

**EDUCATION AND PUBLIC INSTRUCTION  
(AMENDMENT) ACT 1988 No. 28**

NEW SOUTH WALES



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**EDUCATION AND PUBLIC INSTRUCTION (AMENDMENT) ACT  
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**Act No. 28, 1988**

**An Act to amend the Education and Public Instruction Act 1987 to restore  
the school certificate and for other purposes. [Assented to 6 July 1988]**

**The Legislature of New South Wales enacts:****Short title**

1. This Act may be cited as the Education and Public Instruction (Amendment) Act 1988.

**Amendment of Education and Public Instruction Act 1987 No. 62**

2. The Education and Public Instruction Act 1987 is amended as set out in Schedule 1.

**Saving of existing delegations**

3. A delegation under section 39 of the Education and Public Instruction Act 1987 and in force immediately before the commencement of this Act shall be taken to be a delegation under that section, as substituted by this Act.

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**SCHEDULE 1—AMENDMENTS**

(Sec. 2)

**(1) Long title—**

Omit “certificates of secondary education”, insert instead “school certificates”.

**(2) Section 3 (Definitions)—**

Section 3 (1), definition of “secondary certificate”—

Omit “certificate of secondary education”, insert instead “school certificate”.

**(3) Section 14 (Discipline in State schools)—**

Omit section 14 (2), insert instead:

(2) The Director-General (but not the Minister) may suspend or expel a child of any age from a State school.

**(4) Section 30 (Functions of the Board)—**

Section 30 (1) (a)—

Omit “certificates of secondary education” wherever occurring, insert instead “school certificates”.

**(5) Section 32 (School certificates)—****(a) Section 32 (1)—**

Omit “Certificates of secondary education”, insert instead “School certificates”.

**(b) Section 32 (1) (a)—**

After “have attended”, insert “, for a prescribed period.”.

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## (c) Section 32 (1) (b), (2)—

Omit “certificate of secondary education” wherever occurring, insert instead “school certificate”.

## (d) Section 32 (1) (c)—

Omit “or an approved stage of those courses”.

(6) Section 33 (**Higher school certificates**)—

## Section 33 (1) (a)—

Omit “who are qualified for the grant of a certificate of secondary education”, insert instead “who have been granted a school certificate”.

(7) Section 35 (**Reconsideration of decisions**)—

## Section 35 (1)—

Omit “certificate of secondary education”, insert instead “school certificate”.

## (8) Section 39—

Omit the section, insert instead:

**Delegation by the Minister, the Director-General or the Board**

39. The Minister, the Director-General or the Board may delegate to any person or body (including, in the case of a delegation by the Board, any committee of the Board) the exercise of any of their respective functions under this Act (other than the power of delegation conferred by this section).

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