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AMBULANCE SERVICES (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1983

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Bill is cognate with the Health Insurance Levies (Amendment) Bill, 1983.

The objects of this Bill are—

- (a) to repeal the provisions of the Ambulance Services Act, 1976, relating to ambulance contribution schemes (Schedule 1); and
- (b) to make provision for the termination of any such scheme on 1st February, 1984 (clause 4),

as a consequence of the establishment of the State Ambulance Insurance Plan by the proposed Health Insurance Levies (Amendment) Act, 1983.

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AMBULANCE SERVICES (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1983

No. , 1983.

A BILL FOR

An Act to amend the Ambulance Services Act, 1976, to repeal the provisions of that Act relating to ambulance contribution schemes and to make provision for the termination of any such scheme.

[MR BRERETON—23 *November*, 1983.]

Ambulance Services (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 Short title.

1. This Act may be cited as the "Ambulance Services (Amendment) Act, 1983".

Commencement.

2. (1) Except as provided by subsection (2), this Act shall commence 10 on the date of assent to this Act.

(2) Section 3 and Schedule 1 shall commence on 1st February, 1984.

Amendment of Act No. 72, 1976.

3. The Ambulance Services Act, 1976, is amended in the manner set forth in Schedule 1.

15 Termination of ambulance contribution schemes.

4. (1) A scheme established, conducted and operated by the Health Administration Corporation under section 7 of the Ambulance Services Act, 1976, immediately before 1st February, 1984, shall, on that date, be terminated.

Ambulance Services (Amendment).

(2) The Minister may give such directions of a savings or transitional nature as the Minister thinks fit consequent upon the termination of a scheme referred to in subsection (1).

(3) Any such directions have effect according to their tenor.

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SCHEDULE 1.

(Sec. 3.)

AMENDMENTS TO THE AMBULANCE SERVICES ACT, 1976.

- (1) Section 3—
Omit the matter relating to Part III.
- 10 (2) Section 4, definitions of “contribution”, “contribution scheme”,
“contributor”—
Omit the definitions.
- (3) Part III—
Omit the Part.
- 15 (4) Section 12 (3)—
After section 12 (2), insert:—
(3) Nothing in this section affects Part IV of the Health Insurance
Levies Act, 1982.

Ambulance Services (Amendment).

SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE AMBULANCE SERVICES ACT, 1976—*continued.*

(5) Section 14 (5) (a1)—

After section 14 (5) (a), insert:—

- 5 (a1) any person engaged in the conduct or operation of the State Ambulance Insurance Plan established under the Health Insurance Levies Act, 1982;

(6) Schedule 3, clauses 9–11—

Omit the clauses.

BY AUTHORITY

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**AMBULANCE SERVICES (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1983,
No. 163**

New South Wales



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Act No. 163, 1983.

An Act to amend the Ambulance Services Act, 1976, to repeal the provisions of that Act relating to ambulance contribution schemes and to make provision for the termination of any such scheme. [Assented to, 31st December, 1983.]

Ambulance Services (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 "Ambulance Services (Amendment) Act, 1983".

Commencement.

2. (1) Except as provided by subsection (2), this Act shall commence on the date of assent to this Act.

(2) Section 3 and Schedule 1 shall commence on 1st February, 1984.

Amendment of Act No. 72, 1976.

3. The Ambulance Services Act, 1976, is amended in the manner set forth in Schedule 1.

Termination of ambulance contribution schemes.

4. (1) A scheme established, conducted and operated by the Health Administration Corporation under section 7 of the Ambulance Services Act, 1976, immediately before 1st February, 1984, shall, on that date, be terminated.

Ambulance Services (Amendment).

(2) The Minister may give such directions of a savings or transitional nature as the Minister thinks fit consequent upon the termination of a scheme referred to in subsection (1).

(3) Any such directions have effect according to their tenor.

SCHEDULE 1.

(Sec. 3.)

AMENDMENTS TO THE AMBULANCE SERVICES ACT, 1976.

(1) Section 3—

Omit the matter relating to Part III.

(2) Section 4, definitions of “contribution”, “contribution scheme”, “contributor”—

Omit the definitions.

(3) Part III—

Omit the Part.

(4) Section 12 (3)—

After section 12 (2), insert:—

(3) Nothing in this section affects Part IV of the Health Insurance Levies Act, 1982.

Ambulance Services (Amendment).

SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*AMENDMENTS TO THE AMBULANCE SERVICES ACT, 1976—*continued.*

(5) Section 14 (5) (a1)—

After section 14 (5) (a), insert:—

- (a1) any person engaged in the conduct or operation of the State Ambulance Insurance Plan established under the Health Insurance Levies Act, 1982;

(6) Schedule 3, clauses 9–11—

Omit the clauses.

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

L. W. STREET,
*By Deputation from
His Excellency the Governor.*

*Government House,
Sydney, 31st December, 1983.*