



New South Wales

Forestry Amendment (Public Enforcement Rights) Bill 2017

Explanatory note

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

Overview of Bill

The object of this Bill is to enable certain civil and criminal enforcement proceedings by third parties under environment protection legislation and other legislation for breaches of the *Forestry Act 2012* or breaches related to that Act.

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 *Forestry Act 2012* to give effect to the object set out in the Overview above.