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Georges River National Park (Picnic Point Additions) Bill 1998

Explanatory note

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

Overview of Bill

The object of this Bill is to add certain land at Picnic Point to the Georges River National Park.

Outline of provisions

Part 1 Preliminary

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

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

Clause 3 defines the terms *Director-General* and *the map* for the purposes of the proposed Act.

Part 2 Reservation of additional land as part of Georges River National Park

Clause 4 reserves the land shown on the map (as defined) by heavy black edging as an addition to the Georges River National Park.

Clause 5 requires a formal description of the land concerned to be prepared within 6 months after the commencement of the proposed Act (or within such longer period as the Minister may allow).

Clause 6 requires the publication in the Gazette of the formal description of the land referred to in proposed section 5 (certified by a registered surveyor) and provides that, on that publication, the description is taken to replace the map.

Clause 7 provides that the reservation of the land concerned takes effect on the commencement of the proposed Act. It also provides that, if the published description of the land differs from the land shown on the map by heavy black edging, any land excluded from the description is taken never to have been reserved under the proposed Act, and any additional land is taken always to have been so reserved.

Part 3 Ancillary provisions

Clause 8 provides that the land reserved by the proposed Act is taken to have been reserved by a proclamation under section 33 (3) of the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974*.

Clause 9 makes it clear that no compensation is payable in respect of the land reserved by the proposed Act.



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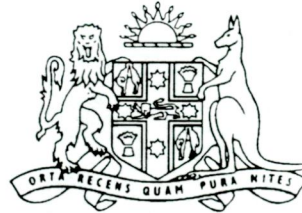
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No. , 1998

A Bill for

An Act to reserve certain land at Picnic Point as part of the Georges River National Park; and for related purposes.

Clause 1 Georges River National Park (Picnic Point Additions) Bill 1998

Part 1 Preliminary

The Legislature of New South Wales enacts:

Part 1 Preliminary

1 Name of Act

This Act is the *Georges River National Park (Picnic Point Additions) Act 1998*.

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2 Commencement

This Act commences on the date of assent.

3 Definitions

In this Act:

Director-General means the Director-General of National Parks and Wildlife. 10

the map means the map marked "Georges River National Park (Picnic Point Additions) 1998" and presented to the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly (by or on behalf of the Member of the Assembly who introduced the Bill for this Act) when the Bill was read a second time in the Assembly. 15

Part 2 Reservation of additional land as part of Georges River National Park

4 Reservation of land as national park

The land shown on the map by heavy black edging (being part lot 3 in D.P. 211148 and part lot 1 in D.P. 192764) is reserved as part of the Georges River National Park.

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5 Preparation of formal description of land reserved

(1) Within the period of 6 months after the commencement of this Act (or such longer period as the Minister may allow), the Director-General is to cause to be prepared, as accurately as is reasonably possible, a metes and bounds or other appropriate description of all of the land shown on the map by heavy black edging.

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(2) A description of land under this section may include a description of any easement or restriction to which the land is subject.

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6 Publication in the Gazette of formal description of land reserved

(1) Within the period referred to in section 5, the Minister is to cause to be published in the Gazette a notification containing the description referred to in that section together with a certificate of a registered surveyor to the effect that the land in the description substantially accords with the land shown on the map by heavy black edging.

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(2) On publication of the notification, the description in the notification is taken to replace the map.

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7 Date reservation takes effect

(1) The reservation of land under this Act takes effect on the commencement of this Act.

(2) If any of the land shown on the map by heavy black edging is not included in the notification describing the land published in the Gazette under section 6, the land that is not so included is taken never to have been reserved under this Act.

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Clause 7 Georges River National Park (Picnic Point Additions) Bill 1998

Part 2 Reservation of additional land as part of Georges River National Park

- (3) If the description in that notification includes any land not shown on the map by heavy black edging, the land concerned is taken to have been reserved under this Act on the commencement of this Act.

Part 3 Ancillary provisions

8 Land taken to be reserved under National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974

- (1) Land reserved as part of the Georges River National Park under this Act is, for the purposes of the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974*, taken to have been reserved by a proclamation made under section 33 (3) of that Act. 5
- (2) A reference in the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974* to the publication of a proclamation under section 33 (3) of that Act is, in relation to the reservation of land under this Act, taken to be a reference to the enactment of this Act. 10
- (3) This Act has effect despite section 34 (2) of the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974*.
- (4) Section 35 of the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974* does not apply in relation to the reservation of land under this Act. 15

9 No compensation payable in respect of reservation of land

No compensation or other consideration of any kind is payable to any person, directly or indirectly, by the Minister or by any other person, in respect of the reservation of land under this Act.

