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## LOCAL GOVERNMENT (ELECTIONS) AMENDMENT BILL, 1982

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### EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Bill is cognate with the Parliamentary Electorates and Elections (Amendment) Bill, 1982.

The object of this Bill is to provide that the qualification with respect to nationality of electors for local government elections shall be the same as that proposed for electors for the Legislative Assembly or Legislative Council under the Parliamentary Electorates and Elections (Amendment) Bill, 1982.

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**LOCAL GOVERNMENT (ELECTIONS) AMENDMENT  
BILL, 1982**

No. , 1982.

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**A BILL FOR**

An Act to amend section 50 of the Local Government Act, 1919, with respect to the qualification of electors under that Act.

[MR ANDERSON—30 *September*, 1982.]

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*Local Government (Elections) Amendment.*

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**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 "Local Government (Elections) Amendment Act, 1982".

**Commencement.**

2. (1) This section and section 1 shall commence on the date of assent 10 to this Act.

(2) Except as provided by subsection (1), this Act shall commence on the day appointed and notified under section 2 (2) of the Parliamentary Electorates and Elections (Amendment) Act, 1982.

**Amendment of Act No. 41, 1919.**

15 3. The Local Government Act, 1919, is amended by omitting section 50 (1) and by inserting instead the following subsection:—

(1) Subject to the provisions of this Act and unless disqualified by this or any other Act, every person not under 18 years of age, whether male or female—

20 (a) who is—

(i) an Australian citizen; or

(ii) a British subject (other than an Australian citizen) who was, immediately before the day appointed and notified under section 2 (2) of the Parliamentary Electorates and Elections (Amendment) Act, 1982, enrolled as an elector

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for the Legislative Assembly or enrolled in any other State or any Territory of the Commonwealth as an elector for the House of Representatives; and

(b) who has the requisite qualification,

5 shall be entitled to have his name placed on the list referred to in Division 4.

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**LOCAL GOVERNMENT (ELECTIONS) AMENDMENT ACT,  
1982, No. 113**

**New South Wales**



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**Act No. 113, 1982.**

An Act to amend section 50 of the Local Government Act, 1919, with respect to the qualification of electors under that Act. [Assented to, 1st December, 1982.]

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**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:—

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**Commencement.**

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shall be entitled to have his name placed on the list referred to in Division 4.

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

**J. A. ROWLAND,**  
*Governor.*

**Government House,**  
*Sydney, 1st December, 1982.*

