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**COAL MINES REGULATION (WORKERS
COMPENSATION) AMENDMENT BILL 1987**

NEW SOUTH WALES



EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Bill is cognate with the Workers Compensation Bill 1987.

The object of this Bill is to increase the penalty for certain offences under the Coal Mines Regulation Act 1982 generally related to safety in the work place.

Clause 1 specifies the short title of the proposed Act.

Clause 2 provides that, with minor exceptions, the proposed Act will commence on a day appointed by the Governor-in-Council.

Clause 3 is a formal provision that gives effect to the Schedule of amendments to the Principal Act.

Schedule 1 contains amendments which double the monetary penalty for the following offences under the Principal Act:

section 147 (allowing tourist or educational activities in a mine without a permit—
increased penalty of \$1,000)

section 166 (general penalty provision—increased penalty of \$4,000, or \$10,000 if a
corporation)



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SCHEDULE 1—AMENDMENTS TO THE COAL MINES REGULATION ACT 1982



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No. , 1987

A BILL FOR

An Act to amend the Coal Mines Regulation Act 1982 to increase penalties for offences under that Act.

Coal Mines Regulation (Workers Compensation) Amendment 1987

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 "Coal Mines Regulation (Workers Compensation) Amendment Act 1987".

Commencement

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

(2) Except as provided by subsection (1), this Act shall commence on such day as may be appointed by the Governor and notified by proclamation published in the Gazette.

Amendment of Act No. 67, 1982

15 3. The Coal Mines Regulation Act 1982 is amended in the manner set forth in Schedule 1.

SCHEDULE 1

(Sec. 3)

AMENDMENTS TO THE COAL MINES REGULATION ACT 1982

20 (1) Section 147 (**Tourist activities in mines or use of mines for educational purposes not allowed without a permit**)—

Omit "\$500", insert instead "\$1,000".

(2) Section 166 (**Penalties**)—

(a) Section 166 (1) (a)—

25 Omit "\$2,000", insert instead "\$4,000".

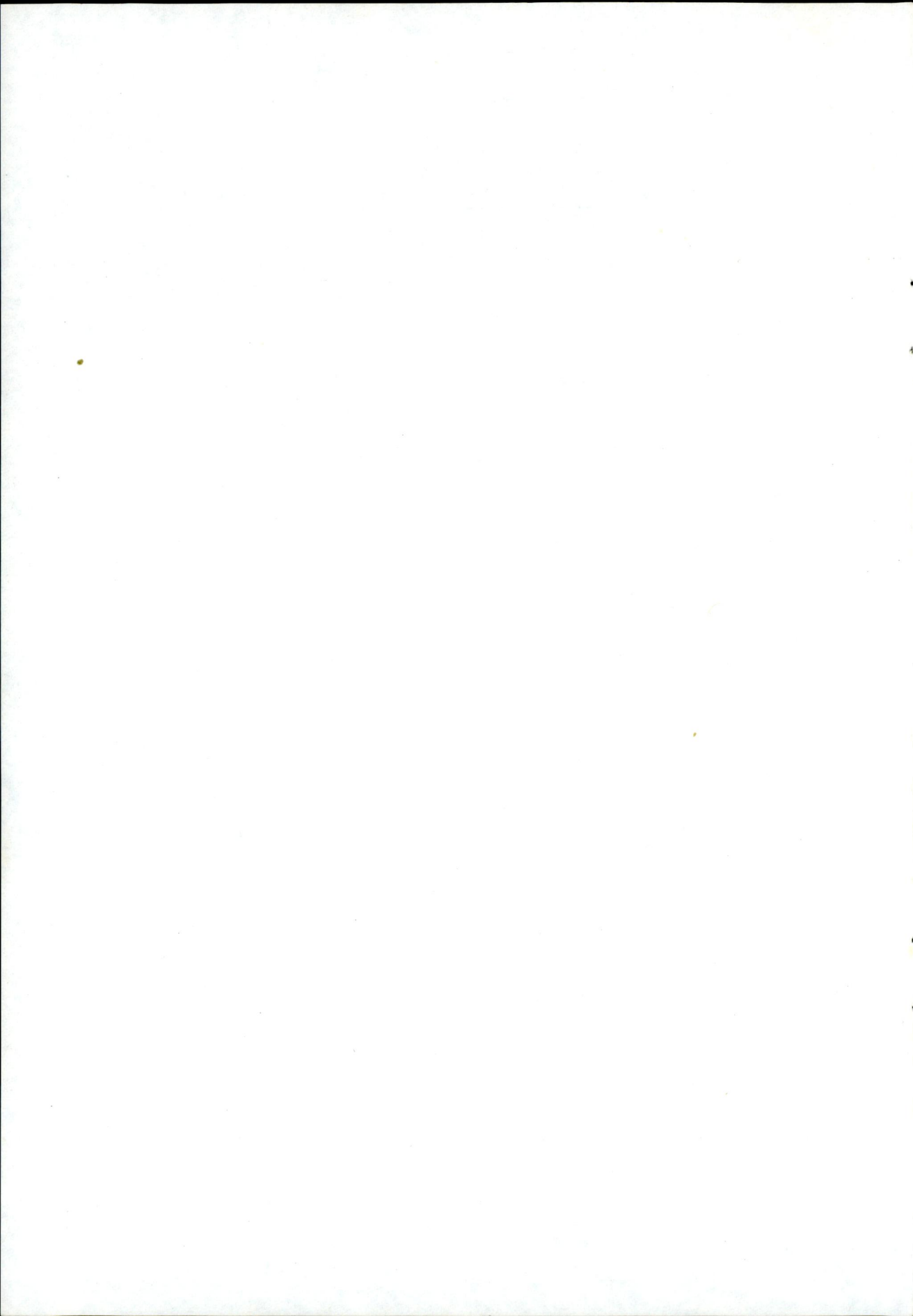
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SCHEDULE 1—*continued*

AMENDMENTS TO THE COAL MINES REGULATION ACT 1982—
continued

(b) Section 166 (1) (b)—

Omit "\$5,000", insert instead "\$10,000".



**COAL MINES REGULATION (WORKERS
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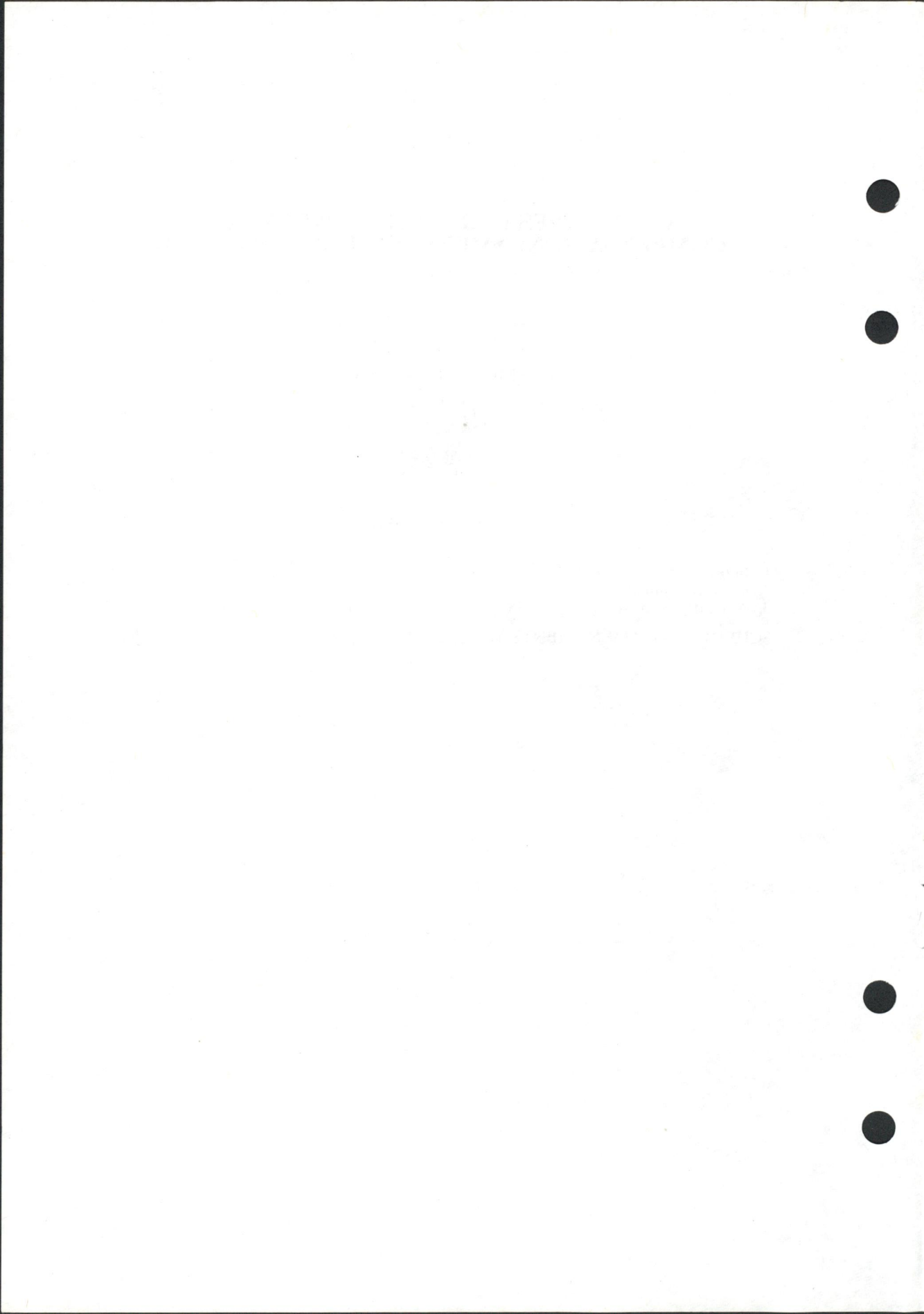
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**COAL MINES REGULATION (WORKERS COMPENSATION)
AMENDMENT ACT 1987 No. 71**

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Act No. 71, 1987

An Act to amend the Coal Mines Regulation Act 1982 to increase penalties for offences under that Act. [Assented to 10 June 1987]

Coal Mines Regulation (Workers Compensation) Amendment 1987

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 "Coal Mines Regulation (Workers Compensation) Amendment Act 1987".

Commencement

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

(2) Except as provided by subsection (1), this Act shall commence on such day as may be appointed by the Governor and notified by proclamation published in the Gazette.

Amendment of Act No. 67, 1982

3. The Coal Mines Regulation Act 1982 is amended in the manner set forth in Schedule 1.

SCHEDULE 1

(Sec. 3)

AMENDMENTS TO THE COAL MINES REGULATION ACT 1982

(1) Section 147 (**Tourist activities in mines or use of mines for educational purposes not allowed without a permit**)—

Omit "\$500", insert instead "\$1,000".

(2) Section 166 (**Penalties**)—

(a) Section 166 (1) (a)—

Omit "\$2,000", insert instead "\$4,000".

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued*

AMENDMENTS TO THE COAL MINES REGULATION ACT 1982—
continued

(b) Section 166 (1) (b)—

Omit “\$5,000”, insert instead “\$10,000”.



