

Act No. 108

**ENERGY LEGISLATION (REPEALS AND SAVINGS) BILL  
1987**

NEW SOUTH WALES



**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

**(This Explanatory Note relates to this Bill as introduced into Parliament)**

This Bill is cognate with the Energy Administration Bill 1987.

The object of this Bill is to enact certain repeals and savings and transitional provisions as a consequence of the enactment of the Energy Administration Bill 1987 and its cognate Bills.

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Clause 1 specifies the short title of the proposed Act.

Clause 2 specifies that the proposed Act will, with minor exceptions, commence on the commencement of the Energy Administration Act 1987.

Clause 3 contains definitions.

Clause 4 gives effect to the Schedule of repeals.

Clause 5 gives effect to the Schedules of savings, transitional and other provisions.

**SCHEDULE 1—REPEALS**

This Schedule repeals certain Acts as a consequence of the enactment of the proposed Energy Administration Act 1987 and its cognate Acts.

*Energy Legislation (Repeals and Savings) 1987*

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**SCHEDULE 2—SAVINGS, TRANSITIONAL AND OTHER PROVISIONS  
RELATING TO THE SYDNEY COUNTY COUNCIL**

This Schedule contains savings and transitional provisions relating to the constitution of the Sydney County Council under the Electricity Act 1945 (presently cited as the Electricity Development Act 1945) and the repeal of the Electricity (Special Provisions) Act 1935 (formerly cited as the Gas and Electricity Act 1935). These include—

- (a) the continuation in office of the existing councillors of the Sydney County Council;
- (b) the continuation of the Sydney County Council as the same legal entity; and
- (c) the saving of the rights and obligations of holders of inscribed stock issued by the Sydney County Council.

**SCHEDULE 3—SAVINGS, TRANSITIONAL AND OTHER PROVISIONS  
RELATING TO THE ENERGY AUTHORITY**

This Schedule contains savings and transitional provisions relating to the replacement of the Energy Authority of New South Wales by the Energy Corporation of New South Wales. These include—

- (a) the abolition of the Authority and its continuation as the Energy Corporation;
- (b) provisions removing the members of the Authority from office;
- (c) provisions relating to the General Manager of the Authority; and
- (d) provisions relating to the property held by and the employees of the Authority.

**SCHEDULE 4—SAVINGS, TRANSITIONAL AND OTHER PROVISIONS  
RELATING TO THE ELECTRICITY DEVELOPMENT (AMENDMENT) ACT 1987**

This Schedule contains savings and transitional provisions relating to the enactment of the proposed Electricity Development (Amendment) Act 1987. These include—

- (a) provisions setting out the persons who are to be appointed, and the manner of their appointment, as the first general managers and assistant general managers of electricity councils;
  - (b) the saving of agreements made between the Energy Authority and electricity supply authorities relating to subsidies;
  - (c) provision for certain applications made before the commencement of the proposed Act to the Authority to be dealt with by the Director of the Department of Energy; and
  - (d) the saving of approvals and exemptions given by the Authority before the appointed day.
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