

New South Wales

Retail Trading Amendment (Boxing Day) 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 amend the *Retail Trading Act 2008* to remove the sunsetting on 1 December 2017 of provisions that allow shops and banks to open on Boxing Day and that allow banks to open on the Bank Holiday and certain public holidays. Shops and banks may open on those days only if they are staffed by persons who have freely elected to work on those days.

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 (2) amends the *Retail Trading Act 2008* to give effect to the Overview above.

Clause 3 (1) removes a redundant provision that required a review of the *Retail Trading Amendment Act 2015* to be undertaken, because that review has been completed.

Clause 3 (3) enables savings and transitional regulations to be made as a consequence of the enactment of the proposed Act or any other Act that amends the *Retail Trading Act 2008*.



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A Bill for

An Act to amend the *Retail Trading Act 2008* with respect to Boxing Day trading and bank trading days.

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1	Nam	e of Act	2
		This Act is the Retail Trading Amendment (Boxing Day) Act 2017.	3
2	Com	mencement	4
		This Act commences on the date of assent to this Act.	5
3	Ame	ndment of Retail Trading Act 2008 No 49	6
	(1)	Section 26 Review of Retail Trading Amendment Act 2015	7
		Omit the section.	8
	(2)	Section 27 and Schedules 3 and 4 Sunset of amendments made by Retail Trading Amendment Act 2015	9 10
		Omit the section and Schedules.	11
	(3)	Schedule 2 Savings, transitional and other provisions	12
		Insert at the end of clause 1 (1):	13
		any other Act that amends this Act	14