

**National Parks and Wildlife
Amendment (Jenolan Caves Reserve
Trust) Bill 2004**

Explanatory note

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

Overview of Bill

The object of this Bill is to amend the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974* (the **Principal Act**) to enable the Director-General of the Department of Environment and Conservation to manage the affairs of the Jenolan Caves Reserve Trust established under that Act if no members of the board of the Trust are appointed for the time being.

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 1 July 2004.

Clause 3 is a formal provision that gives effect to the amendments to the Principal Act set out in Schedule 1.

Schedule 1 Amendments

Schedule 1 [3] substitutes section 58ZA (3) of the Principal Act to give effect to the object described in the Overview.

Schedule 1 [1] and [2] provide for amendments to the Principal Act that are consequential on the amendment made by **Schedule 1 [3]**.

Schedule 1 [4] enables the making of regulations of a savings and transitional nature as a consequence of the enactment of the proposed Act.