

**CRIMINAL INJURIES COMPENSATION (AMENDMENT)
BILL, 1979**

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Explanatory Note relates to this Bill as introduced into Parliament)

This Bill is cognate with the Crimes (Compensation) Amendment Bill, 1979.

The objects of this Bill are :—

- (a) to amend the Criminal Injuries Compensation Act, 1967 ("the Act"), so as to remove the responsibility for the approval of payments under the Act from the Treasurer to the Attorney General;
 - (b) to enable the powers and duties under the Act of the Under Secretary of the Department of the Attorney General and of Justice, or the Acting Under Secretary of that Department, to be exercised or performed by any authorised Assistant Under Secretary of that Department;
 - (c) to make amendments of the Act by way of statute law revision; and
 - (d) to make other amendments of the Act of a minor or ancillary nature.
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CRIMINAL JUSTICE (COMMUNICATIONS) (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1979

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(The Explanatory Note relates to the Bill as introduced into Parliament.)

The Bill is intended to amend the Criminal Justice Act, 1967 (the Act).

The Bill is divided into three parts.

Part I amends the Criminal Justice Act, 1967 (the Act), to provide for the transfer of the functions of the Director of Public Prosecutions to the Attorney General.

Part II amends the powers and duties of the Director of Public Prosecutions and the Director of the Criminal Injuries Compensation Board, and provides for the transfer of the functions of the Director of Public Prosecutions to the Attorney General.

Part III amends the Criminal Justice Act, 1967 (the Act) to provide for the transfer of the functions of the Director of Public Prosecutions to the Attorney General.

**CRIMINAL INJURIES COMPENSATION
(AMENDMENT) BILL, 1979**

No. , 1979.

A BILL FOR

An Act to amend the Criminal Injuries Compensation Act, 1967,
so as to remove the responsibility for the approval of payments
made under that Act from the Treasurer to the Attorney
General; and for other purposes.

[MR F. J. WALKER—10 April, 1979.]

Criminal Injuries Compensation (Amendment).

BE it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :—

5 **1.** This Act may be cited as the “Criminal Injuries Compensation (Amendment) Act, 1979”. Short
title.

2. The Criminal Injuries Compensation Act, 1967, is amended in the manner set forth in Schedule 1. Amend-
ment
of Act
No. 14,
1967.

SCHEDULE 1.

Sec. 2.

**10 AMENDMENTS TO THE CRIMINAL INJURIES COMPENSATION ACT,
1967.**

(1) Long title—

Omit “1900, as amended by subsequent Acts”, insert instead “, 1900”.

15 (2) Section 2, definition of “Under Secretary”—

Omit the definition, insert instead :—

“Under Secretary” means—

- (a) the Under Secretary of the Department of the Attorney General and of Justice, and any person for the time being acting as Under Secretary of that Department; and

Criminal Injuries Compensation (Amendment).

SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE CRIMINAL INJURIES COMPENSATION
ACT, 1967—*continued.*

- 5 (b) any Assistant Under Secretary of that Department authorised in writing by the Under Secretary, as defined in paragraph (a), to exercise the powers and perform the duties of the Under Secretary under this Act.
- 10 (3) (a) Section 3 (a)—
Omit “subsection (3) of section 554 of the Crimes Act 1900, as amended by subsequent Acts”, insert instead “554 (3) of the Crimes Act, 1900”.
- (b) Section 3 (b)—
15 Omit “one hundred dollars”, insert instead “\$100”.
- (4) (a) Section 4 (1)—
Omit “person aggrieved”, insert instead “person alleging himself to be aggrieved”.
- (b) Section 4 (1)—
20 Omit “the aggrieved person” wherever occurring, insert instead “that person”.
- (c) Section 4 (1)—
25 Omit “subsection (3) of section 554, as the case may be, of the Crimes Act 1900, as amended by subsequent Acts”, insert instead “554 (3) of the Crimes Act, 1900”.

Criminal Injuries Compensation (Amendment).

SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE CRIMINAL INJURIES COMPENSATION
ACT, 1967—*continued.*

(d) Section 4 (2)—

5 Omit “one hundred dollars”, insert instead “\$100”.

(e) Section 4 (3)—

Omit “An aggrieved person”, insert instead “A
person”.

(5) (a) Section 5 (1)—

10 Omit “subsection (3) of section 4, furnish to the
Treasurer”, insert instead “4 (3), furnish to the
Attorney General”.

(b) Section 5 (1) (a)—

15 Omit “subsection (1) of section 4”, insert instead
“section 4 (1)”.

(c) Section 5 (2)—

Omit “Treasurer” wherever occurring, insert instead
“Attorney General”.

(d) Section 5 (2A)—

20 Omit “Treasurer”, insert instead “Attorney General”.

(6) (a) Section 6—

Omit “Treasurer any statement under subsection (1)
of section 5”, insert instead “Attorney General any
statement under section 5 (1)”.

Criminal Injuries Compensation (Amendment).

SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE CRIMINAL INJURIES COMPENSATION
ACT, 1967—*continued.*

- (b) Section 6—
5 Omit “paragraph (b) of that subsection”, insert
instead “section 5 (1) (b)”.
- (7) (a) Section 7 (1)—
Omit “aggrieved person” where firstly occurring, insert
instead “applicant”.
- 10 (b) Section 7 (1) (b)—
Omit “to the aggrieved person under section 457 (1)
of the Crimes Act 1900”, insert instead “under section
457 (1) of the Crimes Act, 1900, to the applicant as
an aggrieved person”.
- 15 (c) Section 7 (1) (d)—
Omit “aggrieved person” wherever occurring, insert
instead “applicant”.
- (d) Section 7 (2)—
20 Omit “Crimes Act 1900”, insert instead “Crimes Act,
1900”.
- (e) Section 7 (2)—
Omit “the aggrieved person” where firstly occurring,
insert instead “that person”.

BY AUTHORITY

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Criminal Justice Commission (Amendment)

SCHEDULE I - continued

AMENDMENTS TO THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE COMMISSION ACT, 1967 - continued

(b) Section 6 -
Omit paragraph (b) of that subsection; insert instead "section 5 (1) (b)".

(7) (a) Section 7 (1) -
Omit "aggrieved person" wherever occurring; insert instead "applicant".

(b) Section 7 (1) (b) -
Omit "to the aggrieved person" under section 427 (1) of the Crimes Act, 1900; insert instead "under section 427 (1) of the Crimes Act, 1900, to the applicant as an aggrieved person".

(c) Section 7 (1) (d) -
Omit "aggrieved person" wherever occurring; insert instead "applicant".

(b) Section 7 (2) -
Omit "Crimes Act 1900"; insert instead "Crimes Act 1900".

(c) Section 7 (2) -
Omit "the aggrieved person" wherever occurring; insert instead "that person".

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**CRIMINAL INJURIES COMPENSATION
(AMENDMENT) ACT, 1979, No. 102**

New South Wales



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Act No. 102, 1979.

An Act to amend the Criminal Injuries Compensation Act, 1967,
so as to remove the responsibility for the approval of payments
made under that Act from the Treasurer to the Attorney
General; and for other purposes. [Assented to, 17th May,
1979.]

Criminal Injuries Compensation (Amendment).

BE it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :—

Short
title.

1. This Act may be cited as the "Criminal Injuries Compensation (Amendment) Act, 1979".

Amend-
ment
of Act
No. 14,
1967.

2. The Criminal Injuries Compensation Act, 1967, is amended in the manner set forth in Schedule 1.

Sec. 2.

SCHEDULE 1.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CRIMINAL INJURIES COMPENSATION ACT,
1967.

(1) Long title—

Omit "1900, as amended by subsequent Acts", insert instead ", 1900".

(2) Section 2, definition of "Under Secretary"—

Omit the definition, insert instead :—

"Under Secretary" means—

- (a) the Under Secretary of the Department of the Attorney General and of Justice, and any person for the time being acting as Under Secretary of that Department; and

Criminal Injuries Compensation (Amendment).

SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE CRIMINAL INJURIES COMPENSATION
ACT, 1967—*continued.*

(b) any Assistant Under Secretary of that Department authorised in writing by the Under Secretary, as defined in paragraph (a), to exercise the powers and perform the duties of the Under Secretary under this Act.

(3) (a) Section 3 (a)—

Omit “subsection (3) of section 554 of the Crimes Act 1900, as amended by subsequent Acts”, insert instead “554 (3) of the Crimes Act, 1900”.

(b) Section 3 (b)—

Omit “one hundred dollars”, insert instead “\$100”.

(4) (a) Section 4 (1)—

Omit “person aggrieved”, insert instead “person alleging himself to be aggrieved”.

(b) Section 4 (1)—

Omit “the aggrieved person” wherever occurring, insert instead “that person”.

(c) Section 4 (1)—

Omit “subsection (3) of section 554, as the case may be, of the Crimes Act 1900, as amended by subsequent Acts”, insert instead “554 (3) of the Crimes Act, 1900”.

Criminal Injuries Compensation (Amendment).

SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*AMENDMENTS TO THE CRIMINAL INJURIES COMPENSATION
ACT, 1967—*continued.*

- (d) Section 4 (2)—
Omit “one hundred dollars”, insert instead “\$100”.
- (e) Section 4 (3)—
Omit “An aggrieved person”, insert instead “A person”.
- (5) (a) Section 5 (1)—
Omit “subsection (3) of section 4, furnish to the Treasurer”, insert instead “4 (3), furnish to the Attorney General”.
- (b) Section 5 (1) (a)—
Omit “subsection (1) of section 4”, insert instead “section 4 (1)”.
- (c) Section 5 (2)—
Omit “Treasurer” wherever occurring, insert instead “Attorney General”.
- (d) Section 5 (2A)—
Omit “Treasurer”, insert instead “Attorney General”.
- (6) (a) Section 6—
Omit “Treasurer any statement under subsection (1) of section 5”, insert instead “Attorney General any statement under section 5 (1)”.

Criminal Injuries Compensation (Amendment).

SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE CRIMINAL INJURIES COMPENSATION
ACT, 1967—*continued.*

(b) Section 6—

Omit “paragraph (b) of that subsection”, insert instead “section 5 (1) (b)”.

(7) (a) Section 7 (1)—

Omit “aggrieved person” where firstly occurring, insert instead “applicant”.

(b) Section 7 (1) (b)—

Omit “to the aggrieved person under section 457 (1) of the Crimes Act 1900”, insert instead “under section 457 (1) of the Crimes Act, 1900, to the applicant as an aggrieved person”.

(c) Section 7 (1) (d)—

Omit “aggrieved person” wherever occurring, insert instead “applicant”.

(d) Section 7 (2)—

Omit “Crimes Act 1900”, insert instead “Crimes Act, 1900”.

(e) Section 7 (2)—

Omit “the aggrieved person” where firstly occurring, insert instead “that person”.

In the name and on behalf of Her Majesty I assent to this Act.

A. R. CUTLER,
Governor.

*Government House,
Sydney, 17th May, 1979.*





