



New South Wales

# Statute Law (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill (No 2) 2017

## Explanatory note

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

## Overview of Bill

The objects of this Bill are:

- (a) to make minor amendments to various Acts and instruments (Schedules 1 and 2), and
- (b) to amend certain other Acts and instruments for the purpose of effecting statute law revision (Schedule 4), and
- (c) to repeal various Acts and an instrument, and provisions of Acts and an instrument (Schedule 5), and
- (d) to make other provisions of a consequential or ancillary nature (Schedules 3 and 6).

## 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.

**Clause 3** makes it clear that the explanatory notes contained in the Schedules do not form part of the proposed Act.

## Schedule 1 Minor amendments

**Schedule 1** makes amendments to the following Acts and instrument:

- (a) *Barangaroo Delivery Authority Act 2009* No 2,
- (b) *Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016* No 63,

- (c) *Children and Young Persons (Care and Protection) Act 1998* No 157,
- (d) *Children and Young Persons (Care and Protection) Regulation 2012*,
- (e) *Combat Sports Act 2013* No 96,
- (f) *Crown Land Legislation Amendment Act 2017* No 17,
- (g) *Crown Land Management Act 2016* No 58,
- (h) *Energy Services Corporations Act 1995* No 95,
- (i) *Government Information (Public Access) Act 2009* No 52,
- (j) *Government Sector Employment Act 2013* No 40,
- (k) *Home Building Act 1989* No 147,
- (l) *Industrial Relations Act 1996* No 17,
- (m) *Motor Accident Injuries Act 2017* No 10,
- (n) *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974* No 80,
- (o) *Ombudsman Act 1974* No 68,
- (p) *Partnership Act 1892* No 12,
- (q) *Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997* No 156,
- (r) *Residential Tenancies Act 2010* No 42,
- (s) *State Owned Corporations Act 1989* No 134,
- (t) *State Records Act 1998* No 17,
- (u) *Statutory and Other Offices Remuneration Act 1975* (1976 No 4),
- (v) *Sydney Olympic Park Authority Act 2001* No 57,
- (w) *University of Technology Sydney Act 1989* No 69.

The amendments to each Act and instrument are explained in detail in the explanatory note relating to the Act or instrument concerned set out in Schedule 1.

## **Schedule 2 Amendments relating to online publication of notices**

**Schedule 2** makes amendments to various Acts to enable the online publication of government notices currently required to be published in newspapers or other print media.

## **Schedule 3 Amendments consequent on enactment of Fines Amendment (Electronic Penalty Notices) Act 2016**

**Schedule 3** makes amendments to various Acts and instruments consequent on the enactment of the *Fines Amendment (Electronic Penalty Notices) Act 2016*.

The nature of the amendments contained in Schedule 3 is explained in detail in the explanatory note at the beginning of the Schedule.

## **Schedule 4 Amendments by way of statute law revision**

**Schedule 4** amends certain Acts and instruments for the purpose of effecting statute law revision.

The amendments to each Act and instrument are explained in detail in the explanatory note relating to the Act or instrument concerned set out in Schedule 4.

## **Schedule 5      Repeals**

**Schedule 5** repeals Acts and an instrument, and provisions of Acts and an instrument.

**Clause 1** repeals redundant Acts and provisions of an Act and an instrument.

**Clause 2** repeals a redundant provision of the *Aboriginal Land Rights Act 1983*. The reason for the repeal is explained in detail in the explanatory note set out in the clause.

**Clause 3** repeals a provision of the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974* consequent on the dissolution of the Audit and Compliance Committee by a proposed amendment to that Act made by Schedule 1.

**Clause 4** repeals a Regulation and makes an amendment to an Act consequent on that repeal. The repeal and amendment are explained in detail in the explanatory note set out in the clause.

## **Schedule 6      General savings, transitional and other provisions**

**Schedule 6** contains savings, transitional and other provisions of general effect.

The purpose of each provision is explained in detail in the explanatory note relating to the provision concerned set out in Schedule 6.