# LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS (PLUMBERS, GASFITTERS AND DRAINERS) AMENDMENT BILL, 1979

#### **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

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

This Bill is cognate with the Plumbers, Gasfitters and Drainers Bill, 1979. The objects of this Bill are—

- (a) to remove from the Liquefied Petroleum Gas Act, 1961, the power of the Governor to make regulations with respect to the control and licensing of persons to carry out certain work on pipes, equipment or apparatus used for the conveyance or consumption of liquefied petroleum gas other than in internal combustion engines; and
- (b) to prohibit the carrying out of certain work in connection with pipes, equipment or apparatus used for the conveyance or consumption of liquefied petroleum gas other than in internal combustion engines.

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#### A BILL FOR

An Act to amend the Liquefied Petroleum Gas Act, 1961, consequentially upon the enactment of the Plumbers, Gasfitters and Drainers Act, 1979.

[Mr Ferguson—22 March, 1979.]

**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 "Liquefied Petroleum Gas Short (Plumbers, Gasfitters and Drainers) Amendment Act, 1979". title.
  - 2. (1) Except as provided by subsection (2), this Act shall Commence-commence on the date of assent to this Act.
- (2) Section 3 shall commence on the day appointed and 10 notified under section 2 (3) of the Plumbers, Gasfitters and Drainers Act, 1979.
  - 3. The Liquefied Petroleum Gas Act, 1961, is amended—

    Amendment of Act No.
    3, 1961.
  - (a) by omitting section 5 and by inserting instead the sec. 5. following section:—
- 5. (1) Except as provided by subsection (2), any Penalties. person guilty of an offence against this Act or the regulations is liable to a penalty not exceeding \$100.
- (2) The regulations may impose a penalty not exceeding \$2,000 for any breach of the regulations for or with respect to—
  - (a) the carrying out of liquefied petroleum gasfitting work of any class or description (other than work carried out in connection with pipes, equipment or apparatus used for the

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		conveyance or consumption of liquefied petroleum gas in internal combustion engines) otherwise than by a person who—
5		(i) is the holder of a licence or certificate of registration granted under the Plumbers, Gasfitters and Drainers Act, 1979, in relation to which liquefied petroleum gasfitting work of that class or description is authorised work within the meaning of that Act; or
		<ul><li>(ii) does so under the immediate super- vision of the holder of such a licence; or</li></ul>
15	(b)	a person knowingly employing another to carry out work (referred to in paragraph (a)) of any class or description unless that other person—
20		(i) is the holder of a licence or certificate of registration granted under the Plumbers, Gasfitters and Drainers Act, 1979, in relation to which liquefied petroleum gasfitting work of that class or description is authorised work within the meaning of that Act; or
25		(ii) does so under the immediate super- vision of the holder of such a licence.

(b) by inserting in section 7 (1) (c) after the word "gas" Sec. 7. the words "in internal combustion engines". (Regulations.)

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Act No. 50, 1979.

An Act to amend the Liquefied Petroleum Gas Act, 1961, consequentially upon the enactment of the Plumbers, Gasfitters and Drainers Act, 1979. [Assented to, 9th May, 1979.]

**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 "Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Plumbers, Gasfitters and Drainers) Amendment Act, 1979".

Commencement.

- 2. (1) Except as provided by subsection (2), this Act shall commence on the date of assent to this Act.
- (2) Section 3 shall commence on the day appointed and notified under section 2 (3) of the Plumbers, Gasfitters and Drainers Act, 1979.

Amendment of Act No. 3, 1961.

3. The Liquefied Petroleum Gas Act, 1961, is amended—

Sec. 5.

(a) by omitting section 5 and by inserting instead the following section:—

Penalties.

- 5. (1) Except as provided by subsection (2), any person guilty of an offence against this Act or the regulations is liable to a penalty not exceeding \$100.
- (2) The regulations may impose a penalty not exceeding \$2,000 for any breach of the regulations for or with respect to—
  - (a) the carrying out of liquefied petroleum gasfitting work of any class or description (other than work carried out in connection with pipes, equipment or apparatus used for the

conveyance or consumption of liquefied petroleum gas in internal combustion engines) otherwise than by a person who—

- (i) is the holder of a licence or certificate of registration granted under the Plumbers, Gasfitters and Drainers Act, 1979, in relation to which liquefied petroleum gasfitting work of that class or description is authorised work within the meaning of that Act; or
- (ii) does so under the immediate supervision of the holder of such a licence; or
- (b) a person knowingly employing another to carry out work (referred to in paragraph (a)) of any class or description unless that other person—
  - (i) is the holder of a licence or certificate of registration granted under the Plumbers, Gasfitters and Drainers Act, 1979, in relation to which liquefied petroleum gasfitting work of that class or description is authorised work within the meaning of that Act; or
  - (ii) does so under the immediate supervision of the holder of such a licence.
- (b) by inserting in section 7 (1) (c) after the word "gas" Sec. 7. the words "in internal combustion engines". (Regulations.)

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

A. R. CUTLER, *Governor*.

Government House, Sydney, 9th May, 1979. Act No. 10, 1979.

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