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An Act to amend the Transport Act 1930 to enable the regulations under that Act to provide for the cancellation of licences and vehicle registrations as a consequence of a failure to pay the penalty imposed by a penalty notice under those regulations or by a court in respect of certain offences. [Assented to 16 December 1987]

Transport (Penalty Defaults) Amendment 1987

The Legislature of New South Wales enacts:

Short title

1. This Act may be cited as the Transport (Penalty Defaults) Amendment Act 1987.

Commencement

2. This Act shall commence on 1 January 1988.

Amendment of Act No. 18, 1930, s. 265 (minor traffic offences)

3. The Transport Act 1930 is amended by inserting after section 265 (2) the following subsections:

(3) The regulations may make provision for or with respect to—

(a) the cancellation of any licence under the Motor Traffic Act 1909 held by a person who fails to pay—

(i) a penalty in respect of an offence under this Act or the regulations or an offence prescribed for the purposes of this section; and

(ii) any other determined charges;

(b) the cancellation of the registration under this Act of a vehicle owned by such a person; and

(c) the restoration, upon payment of such a penalty and charges and any other determined fee, of a registration cancelled in accordance with the regulations.

(4) Sections 169 and 169A do not apply to the cancellation, under regulations made for the purposes of this section, of a licence or registration.

Transitional provision

4. Regulations made for the purposes of section 265 (3) of the Transport Act 1930, as amended by this Act, may be made so as to apply in relation to penalties imposed before, as well as on or after, the date on which the regulations so made take effect.