



New South Wales

# Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Private Educational Authorities) Bill 2013

## Explanatory note

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

## Overview of Bill

The *Anti-Discrimination Act 1977* currently exempts private educational authorities from provisions of the Act that make it unlawful for an educational authority to discriminate against a student or prospective student on the grounds of sex, marital or domestic status, disability, homosexuality or age or on transgender grounds. Private educational authorities include all non-government institutions at which education or training is provided, such as private schools, business and coaching colleges and private universities.

The object of this Bill is to remove these exemptions for private educational authorities.

## 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 to the proposed Act.

**Clause 3** amends the *Anti-Discrimination Act 1977* in the manner described in the above Overview.



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## A Bill for

An Act to amend the *Anti-Discrimination Act 1977* to remove the exemption of private educational authorities from provisions that make it unlawful to discriminate against a student or prospective student.

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| <b>The Legislature of New South Wales enacts:</b>                                                 | 1      |
| <b>1 Name of Act</b>                                                                              | 2      |
| This Act is the <i>Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Private Educational Authorities) Act 2013</i> . | 3<br>4 |
| <b>2 Commencement</b>                                                                             | 5      |
| This Act commences on the date of assent to this Act.                                             | 6      |
| <b>3 Amendment of Anti-Discrimination Act 1977 No 48</b>                                          | 7      |
| <b>Sections 31A (3) (a), 38K (3), 46A (3), 49L (3) (a), 49ZO (3) and 49ZYL (3) (b)</b>            | 8      |
| Omit the subsections and paragraphs.                                                              | 9      |