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Standard Time Amendment Bill 1999

Explanatory note

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

Overview of Bill

The object of this Bill is to provide that, in the year in which the Olympic Games and the Paralympic Games are held in Sydney, daylight saving will begin on Sunday 27 August 2000 rather than on the last Sunday in October (Sunday 29 October 2000).

Outline of provisions

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

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

Clause 3 provides that the *Standard Time Act 1987* is taken to be amended to give effect to the object of the proposed Act.

Clause 4 provides that the proposed Act ceases to have effect on 26 March 2001.

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A Bill for

An Act to amend the *Standard Time Act 1987* in relation to the commencement of the summer time period in the year 2000.

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The Legislature of New South Wales enacts:

1 Name of Act

This Act is the *Standard Time Amendment Act 1999*.

2 Commencement

This Act commences on the date of assent.

3 Amendment of Standard Time Act 1987 No 149

(1) The definition of ***summer time period*** in section 2 of the *Standard Time Act 1987* is taken, but only for the summer time period commencing in the year 2000, to be as follows:

summer time period means a period starting at 2 am on Sunday 27 August 2000 and ending at 2 am on Sunday 25 March 2001.

(2) This section has effect despite the definition of ***summer time period*** in section 2 of the *Standard Time Act 1987* but is otherwise to be read and construed as if it formed part of the *Standard Time Act 1987*.

4 Expiry of Act

This Act ceases to have effect on 26 March 2001.