

New South Wales

Liquor Legislation Amendment (Repeal of Lock-out Laws) Bill 2019

Explanatory note

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

Overview of Bill

The object of this Bill is to repeal provisions that prevent patrons from entering licensed premises in the Sydney CBD Entertainment and Kings Cross precincts after 1.30 am.

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 *Liquor Act 2007* to repeal the provision allowing the regulations to prescribe licence conditions that prohibit patrons from entering licensed premises in the Sydney CBD Entertainment and Kings Cross precincts at certain times.

Clause 4 amends the *Liquor Regulation 2018*:

- (a) to repeal the provision that requires the licensee of licensed premises in the Sydney CBD Entertainment and Kings Cross precincts to refuse patrons entry to the premises after 1.30 am, and
- (b) to make consequential amendments.