



New South Wales

**EDUCATION REFORM AMENDMENT ACT 1997 No 127—  
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 *Education Reform Amendment Act 1997*, do, by this my Proclamation appoint:

- (a) 8 May 1998 as the day on which Schedule 1 [1], [3] and [6] to that Act commence, and
- (b) 1 January 2000 as the day on which Schedule 1 [2], [4] and [5] commence.

Signed and sealed at Sydney, this 6th day of May 1998.

By His Excellency's Command,

JOHN AQUILINA, M.P.,

Minister for Education and Training

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

The object of this Proclamation is to commence the uncommenced provisions of the *Education Reform Amendment Act 1997*. The provisions that relate to changes to the School Certificate curriculum and assessment procedures and to the objects of the *Education Act 1990* are to commence on 8 May 1998. The other provisions which relate to changes to the Higher School Certificate curriculum are to commence on 1 January 2000.

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\* The proclamation appointed 8.5.1998 as the date of commencement of Schedule 1 [1], [3] and [6] to the Act. Pursuant to s 23 (5) of the Interpretation Act 1987, the proclamation does not fail merely because it was not published in the Gazette until after the day appointed in the proclamation, but s 23 (5) provides, in that event, for the Act to commence on the day on which the proclamation was published in the Gazette.