

**HARNESS RACING AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL,  
1985**

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**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

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

This Bill is cognate with the Racing Appeals Tribunal (Amendment) Bill, 1985.

The object of this Bill is to enable the appointment as the Harness Racing Appeals Tribunal of a judge of any court (including the Industrial Commission of New South Wales) instead of only the District Court. The existing provision which enables the appointment of a person qualified to be appointed as a Judge of the District Court is being retained.

The Bill also makes other provisions of a transitional, ancillary or consequential nature.

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No. , 1985.

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**A BILL FOR**

An Act to amend the Harness Racing Authority Act, 1977, in relation to the persons who may be appointed as the Harness Racing Appeals Tribunal.

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*Harness Racing Authority (Amendment) 1985*

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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 "Harness Racing Authority (Amendment) Act, 1985".

**Principal Act.**

2. In this Act—

- 10 (a) except as provided by paragraph (b)—the Harness Racing Authority Act, 1977; or
- (b) if the Trotting Authority (Change of Names) Amendment Act, 1985, has not commenced before the date of assent to this Act— the Trotting Authority Act, 1977,

15 is referred to as the Principal Act.

**Amendment of Act No. 57, 1977.**

3. The Principal Act is amended in the manner set forth in Schedule 1.

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**SCHEDULE 1.**

(Sec. 3.)

**20 AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT.**

(1) Section 17A (1)—

Omit the subsection, insert instead:—

(1) In this section and Schedule 4—

25 "court" includes the Industrial Commission of New South Wales;

"qualified person" means a judge of any court or a person qualified to be appointed as a Judge of the District Court.

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SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PRINCIPAL ACT —*continued.*

- (2) (a) Schedule 4, clause 3—  
 5 Omit “Judge of the District Court” where firstly occurring in subclauses (1), (2) and (3), insert instead “judge of any court”.
- (b) Schedule 4, clause 3—  
 Omit “Judge of the District Court” where secondly occurring in subclauses (1), (2) and (3), insert instead “judge of that court”.
- 10 (c) Schedule 4, clauses 4, 5 (2), 5 (3) (a), 5 (4)—  
 Omit “Judge of the District Court” wherever occurring, insert instead “judge of any court”.
- (d) Schedule 4, clause 5 (1)—  
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- (e) Schedule 4, clause 5 (1) (a)—  
 Omit “Judge of the District Court”, insert instead “judge of that court”.

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**HARNESS RACING AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1985,  
No. 36**

*New South Wales*



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**ELIZABETHÆ II REGINÆ**

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**Act No. 36, 1985.**

An Act to amend the Harness Racing Authority Act, 1977, in relation to the persons who may be appointed as the Harness Racing Appeals Tribunal. [Assented to, 26th April, 1985.]

*Harness Racing Authority (Amendment) 1985*

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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:—

**Short title.**

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**Principal Act.**

2. In this Act—

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- (b) if the Trotting Authority (Change of Names) Amendment Act, 1985, has not commenced before the date of assent to this Act—the Trotting Authority Act, 1977,

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Omit “Judge of the District Court”, insert instead “judge of that court”.

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

J. A. ROWLAND,  
*Governor.*

*Government House,  
Sydney, 26th April, 1985.*

