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REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES (ADOPTION) 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 Adoption of Children (Amendment) Bill 1987.

The object of this Bill is to amend section 46 of the Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages Act 1973 so as to enable the Director-General of the Department of Youth and Community Services to delegate authority to consent to the release of information kept in the register of adoptions to another officer of the Department.

Clause 1 specifies the short title of the proposed Act.

Clause 2 is a formal provision giving effect to the amendments to the Principal Act.

Schedule 1 amends section 46 (Copy of recording in register of adoptions) of the Principal Act so as to enable the Director-General of the Department of Youth and Community Services to delegate authority to grant the consent referred to above to another officer of that Department.

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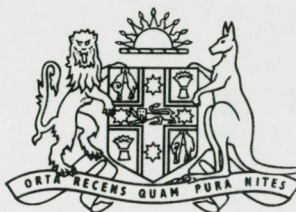
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(ADOPTION) AMENDMENT BILL 1987**

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No. , 1987

A BILL FOR

An Act to amend section 46 of the Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages Act 1973 with respect to the register of adoptions kept under that Act.

Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages (Adoption) Amendment 1987

The Legislature of New South Wales enacts:

Short title

1. This Act may be cited as the Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages (Adoption) Amendment Act 1987.

5 Amendment of Act No. 87, 1973

2. The Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages Act 1973 is amended as set out in Schedule 1.

**SCHEDULE 1—AMENDMENTS TO THE REGISTRATION OF
BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES ACT 1973**

10 (Sec. 2)

Section 46 (Copy of recording in register of adoptions)—

(1) Section 46 (1) (a)—

Omit the paragraph, insert instead:

15 (a) the Department Head of the Department of Youth and
Community Services, or another officer of that Department
authorised by the Department Head, so consents in writing;

(2) Section 46 (2)—

20 Omit “the Department Head of the Department of Youth and
Community Services gives his consent”, insert instead “the
Department Head of the Department of Youth and Community
Services, or another officer of that Department authorised by the
Department Head, consents”.

REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES (ADOPTION) AMENDMENT ACT 1987 No. 175

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Act No. 175, 1987

An Act to amend section 46 of the Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages Act 1973 with respect to the register of adoptions kept under that Act. [Assented to 4 December 1987]

Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages (Adoption) Amendment 1987

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Short title

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Amendment of Act No. 87, 1973

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