

**NEWCASTLE GAS COMPANY LIMITED (AMENDMENT)
ACT, 1982, No. 75**

New South Wales



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Act No. 75, 1982.

An Act to amend The City of Newcastle Gas and Coke Company's Incorporation Act 1866 to change the name of the body incorporated under that Act to the Hunter Valley Gas Company Limited and to make further provision with respect to the powers of that body. [Assented to 21st May, 1982.]

Newcastle Gas Company Limited (Amendment).

BE it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be cited as the "Newcastle Gas Company Limited (Amendment) Act, 1982".

Commencement.

2. (1) This section, section 1 and Schedule 1 (2) shall commence on the date of assent to this Act.

(2) Section 3, in its application to a provision of Schedule 1, shall commence on the day on which that provision commences.

(3) Except as provided in this section, this Act shall commence on such day as may be appointed by the Governor in respect thereof and as may be notified by proclamation published in the Gazette.

Amendment of Act 30° Victoriae.

3. The City of Newcastle Gas and Coke Company's Incorporation Act 1866 is amended in the manner set forth in Schedule 1.

Newcastle Gas Company Limited (Amendment).

SCHEDULE 1.

(Sec. 3.)

AMENDMENTS TO THE CITY OF NEWCASTLE GAS AND COKE COMPANY'S
INCORPORATION ACT 1866.

(1) Section 1B—

After section 1A, insert:—

Further change of name of body politic and corporate.

1B. (1) On and from the day appointed and notified under section 2 (3) of the Newcastle Gas Company Limited (Amendment) Act, 1982—

- (a) the name of the body politic and corporate incorporated by section 1 shall be the "Hunter Valley Gas Company Limited";
- (b) a reference in any Act or other instrument (including the deed of settlement referred to in this Act) to The City of Newcastle Gas and Coke Company (Limited) or to the Newcastle Gas Company Limited shall be read and construed as a reference to the Hunter Valley Gas Company Limited.

(2) Nothing contained in the Newcastle Gas Company Limited (Amendment) Act, 1982, shall prejudice or affect in any way the continuity of the body politic and corporate incorporated by section 1.

(3) The alteration of name effected by subsection (1) shall not—

- (a) affect any property, powers, rights, authorities, duties, functions, liabilities or obligations of the body politic and corporate incorporated by section 1; or
- (b) render defective any legal or other proceedings instituted or to be instituted by or against that body politic and corporate, and any legal or other proceedings may be continued or commenced by or against that body politic and corporate by the name of the Hunter Valley Gas Company Limited that might have been continued or commenced by or against that body politic and corporate by the name of the Newcastle Gas Company Limited.

Newcastle Gas Company Limited (Amendment).

SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE CITY OF NEWCASTLE GAS AND COKE COMPANY'S
INCORPORATION ACT 1866—*continued.*

(2) Section 15A—

After section 15, insert:—

Further powers relating to gas production, etc.

15A. Subject to the Gas and Electricity Act, 1935, the Corporation may, in addition to its other powers under this Act relating to the production and supply of gas, produce, supply, distribute or dispose of, at any place within the Hunter Valley of New South Wales or at any other place approved from time to time by the Minister, gas, including natural gas and liquefied petroleum gas as defined in section 2 of the Liquefied Petroleum Gas, Act, 1961.

(3) Section 22—

Omit “The City of Newcastle Gas and Coke Company's Incorporation Act 1866.”, insert instead “the “Hunter Valley Gas Company Limited Act, 1866”.”.
