



New South Wales

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT AMENDMENT ACT 1997 No 61—  
PROCLAMATION**

(L.S.) GORDON SAMUELS, Governor.

I, the Honourable Gordon Samuels AC, Governor of the State of New South Wales, with the advice of the Executive Council, and in pursuance of section 2 of the *Local Government Amendment Act 1997*, do, by this my Proclamation, appoint 18 July 1997 as the day on which that Act (except Schedule 1 [22], [26], [38] and [39] and Schedule 2.1) commences.

Signed and sealed at Sydney, this 9th day of July 1997.

By His Excellency's Command,

Ernie Page

Minister for Local Government.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

The object of this Proclamation is to commence certain provisions of the Act on 18 July 1997.

Schedule 1 [22] (dealing with the catching up of income lost due to reductions in valuation) and [26] (dealing with mixed development rating) are taken to have commenced on 1 July 1997.

Schedule 1 [38] and [39] (dealing with savings and transitional provisions) commenced on the date of assent.

Schedule 2.1 amends the *Bush Fires Act 1949*. That Act is to be repealed by the *Rural Fires Act 1997*.