

# **Election Funding Amendment Bill 1999**

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I certify that this Public Bill, which originated in the Legislative Assembly, has finally passed the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales.

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. Legislative Assembly, Sydney, , 1999



## **Election Funding Amendment Bill 1999**

Act No , 1999

An Act to amend the *Election Funding Act 1981* with respect to the calculation of amounts to be credited to the funds established under Part 5 of that Act.

I have examined this Bill, and find it to correspond in all respects with the Bill as finally passed by both Houses.

Chairman of Committees of the Legislative Assembly.

#### The Legislature of New South Wales enacts:

#### 1 Name of Act

This Act is the *Election Funding Amendment Act 1999*.

#### 2 Commencement

This Act commences on the date of assent.

#### 3 Amendment of Election Funding Act 1981 No 78

The *Election Funding Act 1981* is amended as set out in Schedule 1.

Amendment Schedule 1

#### Schedule 1 Amendment

(Section 3)

#### Section 57 Determination of credits to funds

Omit section 57 (2). Insert instead:

(2) The amounts to be credited, in the aggregate, to the funds for a general election are to be determined in accordance with the following formula:

$$A = E \times \frac{N}{12} \times \frac{M}{100}$$

where:

- A represents the aggregate amount (in dollars) to be credited to the funds.
- E represents the total number of electors enrolled for all electoral districts as at 6 pm on the day of the issue of the writs for the general election.
- *N* represents:
  - (a) the number of months between the day for the return of the writs for the general election and the day for the return of the writs for the previous general election (both days inclusive), any fraction of a month being treated as one month, or
  - (b) 48,

whichever is less.

*M* represents the amount (in cents) of the monetary unit.