

Sporting Venues Management Bill 2002

Explanatory note

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

This Bill is cognate with the *Olympic Co-ordination Authority Dissolution Bill 2002*.

Overview of Bill

The objects of this Bill are:

- (a) to incorporate the Minister as a corporation sole with the corporate name “Minister administering the *Sporting Venues Management Act 2002*”, and
- (b) to vest the Sydney International Shooting Centre in the Corporation and to enable other land to be vested in the Corporation, and
- (c) to constitute the Sydney International Shooting Centre Trust.

Outline of provisions

Part 1 Preliminary

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 (other than Part 3 and Schedule 2) on 30 June 2002. Part 3 and Schedule 2 commence on a day to be appointed by proclamation.

Clause 3 defines certain words and expressions used in the proposed Act.

Part 2 Corporation sole

Clause 4 incorporates the Minister as a corporation sole with the corporate name “Minister administering the *Sporting Venues Management Act 2002*”.

Clause 5 provides that the objects of the Corporation are:

- (a) to maintain and improve land vested in the Corporation (the **corporate lands**), and
- (b) to encourage the use and enjoyment of the corporate lands by the public and such clubs, associations or other bodies as the Corporation considers appropriate.

Clause 6 provides that the functions of the Corporation are:

- (a) to manage and develop the corporate lands, and
- (b) to permit the use of the corporate lands for activities of a sporting or recreational nature, and
- (c) to ensure that proper asset management plans are in place and implemented for the corporate lands, and
- (d) to enter into any contract or arrangement with any person for the purpose of promoting the objects of the Corporation.

Clause 7 provides for the vesting of the Sydney International Shooting Centre in the Corporation.

Clause 8 provides that the Governor may, by proclamation published in the Gazette, amend Schedule 1 to vest additional land in the Corporation.

Clause 9 makes provision in relation to the effect of vesting of land in the Corporation.

Clause 10 provides that the Corporation may, for the purposes of the proposed Act, acquire land by agreement or compulsory process in accordance with the *Land Acquisition (Just Terms Compensation) Act 1991*.

Part 3 Sydney International Shooting Centre Trust

Clause 11 defines certain terms used in Part 3 (and Schedule 2).

Clause 12 constitutes a trust under the corporate name of the “Sydney International Shooting Centre Trust”.

Clause 13 provides for the Trust to consist of 9 trustees appointed by the Minister and specifies that the trustees are to include persons representing or nominated by particular organisations or possessing particular skills.

Clause 14 provides that the function of the Trust is to care for, control and manage the Sydney International Shooting Centre.

Clause 15 provides that the Trust must ensure that a management agreement for the administration, operation and maintenance of the Shooting Centre is entered into within 6 months after the commencement of the proposed section. The Trust is dissolved if the management agreement has not been entered into within that time.

Part 4 Miscellaneous

Clause 16 provides for the appointment by the Director-General of the Department of Sport and Recreation of members of staff of that Department to be rangers for the purposes of the Act.

Clause 17 makes provision with respect to the seal of the corporation sole constituted by the proposed Act

Clause 18 provides that the Governor may make regulations under the Act.

Schedules

Schedule 1 describes the land vested in the Corporation.

Schedule 2 makes provision in relation to the trustees and procedure of the Trust.