2013 No 51	7
[1] Whole Act, except as otherwise amended by this subschedule	8
Omit “local authority” wherever occurring.	9
Insert instead “local council”.	10
[2] Schedule 5A, clause 20(1) and dictionary, definition of “government agency”	11
Omit “public or local authority” wherever occurring.	12
Insert instead “public authority or local council”.	13
[3] Dictionary	14
Omit the definition of <i>government agency</i> , paragraph (a).	15
Insert instead—	16
(a) a Public Service agency and State owned corporation, and	17
[4] Dictionary, definition of “local authority”	18
Omit the definition.	19
[5] Dictionary, definition of “public authority”, paragraph (b)	20
Omit the paragraph.	21
Insert instead—	22
(b) a local council, or	23
Explanatory note	24
The proposed amendments update references to a local authority with references to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	25
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2.92 Mining Act 1992 No 29	27
Dictionary	28
Omit “within the meaning of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” from the definition of <i>assessable prospecting operation</i> .	29
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Explanatory note	31
The proposed amendment omits text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	32
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2.93 Motor Accident Injuries Act 2017 No 10	34
Section 2.22 Rejection of premiums by Authority	35
Omit “(established by the <i>Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal Act 1992</i>)” from section 2.22(6)(b).	36
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Explanatory note	38
The proposed amendment updates a reference to the Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	39
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2.94 Motor Accidents Compensation Act 1999 No 41	1
Section 27 Rejection of premiums by Authority	2
Omit “(established by the <i>Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal Act 1992</i>)” from section 27(6)(b).	3 4
Explanatory note	5
The proposed amendment updates a reference to the Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	6 7
2.95 Motor Dealers and Repairers Act 2013 No 107	8
Section 4 Definitions	9
Omit section 4(1), definition of <i>public holiday</i> .	10
Explanatory note	11
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	12 13
2.96 Motor Sports Events Act 2022 No 11	14
[1] Section 46 Application of other Acts generally	15
Omit “within the meaning of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” from section 46(3).	16 17
[2] Schedule 3 Dictionary	18
Omit “council within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i> ” from the definition of <i>council</i> , paragraph (a).	19 20
Insert instead “local council”.	21
Explanatory note	22
Item [1] of the proposed amendments omits text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	23 24
Item [2] updates a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	25 26
2.97 National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974 No 80	27
[1] Section 5 Definitions	28
Omit section 5(1), definitions of <i>local council</i> and <i>Valuer-General</i> .	29
[2] Sections 91AA(4)(a), 153I(2)(d) and 156A(2)(c)(i)	30
Omit “within the meaning of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” wherever occurring.	31 32
[3] Sections 91AA(4)(b) and (c) and 156A(2)(c)(ii)	33
Omit “Part 5 of that Act” wherever occurring.	34
Insert instead “the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> , Part 5”	35
Explanatory note	36
Item [1] of the proposed amendments omits redundant definitions that are provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	37 38
Items [2] and [3] update text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	39 40

2.98 NSW Reconstruction Authority Act 2022 No 80	1
[1] Section 61 Definitions	2
Omit “council, within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i> ,” from the definition of <i>government agency</i> .	3
Insert instead “local council”.	4
[2] Section 69 Effect of Ministerial authorisation	5
Omit “under the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” from section 69(2)(a).	6
Explanatory note	7
Item [1] of the proposed amendments updates a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	8
Item [2] omits text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	9
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2.99 Ombudsman Act 1974 No 68	13
[1] Section 5 Definitions	14
Omit section 5(1), definition of <i>Supreme Court</i> .	15
[2] Schedule 1 Excluded conduct of public authorities	16
Omit “of New South Wales” wherever occurring in item 3(1)(a).	17
Explanatory note	18
Item [1] of the proposed amendments omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	19
Item [2] omits redundant text.	20
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2.100 Parking Space Levy Act 2009 No 5	22
Section 4 Definitions	23
Omit “referred to in section 60 of the <i>Taxation Administration Act 1996</i> ” from section 4(1), definition of <i>Chief Commissioner</i> .	24
Explanatory note	25
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Chief Commissioner of State Revenue, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	26
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2.101 Passenger Transport Act 2014 No 46	29
Section 4 Definitions	30
Omit section 4(1), definition of <i>IPART</i> .	31
Explanatory note	32
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	33
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2.102 Payroll Tax Act 2007 No 21	35
Schedule 2 NSW specific provisions	36
Omit “(within the meaning of the <i>State Owned Corporations Act 1989</i>)” from clause 16.	37
Explanatory note	38
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to a State owned corporation, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	39
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2.103Petroleum (Onshore) Act 1991 No 84	1
[1] Section 3 Definitions	2
Omit “within the meaning of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” from section 3(1), definition of assessable prospecting operation .	3 4
[2] Sections 14(2) and 59	5
Omit “under the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” wherever occurring.	6
[3] Section 62, heading	7
Omit the heading.	8
Insert instead—	9
62 Definition	10
[4] Section 62, definition of “development consent”	11
Omit the definition.	12
Explanatory note	13
Items [1] and [2] of the proposed amendments omit text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	14 15
Item [4] omits a definition made redundant by a definition inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77. Item [3] makes a consequential amendment.	16 17
2.104Plantations and Reafforestation Act 1999 No 97	18
[1] Section 9 Offence with respect to unauthorised plantations	19
Omit “under Part 4, or in accordance with the requirements of Part 5, of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” from section 9(4), definition of ancillary plantation operations , paragraph (a).	20 21 22
Insert instead “or the requirements of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> , Part 5”.	23 24
[2] Section 47 Plantation operations and exempt farm forestry not subject to EPA Act	25
Omit “under Part 4 of that Act” from section 47(2)(a).	26
Explanatory note	27
The proposed amendments omit text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	28 29
2.105Point to Point Transport (Taxis and Hire Vehicles) Act 2016 No 34	30
Section 3 Definitions	31
Omit section 3(1), definition of IPART .	32
Explanatory note	33
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	34 35
2.106Poisons and Therapeutic Goods Act 1966 No 31	36
Section 5 Exemption from operation of Act	37
Omit “council within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i> ” from section 5(1).	38
Insert instead “local council”.	39

Explanatory note	1
The proposed amendment updates a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	2 3
2.107 Police Act 1990 No 47	4
Section 216A Determination by District Court	5
Omit section 216A(9).	6
Explanatory note	7
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition of <i>District Court</i> , which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	8 9
2.108 Police Regulation (Superannuation) Act 1906 No 28	10
Section 21 Determination by District Court	11
Omit section 21(11).	12
Explanatory note	13
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition of <i>District Court</i> , which is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	14 15
2.109 Privacy and Personal Information Protection Act 1998 No 133	16
Section 3 Definitions	17
Omit section 3(1), definition of <i>Information Commissioner</i> .	18
Explanatory note	19
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	20 21
2.110 Probate and Administration Act 1898 No 13	22
Section 3 Definitions	23
Omit “of New South Wales” from section 3(1), definition of <i>The Court</i> .	24
Explanatory note	25
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Supreme Court, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	26 27
2.111 Property and Stock Agents Act 2002 No 66	28
[1] Section 3 Definitions	29
Omit section 3(1), definition of <i>public holiday</i> .	30
[2] Section 5 Exemptions	31
Omit “council within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i> ” from section 5(1)(c).	32
Insert instead “local council”.	33
Explanatory note	34
Item [1] of the proposed amendments omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	35 36
Item [2] updates a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	37 38

2.112 Property (Relationships) Act 1984 No 147	1
Section 3 Definitions	2
Omit section 3(1), definition of <i>Supreme Court</i> .	3
Explanatory note	4
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	5 6
2.113 Property Tax (First Home Buyer Choice) Act 2022 No 60	7
Schedule 6 Dictionary	8
Omit “under the <i>Taxation Administration Act 1996</i> ” from the definition of <i>Chief Commissioner</i> .	9 10
Explanatory note	11
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Chief Commissioner of State Revenue, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	12 13
2.114 Protection of the Environment Administration Act 1991 No 60	14
Section 21 Delegation of functions	15
Omit “council (within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i>)” from section 21(3)(c).	16 17
Insert instead “local council”.	18
Explanatory note	19
The proposed amendment updates a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	20 21
2.115 Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997 No 156	22
[1] Section 170B Meaning of “relevant premises”—business mandate	23
Omit “council within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i> ” from section 170B(1)(b)(x).	24 25
Insert instead “local council”.	26
[2] Schedule 2A Enforcement of gas and other petroleum legislation	27
Omit “under Part 4 of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” from clause 1, definition of <i>petroleum authority</i> , paragraph (b).	28 29
Explanatory note	30
Item [1] of the proposed amendments updates a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	31 32
Item [2] omits text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	33 34
2.116 Public Health Act 2010 No 127	35
[1] Whole Act, except section 5(1), definitions of “professional council” and “supplier of drinking water” and as otherwise amended by this subschedule	36 37
Insert “local” before “council” wherever occurring.	38
[2] Section 5 Definitions	39
Omit section 5(1), definition of <i>area</i> , paragraph (a).	40

Insert instead—	1
(a) in relation to a local council, the area for which the local council is constituted by the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i> , or	2 3
[3] Section 5(1), definition of “local government authority”, paragraph (a)	4
Omit the paragraph.	5
Insert instead—	6
(a) a local council, or	7
Explanatory note	8
The proposed amendments update references to a council with references to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	9 10
2.117 Public Health (Tobacco) Act 2008 No 94	11
Section 39C Deciding applications to renew licences	12
Omit “section 39B(3)” from section 39C(3).	13
Insert instead “section 39B(4)”.	14
Explanatory note	15
The proposed amendment corrects a cross-reference.	16
2.118 Public Interest Disclosures Act 2022 No 14	17
Section 16 Meaning of “agency”	18
Omit “of New South Wales” wherever occurring in section 16(1)(b)(ii) and (iv).	19
Explanatory note	20
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Teaching Service and the Transport Service, which are defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	21 22
2.119 Public Notaries Act 1997 No 98	23
Section 3 Definitions	24
Omit “of New South Wales” from the definition of <i>Court</i> .	25
Explanatory note	26
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Supreme Court, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	27 28
2.120 Public Works and Procurement Act 1912 No 45	29
Section 3 Definitions	30
Omit “of New South Wales” from the definition of <i>Court</i> .	31
Explanatory note	32
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Supreme Court, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	33 34
2.121 Railway Construction (Maldon to Port Kembla) Act 1983 No 112	35
Section 10 Maintenance of roads and bridges	36
Omit “council (within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i>)” from section 10(1).	37
Insert instead “local council”.	38

Explanatory note	1
The proposed amendment updates a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	2 3
2.122 Recreation Vehicles Act 1983 No 136	4
Section 10 Applications for designation of land as a recreation vehicle area	5
Omit “under the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” from section 10(2)(b)(ii).	6 7
Explanatory note	8
The proposed amendment omits text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	9 10
2.123 Residential (Land Lease) Communities Act 2013 No 97	11
[1] Sections 124(2) and 125(2)(b)	12
Omit “under the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” wherever occurring.	13
[2] Section 124 Termination by operator for closure	14
Omit “that Act” from section 124(2).	15
Insert instead “the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ”.	16
Explanatory note	17
Item [1] of the proposed amendments omits text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77. Item [2] makes a consequential amendment.	18 19
2.124 Residential Tenancies Act 2010 No 42	20
Section 3 Definitions	21
Omit section 3(1), definition of <i>public holiday</i> .	22
Explanatory note	23
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	24 25
2.125 Residential Tenancies Regulation 2019	26
Clause 24A Social housing providers may offer Rent Deduction Scheme payment method instead of Centrepay—the Act, s 12	27 28
Omit “Reduction” from clause 24A(1)(b).	29
Insert instead “Deduction”.	30
Explanatory note	31
The proposed amendment corrects a spelling error where the reference to Rent Reduction Scheme should be Rent Deduction Scheme.	32 33
2.126 Restricted Premises Act 1943 No 6	34
Section 2 Definitions	35
Omit the definition of <i>local council</i> .	36
Explanatory note	37
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	38 39

2.127 Retirement Villages Act 1999 No 81	1
[1] Section 4 Definitions	2
Omit “and <i>development consent</i> have the same meanings as they have” from section 4(1), definition of <i>development</i> and <i>development consent</i> .	3 4
Insert instead “has the same meaning as”.	5
[2] Section 4(1), definition of “public holiday”	6
Omit the definition.	7
[3] Section 197B Provision, sharing and publication of relevant village information	8
Omit “council (within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i>)” from section 197B(3), definition of <i>government agency</i> , paragraph (d).	9 10
Insert instead “local council”.	11
Explanatory note	12
Items [1] and [2] of the proposed amendments omit redundant definitions that are provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	13 14
Item [3] updates a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	15 16
2.128 Road Improvement (Special Funding) Act 1989 No 95	17
Section 5 Appropriated money subject to statutory trust for road funding	18
Omit “council (within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i>)” from section 5(2)(e).	19 20
Insert instead “local council”.	21
Explanatory note	22
The proposed amendment updates a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	23 24
2.129 Road Transport Act 2013 No 18	25
[1] Section 4 Definitions	26
Omit section 4(1), definition of <i>council</i> .	27
[2] Section 142 Removal of dangers and obstructions to traffic	28
Insert “local” before “council” in section 142(5), definition of <i>appropriate roads authority</i> , paragraph (a).	29 30
[3] Schedule 1 Examples of statutory rule-making powers	31
Insert “local” before “councils” wherever occurring in clause 6.	32
Explanatory note	33
The proposed amendments update references to a council with references to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	34 35
2.130 Rural Fires Act 1997 No 65	36
Section 101 Definitions	37
Omit “under the <i>Taxation Administration Act 1996</i> ” from the definition of <i>State Revenue Commissioner</i> .	38 39

Explanatory note	1
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Chief Commissioner of State Revenue, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	2 3
2.131 Small Business Commissioner Act 2013 No 22	4
Section 3 Definitions	5
Omit “council (within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i>)” from section 3(1), definition of government agency , paragraph (d).	6 7
Insert instead “local council”.	8
Explanatory note	9
The proposed amendment updates a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	10 11
2.132 Snowy Hydro Corporatisation Act 1997 No 99	12
Section 41 Application of Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979	13
Omit section 41(1), definition of <i>development consent</i> .	14
Explanatory note	15
The proposed amendment omits a definition made redundant by a definition inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	16 17
2.133 Snowy Mountains Cloud Seeding Act 2004 No 19	18
[1] Section 7 Application of other legislation	19
Omit “under Part 4 of that Act” from section 7(2)(a).	20
[2] Section 7(4)	21
Omit “under the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ”.	22
Explanatory note	23
The proposed amendments omit text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	24 25
2.134 Special Commissions of Inquiry Act 1983 No 90	26
Section 3 Definitions	27
Omit section 3(1), definition of <i>Supreme Court</i> .	28
Explanatory note	29
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	30 31
2.135 Sporting Injuries Insurance Act 1978 No 141	32
Section 4 Definitions	33
Omit “of New South Wales established under the <i>District Court Act 1973</i> ” from section 4(1), definition of <i>Court</i> .	34 35
Explanatory note	36
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the District Court, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	37 38

2.136 State Debt Recovery Act 2018 No 11	1
Section 3 Definitions	2
Omit “under the <i>Taxation Administration Act 1996</i> ” from section 3(1), definition of <i>Chief Commissioner</i> .	3
Explanatory note	4
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Chief Commissioner of State Revenue, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	5
2.137 State Emergency and Rescue Management Act 1989 No 165	6
Section 3 Definitions	7
Omit section 3(1), definition of <i>State Emergency Service</i> .	8
Explanatory note	9
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition of <i>State Emergency Service</i> , which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	10
2.138 State Emergency Service Act 1989 No 164	11
Section 24A Definitions	12
Omit “under the <i>Taxation Administration Act 1996</i> ” from the definition of <i>State Revenue Commissioner</i> .	13
Explanatory note	14
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Chief Commissioner of State Revenue, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	15
2.139 Statutory and Other Offices Remuneration Act 1975 No 4 of 1976	16
Schedule 2 Public Offices	17
Omit “Valuer-general” from Part 1.	18
Insert instead “Valuer-General”.	19
Explanatory note	20
The proposed amendment corrects the capitalisation of a public office.	21
2.140 Stock Medicines Act 1989 No 182	22
Section 3A Definition of “stock medicine”	23
Relocate the section to after section 3.	24
Explanatory note	25
The proposed amendment corrects a numbering error.	26
2.141 Strata Schemes Development Act 2015 No 51	27
[1] Section 4 Definitions	28
Omit “within the meaning of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” from section 4(1), definition of <i>planning approval</i> , paragraph (a).	29
[2] Section 4(1), definition of “planning approval”, paragraph (b)	30
Omit “that Act”.	31
Insert instead “the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ”.	32

Explanatory note	1
Item [1] of the proposed amendments omits text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77. Item [2] makes a consequential amendment.	2 3
2.142 Strata Schemes Management Act 2015 No 50	4
[1] Section 4 Definitions	5
Omit “within the meaning of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” from section 4(1), definition of <i>planning approval</i> , paragraph (a).	6 7
[2] Section 4(1), definition of “planning approval”, paragraph (b)	8
Omit “that Act”.	9
Insert instead “the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ”.	10
[3] Section 211AH Requirements for evidence of decennial insurance before issue of certain building certificates	11 12
Omit section 211AH(1)(a).	13
Insert instead—	14
(a) a complying development certificate or a certificate under the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> , Part 6,	15 16
Explanatory note	17
The proposed amendments omit text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	18 19
2.143 Suitors’ Fund Act 1951 No 3	20
Section 2 Definitions	21
Omit section 2(1), definition of <i>Land and Environment Court</i> .	22
Explanatory note	23
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	24 25
2.144 Superannuation Act 1916 No 28	26
Schedule 3 List of employers	27
Omit “council within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i> ” from Part 1.	28
Insert instead “local council”.	29
Explanatory note	30
The proposed amendment updates a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	31 32
2.145 Superannuation Administration Act 1996 No 39	33
[1] Section 4 Definitions	34
Omit the definition of <i>local authority</i> .	35
[2] Section 125 Additional State public sector superannuation schemes	36
Omit “local authority” from section 125(1)(b).	37
Insert instead “local council”.	38

Explanatory note	1
Item [2] of the proposed amendments updates a reference to a local authority with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4. Item [1] makes a consequential amendment.	2 3 4
2.146 Superannuation Administration Corporation (Pillar) (Authorised Transaction) Act 2016 No 19	5 6
Schedule 1 Interpretative provisions	7
Omit “within the meaning of the <i>State Owned Corporations Act 1989</i> ” from clause 1, definition of <i>SOC</i> .	8 9
Explanatory note	10
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to a State owned corporation, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	11 12
2.147 Surrogacy Act 2010 No 102	13
Section 4 Definitions	14
Omit “of New South Wales” from section 4(1), definition of <i>Court</i> .	15
Explanatory note	16
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Supreme Court, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	17 18
2.148 Surveillance Devices Act 2007 No 64	19
Section 14B, heading	20
Omit “investigative bodies”.	21
Insert instead “law enforcement agencies”.	22
Explanatory note	23
The proposed amendment corrects terminology.	24
2.149 Sydney Water Act 1994 No 88	25
Section 69 Definitions	26
Omit “under Part 4 of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” from the definition of <i>approval</i> , paragraph (c).	27 28
Explanatory note	29
The proposed amendment omits text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	30 31
2.150 Teacher Housing Authority Act 1975 No 27	32
[1] Section 4 Definitions	33
Omit section 4(1), definition of <i>council</i> .	34
[2] Section 13 Powers, authorities, duties and functions of Authority	35
Insert “local” before “council” in section 13(2)(1).	36
Explanatory note	37
The proposed amendments update a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	38 39

2.151 Totalizator Act 1997 No 45	1
Section 105 Secrecy	2
Omit “(referred to in section 60 of the <i>Taxation Administration Act 1996</i>)” from section 105(6A).	3 4
Explanatory note	5
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Chief Commissioner of State Revenue, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	6 7
2.152 Transport Administration Act 1988 No 109	8
Section 104P Part 5 of EPA Act to apply to development for light rail system	9
Omit “under Part 4 of the EPA Act” from section 104P(2)(a).	10
Explanatory note	11
The proposed amendment omits text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	12 13
2.153 Treasury Corporation Act 1983 No 75	14
Section 3 Definitions	15
Omit “council within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i> ” from section 3(1), definition of <i>council</i> .	16 17
Insert instead “local council”.	18
Explanatory note	19
The proposed amendment updates a reference to a council with a reference to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	20 21
2.154 Tweed River Entrance Sand Bypassing Act 1995 No 55	22
Section 10 Application of Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 to the works	23 24
Omit “under Part 4 of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” from section 10(2)(a).	25 26
Explanatory note	27
The proposed amendment omits text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	28 29
2.155 Unclaimed Money Act 1995 No 75	30
Section 3 Definitions	31
Omit “appointed under the <i>Taxation Administration Act 1996</i> ” from the definition of <i>Chief Commissioner</i> .	32 33
Explanatory note	34
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Chief Commissioner of State Revenue, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	35 36
2.156 Victims Rights and Victims of Crime Commissioner Act 2025 No 64	37
Section 23 Limitation on Commissioner’s functions	38
Omit “under the <i>Ageing and Disability Commissioner Act 2019</i> ” from section 23(2)(b).	39
Explanatory note	40
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Ageing and Disability Commissioner, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	41 42

2.157 Voluntary Assisted Dying Act 2022 No 17	1
[1] Section 136 Functions of Board	2
Omit “under the <i>Police Act 1990</i> ” from section 136(1)(f)(i).	3
[2] Section 136(1)(f)(ii)	4
Omit “under the <i>Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration Act 1995</i> ”.	5
Explanatory note	6
Item [1] of the proposed amendments omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Commissioner of Police, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	7
Item [2] omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Registrar of Births, Deaths and Marriages, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	8
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2.158 Waste Assets Management Corporation Act 2010 No 8	11
Schedule 1 Interpretative provisions	12
Omit “within the meaning of the <i>State Owned Corporations Act 1989</i> ” from clause 1, definition of <i>SOC</i> .	13
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Explanatory note	15
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to a State owned corporation, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	16
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2.159 Water Act 1912 No 44	18
[1] Section 4J Definitions	19
Omit the definition of <i>development consent</i> .	20
[2] Sections 12(3) and 14(1B)	21
Omit “council within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1993</i> ” wherever occurring.	22
Insert instead “local council”.	23
[3] Section 26C Construction of work by Crown for councils	24
Omit “any council or county council”.	25
Insert instead “a local council or a county council”.	26
Explanatory note	27
Item [1] of the proposed amendments omits a definition made redundant by a definition inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	28
Item [2] and [3] update references to a council with references to a local council, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	29
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2.160 Water Industry Competition Act 2006 No 104	32
Dictionary	33
Omit the definition of <i>IPART</i> .	34
Explanatory note	35
The proposed amendment omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	36
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2.161 Water Management Act 2000 No 92	1
[1] Section 345 Harm to aquifers and waterfront land	2
Omit “within the meaning of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” from section 345(3)(a)(i).	3 4
[2] Section 345(3)(a)(ii)	5
Omit “Part 5 of that Act”.	6
Insert instead “the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> , Part 5”.	7
[3] Dictionary	8
Omit the definitions of <i>development consent</i> and <i>local council</i> .	9
Explanatory note	10
Items [1] and [2] of the proposed amendments omit text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	11 12
Item [3] omits redundant definitions that are provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	13
2.162 Water NSW Act 2014 No 74	14
[1] Section 3 Definitions	15
Omit section 3(1), definition of <i>IPART</i> .	16
[2] Section 61 Regulatory Authority	17
Omit “under Part 4 of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> ” wherever occurring in section 61(4)(a) and (b).	18 19
Explanatory note	20
Item [1] of the proposed amendments omits a redundant definition that is provided for in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	21 22
Item [2] omits text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	23 24
2.163 Water Supply (Critical Needs) Act 2019 No 16	25
Schedule 3 Declaration of certain dam-related development as critical State significant infrastructure	26 27
Omit “under Part 4 of that Act” from clause 1(1)(b).	28
Explanatory note	29
The proposed amendment omits text made redundant by definitions inserted into the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> by Schedule 2.77.	30 31
2.164 Work Health and Safety Act 2011 No 10	32
[1] Section 4 Definitions	33
Omit the definition of <i>Advisory Council</i> .	34
Insert instead—	35
<i>Advisory Council</i> means the SafeWork Advisory Council established by section 155D(1).	36 37
[2] Section 155C Definition	38
Omit the section.	39

[3] Schedule 1A Provisions relating to Advisory Council	1
Omit clause 1, definition of <i>Advisory Council</i> .	2
[4] Schedule 2 The regulator	3
Omit “SafeWork” from clause 1(3)(f).	4
[5] Schedule 2, clause 1(4)–(5A)	5
Omit “section” wherever occurring.	6
Insert instead “clause”.	7
Explanatory note	8
Items [1]–[4] of the proposed amendments correct errors in referencing a definition of <i>Advisory Council</i> .	9
Item [5] corrects minor errors in references to provisions.	10
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2.165 Workers Compensation Act 1987 No 70	12
Section 1750 Primary groups of commonly controlled businesses	13
Omit “(within the meaning of the <i>State Owned Corporations Act 1989</i>)” from section 1750(10).	14
Explanatory note	15
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to a State owned corporation, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	16
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2.166 Workers Compensation (Bush Fire, Emergency and Rescue Services) Act 1987 No 83	19
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Schedule 2 Provisions relating to advisory panel	21
Renumber sections 3–10 as sections 2–9.	22
Explanatory note	23
The proposed amendment corrects a numbering error.	24
2.167 Workers Compensation Legislation Amendment (Reform and Modernisation) Act 2026 No 1	25
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[1] Schedule 2 Amendment of Workers Compensation Act 1987 No 70	27
Omit “Schedule 1.1[1]” from Schedule 2.3, proposed clause 7(a).	28
Insert instead “Schedule 2.1[1]”.	29
[2] Schedule 2.3, proposed clause 7(b)	30
Omit “Schedule 1.1[4]”.	31
Insert instead “Schedule 2.1[4]”.	32
[3] Schedule 2.3, proposed clause 8	33
Omit “Schedule 1.1[2]”.	34
Insert instead “Schedule 2.1[2]”.	35
[4] Schedule 2.3, proposed clause 9	36
Omit “Schedule 1.1[3]”.	37
Insert instead “Schedule 2.1[3]”.	38

[5] Schedule 2.3, proposed clause 10	1
Omit “Schedule 1.1[7]”.	2
Insert instead “Schedule 2.1[7]”.	3
Explanatory note	4
The proposed amendments correct cross-referencing errors.	5
2.168 Workplace Injury Management and Workers Compensation Act 1998 No 86	6
Section 243 Disclosure requirements	7
Omit “under the <i>Taxation Administration Act 1996</i> ” from section 243(2)(b).	8
Explanatory note	9
The proposed amendment omits redundant text in relation to a reference to the Chief Commissioner of State Revenue, which is defined in the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , Schedule 4.	10
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Schedule 3	General savings, transitional and other provisions	1
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1	Effect of amendment of amending provisions	3
(1)	An amendment made by Schedule 1 or 2 to an amending provision contained in an Act or instrument is, if the amending provision has commenced before the Schedule 1 or 2 amendment, taken to have effect as from the commencement of the amending provision, whether or not the amending provision has been repealed.	4 5 6 7
(2)	In this section—	8
	amending provision means a provision of an Act or instrument that makes a direct amendment to an Act or instrument by—	9 10
(a)	the repeal or omission of matter contained in the amended Act or instrument without the insertion of any matter instead of the repealed or omitted matter, or	11 12
(b)	the omission of matter contained in the amended Act or instrument and the insertion of matter instead of the omitted matter, or	13 14
(c)	the insertion into the amended Act or instrument of matter, not being matter inserted instead of matter omitted from the Act or instrument.	15 16
	Explanatory note	17
	This section ensures that an amendment made by the proposed Act to a repealing or amending provision of an Act or instrument will, if the repealing or amending provision commences before the amendment made by the proposed Act, be taken to have commenced on the date the repealing or amending provision commences.	18 19 20 21
2	Effect of amendment or repeal on acts done or decisions made	22
	Except where expressly provided to the contrary, if this Act—	23
(a)	amends a provision of an Act or an instrument, or	24
(b)	repeals and re-enacts, with or without modification, a provision of an Act or an instrument,	25 26
	an act done or decision made under the provision amended or repealed has effect after the amendment or repeal as if it had been done or made under the provision as amended or repealed.	27 28 29
	Explanatory note	30
	This section ensures that the amendment or repeal of a provision will not, unless expressly provided, vitiate any act done or decision made under the provision as in force before the amendment or repeal.	31 32
3	Effect of amendment on instruments	33
	Except where expressly provided to the contrary, an instrument made under an Act amended by this Act, that is in force immediately before the commencement of the amendment, is taken to have been made under the Act as amended.	34 35 36
	Explanatory note	37
	This section ensures that, unless expressly provided, any instrument that is in force and made under a provision of an Act that is amended or substituted by the proposed Act will be taken to have been made under the Act as amended.	38 39 40
4	Revocation of repeal	41
	The <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> , section 29A applies to the repeal of Acts or instruments, or provisions of Acts or instruments, by this Act or a previous Statute Law Act.	42 43
	Explanatory note	44
	The effect of this section is to enable the Governor, by proclamation, to revoke the repeal of an Act or instrument, or a provision of an Act or instrument, by the proposed Act or a previous Statute Law Act. The Act or instrument, or provision, the subject of the revocation of repeal is taken not to be, and never to have been, repealed.	45 46 47 48

5 Regulations	1
(1) The Governor may make regulations containing provisions of a savings or transitional nature consequent on the enactment of this Act.	2 3
(2) A provision may, if the regulations provide, take effect from the date of assent to this Act or a later date.	4 5
(3) To the extent to which a provision takes effect from a date that is earlier than the date of its publication on the NSW legislation website, the provision does not operate to—	6 7
(a) affect, in a manner prejudicial to a person, other than the State or an authority of the State, the rights of that person existing before the date of its publication, or	8 9 10
(b) impose liabilities on a person, other than the State or an authority of the State, in relation to anything done or omitted to be done before the date of its publication.	11 12 13
Explanatory note	14
This section enables the making of regulations of a savings or transitional nature relating to incidental matters arising out of the proposed Act.	15 16