

New South Wales

Industrial Relations Amendment (Industrial Court) Bill 2016

Explanatory note

This explanatory note relates to this Bill as introduced into Parliament.

Overview of Bill

The objects of this Bill are:

- (a) to amend the *Industrial Relations Act 1996*:
 - (i) to abolish the Industrial Court (also referred to in that Act as the Industrial Relations Commission in Court Session), and
 - (ii) to appoint the current President of the Industrial Relations Commission (in his capacity as the only remaining judicial member of the Commission) as a Judge of the Supreme Court, and
 - (iii) to reconstitute the Industrial Relations Commission so that it consists of a Chief Commissioner and Commissioners, and
- (b) to amend certain legislation:
 - (i) to transfer the functions of the Industrial Court principally to the Supreme Court and, in some cases, to the District Court and the Industrial Relations Commission, and
 - (ii) to update references consequent on the reconstitution of the Industrial Relations Commission, and
- (c) to repeal certain other Acts.

Outline of provisions

Clause 1 sets out the name (also called the short title) of the proposed Act.

Clause 2 provides for the commencement of the proposed Act.

Schedule 1 Amendment of Industrial Relations Act 1996 No 17

Schedule 1 amends the *Industrial Relations Act 1996*:

- (a) to abolish the Industrial Court, and
- (b) to transfer its functions under the Act in relation to the cancellation of the registration of associations of employing contractors for public vehicles and carriers to the Industrial Relations Commission, and
- (c) to transfer its other functions under the Act to the Supreme Court, and
- (d) to appoint the current President of the Industrial Relations Commission (in his capacity as the only remaining judicial member of the Commission) as a Judge of the Supreme Court and preserve his current remuneration until that of a Judge of the Supreme Court exceeds it, and
- (e) to reconstitute the Industrial Relations Commission by:
 - (i) abolishing the office of President of the Commission and replacing it with the office of Chief Commissioner, and
 - (ii) abolishing the offices of judicial member, Vice-President and Deputy President of the Commission, and
 - (iii) retaining the office of Commissioner of the Commission, and
- (f) to make other consequential amendments to the Act.

Schedule 2 Consequential amendment of other legislation

Schedule 2 makes consequential amendments to other legislation. In particular, the Schedule:

- (a) amends certain Acts and statutory rules to update references to abolished offices of the Industrial Relations Commission, and
- (b) amends the Dangerous Goods (Road and Rail Transport) Act 2008, Explosives Act 2003, Work Health and Safety Act 2011 and Workplace Injury Management and Workers Compensation Act 1998 to provide for the District Court to exercise functions under them instead of the Industrial Court, and
- (c) amends the *Employment Protection Act 1982* to provide for certain appeals to be heard by a Full Bench of the Industrial Relations Commission instead of the Industrial Court, and
- (d) amends certain other Acts and statutory rules to provide for the Supreme Court to exercise the functions under them instead of the Industrial Court, and
- (e) amends the *Judges' Pensions Act 1953* to ensure that former Presidents, Vice-Presidents and Deputy Presidents of the Industrial Relations Commission (and their families) will continue to have their entitlements under that Act determined by reference to current comparable offices, and
- (f) amends the *Supreme Court Act 1970* to enable certain persons (in addition to the parties to certain industrial proceedings) who can currently appeal against decisions of the Industrial Court to continue to be able to appeal to the Court of Appeal against decisions in industrial proceedings before the Supreme Court, and
- (g) amends the *Workplace Surveillance Act 2005* to provide for Judges of the Supreme Court who have agreed to be eligible Judges under the *Surveillance Devices Act 2007* to exercise certain functions concerning covert surveillance that are currently exercised by judicial members of the Industrial Relations Commission in their personal capacities.

Schedule 3 Repeals

Schedule 3 repeals each of the following amending Acts because they will not be of practical utility once the Industrial Court is abolished:

- (a) the Courts and Crimes Legislation Amendment Act 2009,
- (b) the Courts and Crimes Legislation Further Amendment Act 2010,
- (c) the Industrial Relations Amendment (Jurisdiction of Industrial Relations Commission) Act 2009,
- (d) the Industrial Relations Further Amendment (Jurisdiction of Industrial Relations Commission) Act 2009.

The Schedule also repeals the *Transport Appeal Boards Act 1980*, which conferred appellate jurisdiction on the Industrial Court, and is now spent.



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A Bill for

An Act to amend the *Industrial Relations Act 1996* and certain other legislation to abolish the Industrial Court and transfer its functions and reconstitute the Industrial Relations Commission; to repeal and amend certain legislation consequentially; and for other purposes.

The	Legisl	ature of New South Wales enacts:	1
1	Nam	e of Act	2
		This Act is the Industrial Relations Amendment (Industrial Court) Act 2016.	3
2	Commencement		
	(1)	This Act commences on a day or days to be appointed by proclamation, except as provided by subsection (2).	5
	(2)	Schedule 1 [115]–[117] commence on the date of assent to this Act.	7

Scł	nedu	le 1	Amendment of Industrial Relations Act 1996 No 17	1 2	
[1]	Secti	on 15 (Commencement of award	3	
	Omit	"a Pres	sidential Member" from the note at the end of the section.	4	
	Inser	t insteac	d "the Chief Commissioner".	5	
[2]	Secti	on 91 I	nterpretation	6	
	Omit	"Presid	lent of the Commission" from the definition of <i>approved form</i> in section 91 (1).	7	
	Inser	t insteac	d "Chief Commissioner".	8	
[3]	Chap	ter 2, F	Part 9 Unfair contracts	9	
	Omit	"Comn	nission" wherever occurring (except sections 105 and 109).	10	
	Inser	t insteac	d "Supreme Court".	11	
[4]	Secti	on 105	Definitions	12	
	Omit	the not	e at the end of the section.	13	
[5]	Section 109				
	Omit	the sec	tion. Insert instead:	15	
	109	Supre	me Court may refer applications to Commission for conciliation	16	
		` ′	If the Supreme Court considers it appropriate to do so, it is to refer an application to the Commission for conciliation within the period (if any) that it may order.	17 18 19	
		, ,	The Chief Commissioner must, if satisfied that all reasonable attempts have been made to settle the matter but have been unsuccessful, issue a certificate to that effect to the parties to the application and the Principal Registrar of the Supreme Court.	20 21 22 23	
			If a certificate has been issued under subsection (2), the Supreme Court is to determine the application in accordance with this Act.	24 25	
		(4)	However, if the application is settled by conciliation, the Supreme Court may:	26	
			(a) dismiss the application, or	27	
			(b) make an order on the agreed terms of the settlement.	28	
[6]			Arbitration after attempted conciliation	29	
		"Presi on 135 (ident of the Commission" and "constituted by the President" from 3).	30 31	
		t instea ctively.	d "Chief Commissioner" and "constituted by the Chief Commissioner",	32 33	
[7]	Secti	on 139	Contravention of dispute order	34	
	Omit	"Comn	nission" wherever occurring (except the note). Insert instead "Supreme Court".	35	
[8]	Secti	on 139		36	
	Omit	the not	e at the end of the section.	37	

[9]	Section 146 General functions of Commission	1
	Omit the second sentence of section 146 (2).	2
[10]	Section 146C Commission to give effect to certain aspects of government policy on public sector employment	3 4
	Omit section 146C (5).	5
[11]	Section 146D Commission has no jurisdiction in respect of death and disability payments for police officers	6 7
	Omit section 146D (6).	8
[12]	Section 147	9
	Omit the section. Insert instead:	10
	147 Constitution of Commission	11
	The Commission consists of the following members:	12
	(a) a Chief Commissioner,	13
	(b) Commissioners.	14
[13]	Section 148 Appointment of members of the Commission	15
	Insert at the end of the section:	16
	(2) A person is not eligible to be appointed as the Chief Commissioner unless the person is:	17 18
	(a) a person who holds or has held a judicial office of this State or of the Commonwealth, another State or a Territory, or	19 20
	(b) an Australian lawyer.	21
[14]	Section 149 Judicial members	22
	Omit the section.	23
[15]	Section 150 Provisions relating to members of Commission	24
	Omit "(including judicial members)" and the note to the section.	25
[16]	Chapter 4, Part 3 The Commission in Court Session	26
	Omit the Part.	27
[17]	Section 155 Constitution of Commission for exercise of functions	28
	Omit "except in the case of the Commission in Court Session," from section 155 (1) (b).	29
[18]	Section 155 (2)	30
	Omit the subsection.	31
[19]	Section 156 Full Bench of Commission	32
	Omit "Subject to section 155 (2), a" and "President" from section 156 (1).	33
	Insert instead "A" and "Chief Commissioner", respectively.	34
[20]	Section 156 (1), note	35
	Omit the note.	36

[21]	Section 15	66 (2)	1
	Omit the su	ubsection.	2
[22]	Section 15	7 Regional matters	3
	Omit "Pres	ident of the Commission" wherever occurring in section 157 (1) and (2).	4
	Insert instead	ad "Chief Commissioner".	5
[23]	Section 15	7 (2)	6
	Omit "that	the President". Insert instead "that the Chief Commissioner".	7
[24]	Section 15	7 (3)	8
	Omit ", and	d a regional office of the Industrial Registry must be established in,".	9
[25]	Section 15	8 Matters relating to general award review or discrimination in workplace	10
	Omit "Prewherever o	sident of the Commission", "Deputy Presidents" and "Deputy President" ccurring.	11 12
	Insert ins respectively	tead "Chief Commissioner", "Commissioners" and "Commissioner", y.	13 14
[26]	Section 15	9 Arrangement of business	15
	Omit "Pres	ident of the Commission" from section 159 (1).	16
	Insert instead	ad "Chief Commissioner".	17
[27]	Section 15	9 (2)	18
	Omit the su	ubsection.	19
[28]	Section 16	0	20
	Omit the se	ection. Insert instead:	21
	160 Dele	gation by Chief Commissioner	22
		The Chief Commissioner may delegate to a Commissioner any of the functions of the Chief Commissioner, other than this power of delegation.	23 24
[29]	Section 16	1 Annual report	25
	Omit "Pres	ident of the Commission". Insert instead "Chief Commissioner".	26
[30]	Section 16	2 Procedure generally	27
	Omit "(exc	ept when it is in Court Session)" from section 162 (2) (i).	28
[31]	Section 16	2A Transfer of certain proceedings to Industrial Magistrates	29
	Omit section	on 162A (2) and (3). Insert instead:	30
	(2)	If any proceedings to which this section applies have been instituted in or before the Supreme Court, but the hearing of the matter has not been commenced, the Chief Justice or another Judge of the Supreme Court may order the transfer of the proceedings to the Local Court to be dealt with by the Local Court.	31 32 33 34 35
	(3)	The Chief Justice or Judge of the Supreme Court is not to make an order under this section unless:	36 37

	(a) the Chief Justice or Judge is satisfied that the proceedings concerned should have been instituted in the Local Court because of the nature of the proceedings, or	1 2 3
	(b) the Local Court has jurisdiction to deal with the proceedings.	4
[32]	Section 162B Exercise of Commission's functions by Industrial Registrar and Registry officers	5
	Omit "President" from section 162B (1). Insert instead "Chief Commissioner".	7
[33]	Section 163 Rules of evidence and legal formality	8
	Omit section 163 (2).	9
[34]	Section 164 Powers of Commission as to the production of evidence and perjury	10
	Omit section 164 (2). Insert at the end of the section: Note. See also sections 180 (Contempt of Commission—offence) and 355D (Proceedings for contempt of Commission).	11 12 13
[35]	Section 164A Powers of Commission as to the disclosure of matters before the Commission	14 15
	Omit section 164A (2) and (5).	16
[36]	Section 164A (3)	17
	Omit "(other than in Court Session)".	18
[37]	Section 168 Criminal procedure	19
	Omit the section.	20
[38]	Section 169 Anti-discrimination matters Omit section 169 (5).	21 22
[39]	Section 172 Power to order secret ballot	23
	Omit section 172 (8).	24
[40]	Section 176 Reconstitution of Commission during hearing	25
	Omit "President of the Commission" from section 176 (1).	26
	Insert instead "Chief Commissioner".	27
[41]	Section 176 (1)	28
	Omit the second sentence.	29
[42]	Section 176 (3) and (4)	30
	Omit the subsections.	31
[43]	Section 178 Commission divided in opinion	32
	Omit section 178 (2). Insert instead:	33
	(2) If the members are equally divided in their opinion, the opinion that prevails is:	34 35
	(a) the opinion of the Chief Commissioner if the Chief Commissioner is sitting, or	36 37

			(b)	if the Chief Commissioner is not sitting—the opinion of the senior member of the Commission sitting.	1 2
[44]	Sect	ions 1	78A a	nd 178B	3
	Inser	t after	section	n 178:	4
	178A	Refe	rence	of questions of law to Supreme Court	5
		(1)	ques	Commission may, of its own motion or at the request of a party, refer a tion of law arising in the proceedings to the Supreme Court for the opinion e Court.	6 7 8
		(2)		Commission may refer a question of law under this section only if the f Commissioner has consented in writing to the question being referred.	9 10
		(3)	refer	Supreme Court has jurisdiction to hear and determine any question of law red to it under this section, but may decline to exercise that jurisdiction if nsiders it appropriate to do so.	11 12 13
		(4)		question of law arising in proceedings has been referred to the Supreme t under this section, the Commission is not:	14 15
			(a)	to give a decision in the proceedings to which the question is relevant while the reference is pending, or	16 17
			(b)	to proceed in a manner, or make a decision, that is inconsistent with the opinion of the Supreme Court on the question.	18 19
		(5)	an ap	section (4) extends to a Full Bench of the Commission that is determining opeal from a decision of the Commission in proceedings before which a tion of law has been referred by the Commission at first instance to the teme Court under this section.	20 21 22 23
	178B	Tran	sfer o	f proceedings from Commission to Supreme Court	24
		(1)	proce that	Supreme Court may, on application or of its own motion, order that eedings before the Commission be transferred to the Court if it is satisfied the Court (and not the Commission) has jurisdiction to deal with the eedings.	25 26 27 28
		(2)	befor	application may be made under subsection (1) by a party to proceedings re the Commission or proceedings before the Supreme Court (including eedings under section 178A).	29 30 31
		(3)	facili prese	Supreme Court may make such other orders as it considers necessary to itate the transfer of the proceedings (including orders that continue or erve the effect of matters already done in or for the proceedings in the imission).	32 33 34 35
[45]	Sect	ion 17	9 Fina	ality of decisions	36
				not extend to any such purported decision of the Commission in Court etion 179 (4).	37 38
[46]	Sect	ion 18	0 Con	tempt of Commission—offence	39
	Omit	sectio	n 180	(3).	40
[47]	Sect	ion 18	1 Cos	ts	41
	Omit	"when	n it is 1	not in Court Session" from section 181 (2).	42

[48]	Section 181 (3) Omit the subsection.	1
[49]	Section 182 Recovery of amounts ordered to be paid	9
[]	Omit ", but not including a criminal or civil penalty" from section 182 (1).	4
[50]	Section 185 Rules of Commission Omit section 185 (4).	5
[51]	Section 185A Practice notes Omit "President" from section 185A (1). Insert instead "Chief Commissioner".	7
[52]	Section 185A (1) Omit the note.	9 10
[53]	Section 186 Establishment and procedure of the Rule Committee of the Commission Omit "President of the Commission" wherever occurring. Insert instead "Chief Commissioner".	11 12 13
[54]	Section 186 (1) (b) Omit the paragraph. Insert instead: (b) 2 Commissioners appointed by the Chief Commissioner.	14 15 16
[55]	Section 186 (4) (b) Omit "President" wherever occurring. Insert instead "Chief Commissioner".	17 18
[56]	Section 187 Appeal to Full Bench from decision of Commission Omit section 187 (2) (including the note).	19 20
[57]	Section 189 Time and procedure for making appeals Omit "a Presidential Member" from section 189 (1). Insert instead "the Chief Commissioner (or a Commissioner nominated by the Chief Commissioner)".	21 22 23 24
[58]	Section 190 Stay of decision appealed against Omit "a Presidential Member". Insert instead "the Chief Commissioner (or a Commissioner nominated by the Chief	25 26 27
[59]	Commissioner)". Section 190A Interlocutory and other matters in proceedings on appeal Omit "President" wherever occurring in section 190A (1).	28 29 30
	Insert instead "Chief Commissioner".	31
[60]	Section 193 References by members to Full Bench Omit "President" wherever occurring in section 193 (1) and (2). Insert instead "Chief Commissioner".	32 33

[61]	Section 19	3 (5)	1
	Omit the su	absection.	2
[62]	Section 19	5 Reference by, or removal from, Industrial Registrar to Commission	3
	Omit "Pres	ident" wherever occurring. Insert instead "Chief Commissioner".	4
[63]	Section 19	7 Appeals from Local Court	5
	Omit "Con	nmission in Court Session" wherever occurring in section 197 (1) and (4).	6
	Insert inste	ad "Supreme Court".	7
[64]	Section 19	7 (5)	8
	Omit the su	absection. Insert instead:	9
	(5)	Section 179 (Finality of decisions) applies to a decision or purported decision of the Local Court in proceedings to which this section applies in the same way as it applies to a decision or purported decision of the Commission.	10 11 12
[65]	Section 19 and discip	7B Appeals on questions of law in relation to public sector promotional linary matters	13 14
	Omit "Con	imission in Court Session" wherever occurring. Insert instead "Supreme Court".	15
[66]	Section 19	8 Establishment of Industrial Committees	16
	Omit "a Pro	esidential Member" from section 198 (1).	17
	Insert inste	ad "the Chief Commissioner".	18
[67]	Section 19	9 Functions of Industrial Committee	19
	Omit "Pres	ident of the Commission" from section 199 (2) (a).	20
	Insert inste	ad "Chief Commissioner".	21
[68]	Section 19	9 (5)	22
	Omit the su	absection.	23
[69]	Section 20	0 Duration and dissolution of Industrial Committees	24
	Omit "a Pro	esidential Member" wherever occurring in section 200 (2) and (3).	25
	Insert inste	ad "the Chief Commissioner".	26
[70]	Section 20	2 Definitions	27
	Omit "the I	President' from the definition of <i>State President</i> .	28
	Insert inste	ad "the Chief Commissioner".	29
[71]	Section 20	4 Referral of matter by State President to Federal Commission	30
	Omit section	on 204 (5).	31
[72]	Section 20	6 Dual Federal and State appointments of members	32
	Omit the de	efinition of <i>member of the State Commission</i> from section 206 (6).	33

[73]	Chapter 5	Indust	trial organisations	1		
	Omit "Con Chapter 5.	mmissi	ion" wherever occurring in Parts 3, 4 (except Division 3) and 5 of	3		
	Insert inste	ad "Su	ipreme Court".	4		
[74]	Section 23	31A		5		
	Insert after	section	n 231:	6		
2	231A Noti	ficatio	on of cancellation proceedings and decisions	7		
		The Regi	Principal Registrar of the Supreme Court must notify the Industrial istrar about each of the following:	8		
		(a)	that an application for the cancellation of the registration of an industrial organisation has been filed with the Supreme Court,	10 11		
		(b)	that the Supreme Court has cancelled the registration of an industrial organisation.	12 13		
[75]	Section 23	33 Арр	olication of Part to State organisations	14		
	Omit the n	ote to t	the section.	15		
[76]	Section 3	18 Con	nmencement of determination	16		
	Omit "a Pr	esiden	tial Member" from the note at the end of the section.	17		
	Insert inst Commission		he Chief Commissioner (or a Commissioner nominated by the Chief	18 19		
[77]	Section 33	34 Can	cellation of registration	20		
	Omit "The	Comn	nission in Court Session" and "the Commission" wherever occurring.	21		
	Insert inste	ad "A	Full Bench of the Commission" and "the Full Bench", respectively.	22		
[78]	Section 33	38 With	ndrawal or cancellation of registration	23		
	Omit "The	Comn	nission in Court Session" and "the Commission" wherever occurring.	24		
	Insert inste	ad "Th	ne Supreme Court" and "the Supreme Court", respectively.	25		
[79]	Section 34	17 Con	tract of Carriage Tribunal	26		
	Omit section	on 347	(2) and (3). Insert instead:	27		
	(2)	Exce of th	ept as provided by subsection (3), the Tribunal is constituted by a member the Commission sitting alone.	28 29		
	(3)	purp 2 pai	ne case of arbitration proceedings under this Part, the Tribunal is, for the poses of the proceedings, constituted by a member of the Commission and art-time members nominated by the member of the Commission, one from the arbitration panels.	30 31 32 33		
[80]	Section 34	1 7 (8) (b)	34		
	Omit "Pres	sidentia	al member". Insert instead "member of the Commission".	35		
[81]	Section 34	18 Con	npulsory conference with respect to claims	36		
	Omit "Pres	sident o	of the Commission" wherever occurring in section 348 (4) and (5).	37		
	Insert instead "Chief Commissioner"					

[82]		ion 348 (5)		1
	Omit	"Presidentia	al Member". Insert instead "member of the Commission".	2
[83]	Sect	ion 351 Gen	eral procedure and powers of Tribunal	3
	Omit	"other than	in Court Session" from section 351 (1).	4
[84]	Sect	ion 352 Voti	ing by members of Tribunal	5
	Omit	"Presidentia	al Member" wherever occurring in section 352 (3).	6
	Inser	t instead "me	ember of the Commission".	7
[85]	Sect	ion 353 Cos	its.	8
[00]			al Member" from section 353 (2).	9
			ember of the Commission".	10
FO 61			Sinoer of the Commission .	
[86]	_	oter 6A		11
	Inser	t after Chapt	er 6:	12
	Cha	anter 64	A Industrial proceedings before Supreme	13
	O	aptor or	Court	14
3	55A	Definitions	S	15
			ris Chapter:	16
			astrial legislation means any of the following:	17
		(a)	this Act,	18
		(b)	the Annual Holidays Act 1944,	19
		(c)	the Coal and Oil Shale Mine Workers (Superannuation) Act 1941,	20
		(d)	the Contract Cleaning Industry (Portable Long Service Leave Scheme) Act 2010,	21 22
		(e)	the Employment Protection Act 1982,	23
		(f)	the Entertainment Industry Act 2013,	24
		(g)	the Health Services Act 1997,	25
		(h)	the Industrial Relations (Child Employment) Act 2006,	26
		(i)	the Long Service Leave Act 1955,	27
		(j)	the Long Service Leave (Metalliferous Mining Industry) Act 1963,	28
		(k)	the Superannuation Administration Act 1996,	29
		(1)	a statutory rule under any of those Acts.	30
			astrial proceedings means proceedings before the Supreme Court for the cise of its functions under any industrial legislation.	31 32
3	55B	Jurisdiction	on of Supreme Court	33
		The	Supreme Court has jurisdiction over the following proceedings:	34
		(a)	proceedings for an offence against any industrial legislation (including proceedings for contempt of the Commission),	35 36
		(b)	proceedings under Part 9 of Chapter 2 (Unfair contracts),	37
		(c)	proceedings under section 139 (Contravention of dispute order)	38

		(d) proceedings under section 197B (Appeals on questions of law in relation to public sector promotional and disciplinary matters),	1 2
		(e) proceedings under Parts 3, 4 and 5 of Chapter 5 (which deal with the registration and regulation of industrial organisations), other than Division 3 of Part 4 (Election of officers),	3 4 5
		(f) proceedings for declarations of right under section 355C (Declaratory jurisdiction),	6 7
		(g) proceedings under Part 1 of Chapter 7 (Breach of industrial instruments),	8 9
		(h) proceedings for the recovery of money under Part 2 of Chapter 7 (other than small claims under section 380),	10 11
		(i) proceedings on a superannuation appeal under section 88 of the Superannuation Administration Act 1996,	12 13
		(j) proceedings on an appeal or case stated under any industrial legislation from an Industrial Magistrate or any other court,	14 15
		(k) any other industrial proceedings.	16
355C	Decl	aratory jurisdiction	17
	(1)	The Supreme Court may make binding declarations of right in relation to a matter in which the Commission (however constituted) has jurisdiction. The Supreme Court may do so, whether or not any consequential relief is or could be claimed.	18 19 20 21
	(2)	Proceedings before the Supreme Court are not open to objection on the ground that a declaration of right only is sought.	22 23
	(3)	This section does not limit any jurisdiction or power that the Supreme Court has apart from this section to make binding declarations of right. Note. See, for example, section 75 of the Supreme Court Act 1970.	24 25 26
355D	Proc	eedings for contempt of Commission	27
	(1)	If it is alleged, or appears to the Commission on its own view, that a person is guilty of contempt of the Commission, the Commission may refer the matter to the Supreme Court for determination.	28 29 30
	(2)	For the purposes of subsection (1), conduct is contempt only if the same conduct in relation to the Supreme Court would be a contempt of the Supreme Court.	31 32 33
	(3)	The Supreme Court is to dispose of any matter referred to it under this section in the manner it considers appropriate.	34 35
	(4)	Conduct may be punished as a contempt of the Commission even though it could be punished as an offence against section 180.	36 37
	(5)	However, a person is not liable to be punished twice if the person's conduct constitutes both an offence against section 180 and a contempt of the Commission.	38 39 40
355E	Spec	cial provisions applicable to industrial proceedings	41
	(1)	Each of the following provisions apply in relation to industrial proceedings as if references to the Commission were references to the Supreme Court:	42 43
		(a) section 167 (Intervention by Minister, ADB and State peak council),	44
		(b) section 169 (1)–(3) (Anti-discrimination matters),	45

	(c)	section 181A (Obligation to disclose costs to clients and Commission).	1
(2)	take	ss it determines that it is not appropriate to do so, the Supreme Court must into account the public interest in the exercise of its functions in industrial eedings and, for that purpose, must have regard to:	2 3 4
	(a)	the objects of this Act, and	5
	(b)	the state of the economy of New South Wales and the likely effect of its decisions on that economy.	6 7
(3)	a dis	Supreme Court may not award costs in proceedings for a contravention of pute order or in proceedings under Division 2 of Part 4 of Chapter 5 ch deals with rules of industrial organisations).	8 9 10
(4)	proce	Supreme Court may, on the application of a party to industrial eedings, grant leave for the party to be represented by an agent who is not ustralian legal practitioner if it considers it appropriate to do so.	11 12 13
(5)	1970	section applies despite anything to the contrary in the <i>Supreme Court Act</i> or the <i>Civil Procedure Act 2005</i> (or the statutory rules under either of e Acts).	14 15 16
(6)	In th	is section:	17
	indu	strial proceedings do not include:	18
	(a)	proceedings for an offence against any industrial legislation, or	19
	(b)	proceedings before the Court of Appeal for a judicial review of, or on an appeal against, a judgment, order, opinion, direction, determination or other decision of the Supreme Court in a Division in exercise (or purported exercise) of a function under any industrial legislation, or	20 21 22 23
	(c)	proceedings of a kind excluded by the regulations.	24
Section 35	6 Defi	nition	25
Omit "Con court.	nmissio	on in Court Session" from paragraph (a) of the definition of industrial	26 27
Insert instea	ad "Su	preme Court".	28
Section 35	9 Injui	nction to restrain further contraventions of industrial instruments	29
Omit "Com	missio	on in Court Session", "the Commission's" and "the Commission".	30
Insert insterespectively		Supreme Court", "the Supreme Court's" and "the Supreme Court",	31 32
Section 36	4 Defi	nitions	33
Omit "Con court in sec		on in Court Session" from paragraph (a) of the definition of <i>industrial</i> 64 (1).	34 35
Insert instea	ad "Su	preme Court".	36
Section 36	4 (1), (definition of "industrial court"	37
Omit ", whether or not in Court Session" from paragraph (b).			

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[91]	Sect	ion 37	1 Conciliation to be attempted before order made	1			
	Omit	sectio	on 371 (1). Insert instead:	2			
		(1)	The industrial court is not to make an order under this Part until:	3			
			(a) for proceedings before the Supreme Court—the parties to the application for the order satisfy the Court that they unsuccessfully attempted to settle the matter by means of a conciliation conducted by the Commission, or	4 5 6 7			
			(b) for proceedings before another industrial court—the court has brought, or has used its best endeavours to bring, the parties to the application for the order to a settlement acceptable to those parties.	8 9 10			
[92]	Sect	ion 38	0 Small claims during other Commission hearings	11			
		"ever on 380	n though it is not constituted as the Commission in Court Session" from 0 (4).	12 13			
[93]	Sect	ion 39	7	14			
	Omit	the se	ection. Insert instead:	15			
	397	Natu	re of proceedings for offences	16			
		(1)	Proceedings for an offence against this Act or the regulations may be dealt with:	17 18			
			(a) summarily before the Local Court, or	19			
			(b) summarily before the Supreme Court in its summary jurisdiction.	20			
		(2)	However, proceedings for an offence against section 180 may only be dealt with by the Supreme Court.	21 22			
		(3)	If proceedings are brought in the Local Court, the maximum monetary penalty that the Local Court may impose for the offence is 100 penalty units, despite any higher maximum monetary penalty provided in respect of the offence.	23 24 25			
[94]	Sect	ion 39	9 Authority to prosecute	26			
	Omi	sectio	on 399 (4).	27			
[95]	Sect	ion 40	2 Recovery of penalty by appointment of receiver	28			
			mmission in Court Session" and "the Commission" wherever occurring in 2 (4) and (5) (a).	29 30			
	Insert instead "Supreme Court" and "the Supreme Court", respectively.						
[96]	Cha	oter 7A	A Appeals to Supreme Court	32			
	Omit	the Cl	hapter.	33			
[97]	Sche	dule 2	2 Provisions relating to members of Commission	34			
	Omit	clause	e 1. Insert instead:	35			
	1	Actir	ng Chief Commissioner	36			
		(1)	The Minister may appoint a member of the Commission (including an Acting Commissioner) to be Acting Chief Commissioner during the absence from duty of the Chief Commissioner.	37 38 39			
		(2)	The next most senior Commissioner is the Acting Chief Commissioner during the absence from duty of the Chief Commissioner if	40 41			

		(a) an Acting Chief Commissioner has not been appointed under subclause (1), or	1
		(b) a Commissioner appointed as Acting Chief Commissioner under subclause (1) is absent from duty.	3
	(3)	An Acting Chief Commissioner has the functions of the Chief Commissioner and anything done by an Acting Chief Commissioner in the exercise of those functions has effect as if it had been done by the Chief Commissioner.	5 6 7
	(4)	In this clause, absence from duty includes a vacancy in the office of Chief Commissioner (whether at the time the office is first created or subsequently).	9
[98]	Schedule 2	2, clause 2	10
	Omit the cl	ause. Insert instead:	11
	2 Acti	ng Commissioners	12
	(1)	The Governor may, by commission under the public seal of the State, appoint as an Acting Commissioner a person qualified for appointment as such if satisfied that the additional member is necessary to enable the Commission to exercise its functions effectively during the period of the appointment.	13 14 15 16
	(2)	The person's appointment is for the period (not exceeding 12 months) specified in the person's commission.	17 18
	(3)	A retired member of the Commission may be appointed as an Acting Commissioner even though the retired member has reached the age of 65 years (or will have reached that age before the appointment expires), but may not be appointed for any period that extends beyond the day on which he or she reaches the age of 72 years.	19 20 21 22 23
	(4)	An Acting Commissioner has the functions of, and is taken to be, a Commissioner, subject to any conditions or limitations as are specified in the Acting Commissioner's commission.	24 25 26
	(5)	The person so appointed may, despite the expiration of the period of the person's appointment, complete or otherwise continue to deal with any matters relating to proceedings that have been heard, or partly heard, by the person before the expiration of that period.	27 28 29 30
[99]	Schedule 2	2, clauses 3, 4 and 7	31
	Omit the cl	auses.	32
[100]	Schedule 2	2, clause 5 Age of members	33
	Omit ", unl	less the person is or is to be appointed as a judicial member" from clause 5 (1).	34
[101]	Schedule 2	2, clause 6	35
	Omit "(incl	luding judicial members)".	36
[102]	Schedule 2	2, clause 8	37
	Omit the cl	ause. Insert instead:	38
	8 Prot	ection and immunities of members	39
		A member of the Commission has the same protection and immunities as a Judge of the Supreme Court.	40 41

[103]	Schedule 2, clause 9 Remuneration of members	1
	Omit "(other than a member who is also a judicial member)" from clause 9 (1).	2
[104]	Schedule 2, clause 9 (2)	3
	Omit the subclause.	4
[105]	Schedule 2, clause 10 (1)	5
	Omit "(including a judicial member)".	6
[106]	Schedule 2, clause 10 (1A)	7
	Omit "who is not a judicial member".	8
[107]	Schedule 2, clause 10 (1A)	9
	Omit "the removal from office of judicial members".	10
	Insert instead "removal from judicial office".	11
[108]	Schedule 2, clause 10 (2)	12
	Omit the subclause.	13
[109]	Schedule 2, clause 10A (3A)	14
	Omit the subclause.	15
[110]	Schedule 2, clause 10A (4)	16
	Omit the subclause and the note.	17
[111]	Schedule 2, clause 11 (1) (a)–(c)	18
	Omit the paragraphs. Insert instead:	19
	(a) the Chief Commissioner,	20
[112]	Schedule 2, clause 12 (2)	21
	Omit "President" wherever occurring. Insert instead "Chief Commissioner".	22
[113]	Schedule 2, clause 12 (3)	23
	Omit the subclause.	24
[114]	Schedule 3 Provisions relating to members and procedure of Industrial Committees	25
	Omit "other than in Court Session" from clause 8 (1).	26
[115]	Schedule 4 Savings, transitional and other provisions	27
	Insert at the end of clause 2 (1):	28
.	any other Act that amends this Act	29
[116]	Schedule 4, clause 2 (3)	30
	Omit "in the Gazette". Insert instead "on the NSW legislation website".	31

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	edule 4		_	1
Inse	rt after	Part 1'	7:	2
Pai	rt 18		ovisions relating to Industrial Relations	3
		Am	endment (Industrial Court) Act 2016	4
Div	ision	1	Interpretation	5
60	Defir	nitions	5	6
		In th	is Part:	7
			<i>ition day</i> means the day on which Part 3 of Chapter 4 is repealed by the nding Act.	8 9
			nding Act means the Industrial Relations Amendment (Industrial Court) 2016.	10 11
		imm	<i>uty President</i> of the Commission has the same meaning as it had ediately before the abolition day.	12 13
		to in	astrial Court means the Industrial Court of New South Wales as referred section 151A immediately before the abolition day (also referred to in this as the Commission in Court Session).	14 15 16
			cial member has the same meaning as it had immediately before the ition day.	17 18
		befor	<i>ident</i> of the Commission has the same meaning as it had immediately re the abolition day.	19 20
			-President of the Commission has the same meaning as it had ediately before the abolition day.	21 22
Div	ision	2	Industrial Court	23
61	Abol	lition o	of Industrial Court	24
	(1)	The	Industrial Court is abolished on the abolition day.	25
	(2)		abolition of the Industrial Court does not affect the continuation in ence of the Commission (except when constituted as the Industrial Court).	26 27
62	Judi	cial m	ember to become Judge of Supreme Court on abolition day	28
	(1)	imm appo	the abolition day, a person holding office as a judicial member ediately before that day ceases to hold that office and is, by this clause, inted as a Judge of the Supreme Court (without the need for a commission e issued).	29 30 31 32
	(2)	as a judic	clause (1) does not extend to a Judge of the Supreme Court who is acting judicial member under section 151B (Supreme Court Judges may act as cial members of the Commission in Court Session) immediately before the ition day.	33 34 35 36
	(3)	A ju	dicial member appointed by this clause as a Judge of the Supreme Court:	37
		(a)	is to have seniority, rank and precedence as a Judge of the Supreme Court as if the date of the person's commission as a Judge of the Supreme Court were the date of the person's commission as a judicial member of the Commission, and	38 39 40 41
		(b)	if the judicial member was also the President of the Commission—is to continue to be entitled to the same remuneration as the person received	42 43

		remuneration of a puisne Judge of the Supreme Court exceeds that remuneration.	1 2 3
	(4)	Service as a judicial member by a person appointed by this clause as a Judge of the Supreme Court is to be taken for all purposes (including for the purposes of the <i>Supreme Court Act 1970</i> and the <i>Judges' Pensions Act 1953</i>) to be service as a Judge of the Supreme Court.	4 5 6 7
	(5)	The Governor may, on the recommendation of the Attorney General, issue an appropriate commission under the public seal of the State to a person who is to be (or has been) appointed by this clause as a Judge of the Supreme Court.	8 9 10
	(6)	The Attorney General is to make a recommendation under subclause (5) as soon as practicable after the publication of a proclamation under the amending Act that specifies the commencement date for the repeal of Part 3 of Chapter 4 of this Act.	11 12 13 14
	(7)	A commission may be issued under this clause before the abolition day, but must state that the person's appointment takes effect on the day that is the abolition day.	15 16 17
	(8)	This clause does not limit the application of section 8 of the <i>Oaths Act 1900</i> to a person appointed by this clause as a Judge of the Supreme Court. Note. Section 8 of the <i>Oaths Act 1900</i> requires a Judge of the Supreme Court to take the oath of allegiance and the judicial oath.	18 19 20 21
	(9)	Nothing in this clause prevents a person being appointed as a judicial officer of a different court or to a different office in the Supreme Court.	22 23
Divi	sion	3 Reconstitution of Commission	24
63	Rena	aming and abolition of certain offices	25
	(1)	On the abolition day:	26
		(a) the office of President of the Commission is abolished and replaced with the office of Chief Commissioner, and	27 28
		(b) the office of Vice-President of the Commission is abolished, and	29
		(c) the office of Deputy President of the Commission is abolished, and	30
		(d) the office of judicial member is abolished.	31
	(2)	A person who, immediately before the abolition day, held office as an Acting Deputy President of the Commission is taken to have been appointed as an Acting Commissioner for the remainder of the person's term of appointment.	32 33 34
	(3)	Anything done by the President of the Commission that, immediately before the abolition day, had effect under this Act continues to have effect as if it had been done by the Chief Commissioner.	35 36 37
	(4)	A person who ceases to hold an office by operation of this clause is not entitled to any remuneration or compensation because of the loss of that office.	38 39
	(5)	This clause does not limit the application of clause 62 to a person who is also a judicial member.	40 41
64	Rela	tionship of Division with Interpretation Act 1987	42
		dionomp of Division with interpretation 7 for 1007	
		This Division does not limit section 53 of the <i>Interpretation Act 1987</i> in its application to alterations made to legislation by the amending Act.	43 44

Division 4 Proceedings involving Industrial Court				
Sub	divis	ion 1	Interpretation	2
65	Inte	pretat	ion	3
	(1)	In th	is Division:	4
	, ,	the p	heard proceedings means pending proceedings where the court in which proceedings were commenced had begun to hear (but had not determined) proceedings before the abolition day.	5 6 7
		pend	ling proceedings are proceedings (including appeals) that:	8
		(a)	were commenced before the abolition day, and	9
		(b)	have not been finally determined before that day by the court in which the proceedings were commenced.	10 11
			. See subclause (2) as to the meaning of finally determined proceedings.	12
		succe mear		13 14
		(a)	if an amendment made by the amending Act has resulted in the function being conferred or imposed on the Supreme Court—the Supreme Court, or	15 16 17
		(b)	if an amendment made by the amending Act has resulted in the function being conferred or imposed on the District Court—the District Court.	18 19
		•	reme Court includes, where appropriate, the Court of Criminal Appeal.	20
		unex that:	cercised right means a right (including a right exercisable only with leave)	21 22
		(a)	was available to be exercised immediately before the abolition day, and	23
		(b)	had not yet been exercised before that day.	24
		befor	peard proceedings means pending proceedings that had not been heard the abolition day by the court in which the proceedings were menced.	25 26 27
	(2)	For t	he purposes of this Division, proceedings are not finally determined if:	28
		(a)	any period for bringing an appeal as of right in respect of the proceedings has not expired (ignoring any period that may be available by way of extension of time to appeal), or	29 30 31
		(b)	any appeal in respect of the proceedings is pending (whether or not it is an appeal brought as of right).	32 33
	(3)	judic the C	void doubt, this Division extends to proceedings before the President or a sial member in exercise of any functions conferred or imposed on them by <i>Criminal Procedure Act 1986</i> in the same way as it applies to proceedings re the Industrial Court.	34 35 36 37
Sub	divis	ion 2	Determination of pending proceedings	38
66	Pen	ding p	roceedings before Industrial Court	39
	(1)	aboli	eard proceedings in the Industrial Court are taken, on and from the ition day, to have been duly commenced in the successor court for the ition concerned and may be heard and determined instead by that court.	40 41 42
	(2)	In remem	elation to part heard proceedings in the Industrial Court, the judicial liber (or person acting as a judicial member) constituting the Industrial t for those proceedings:	43 44 45

		(a)	is to continue, on and from the abolition day, to hear the matter, and to determine the matter, sitting as the Supreme Court, and	1 2
		(b)	may have regard to any record of the proceedings before the Industrial Court, including a record of any evidence taken in the proceedings before the Industrial Court.	3 4 5
	(3)	For t	he purposes of subclauses (1) and (2):	6
		(a)	the court determining the proceedings has and may exercise all the functions that the Industrial Court had immediately before its abolition, and	7 8 9
		(b)	the provisions of any Act, statutory rule or other law that would have applied to or in respect of the proceedings had the amending Act not been enacted continue to apply.	10 11 12
67	Pend	ling p	roceedings before Supreme Court concerning Industrial Court	13
	(1)	This appear	clause applies to pending proceedings before the Supreme Court on an al against, or for the judicial review of, a decision of the Industrial Court.	14 15
	(2)		Supreme Court may, on and from the abolition day, continue to deal with roceedings until they are concluded.	16 17
	(3)	For t	his purpose:	18
		(a)	the Supreme Court continues to have and may exercise all the functions that the Court had in relation to the proceedings immediately before the abolition day, and	19 20 21
		(b)	the provisions of any Act, statutory rule or other law that would have applied to or in respect of the proceedings had the amending Act not been enacted continue to apply.	22 23 24
	(4)	inclu the I	out limiting subclause (3), if the original powers of the Supreme Court ded the power to remit the proceedings to be heard and decided again by industrial Court, the Supreme Court may determine the proceedings ad of remitting them.	25 26 27 28
Sub	divis	ion 3	Exercise of certain unexercised rights	29
68			exercised rights to apply or appeal to Industrial Court may be in successor body	30 31
	(1)		clause applies to each of the following unexercised rights (an <i>existing</i> rercised application or appeal right):	32 33
		(a)	an unexercised right to apply to the Industrial Court for it to exercise a function,	34 35
		(b)	an unexercised right to appeal to the Industrial Court against a decision of another person or body.	36 37
	(2)	apply that relate	erson who has an existing unexercised application or appeal right may or appeal to the successor body for the exercise of the same functions could have been exercised by the Industrial Court to which the right es had it not been abolished.	38 39 40 41
		the al makir	An application or appeal under this clause that would have required leave before polition day will still require such leave. Also, any time limits under existing law for any the application or appeal will continue to apply to applications or appeals under lause. See subclause (3).	42 43 44 45

	(3)	For t	he purposes of subclause (2):	1
		(a)	the successor body has and may exercise all the functions that the Industrial Court would have had in relation to the application or appeal if it had been made before the abolition day (including any functions relating to the granting of leave to apply or appeal), and	2 3 4 5
		(b)	the provisions of any Act, statutory rule or other law (including provisions concerning the time within which to apply or appeal) that would have applied to or in respect of the application or appeal had the amending Act not been enacted continue to apply.	6 7 8 9
	(4)	In thi	is clause:	10
			<i>ellation function</i> means the cancellation of the registration of an elation of employing contractors under section 334.	11 12
		succe	essor body means:	13
		(a)	in relation to the exercise of a cancellation function—a Full Bench of the Commission, or	14 15
		(b)	in relation to the exercise of any other function—the successor court for the function.	16 17
69			exercised rights to appeal against decisions of Industrial Court may o be exercised	18 19
	(1)		clause applies to an unexercised right to appeal against a decision of the strial Court to the Supreme Court (an <i>existing unexercised appeal right</i>).	20 21
	(2)		rson who has an existing unexercised appeal right may appeal against the ion of the Industrial Court to the Supreme Court.	22 23
		day w	An appeal under this clause that would have required leave before the abolition vill still require such leave. Also, any time limits under existing law for appealing ontinue to apply to appeals under this clause. See subclause (3).	24 25 26
	(3)	For the	he purposes of an appeal made to the Supreme Court under this clause:	27
		(a)	the Supreme Court continues to have and may exercise all the functions that the Court would have had if the appeal had been made to it before the abolition day (including any functions relating to the granting of leave to appeal), and	28 29 30 31
		(b)	the provisions of any Act, statutory rule or other law (including provisions concerning the time within which to appeal) that would have applied to or in respect of such an appeal had the amending Act not been enacted continue to apply.	32 33 34 35
	(4)	inclu the I	out limiting subclause (3), if the original powers of the Supreme Court ded the power to remit the proceedings to be heard and decided again by industrial Court, the Supreme Court may determine the proceedings ad of remitting them.	36 37 38 39
Divi	sion	5	Miscellaneous	40
70	Cons	structi	on of superseded references	41
	(1)		ect to the regulations, a reference in any other Act, in an instrument made r any other Act or in any other document:	42 43
		(a)	to the Industrial Court or the Industrial Relations Commission in Court Session—is to be read as a reference to the successor court for the function concerned, and	44 45 46

		(b)	to the President, the Vice-President or a Deputy President of the Commission—is to be read as a reference to the Chief Commissioner, and	1 2 3
		(c)	to a judicial member—is to be read as a reference to a Judge of the successor court for the function concerned.	4 5
	(2)	Relai to a r	clause (1) extends to a reference in a provision of the former <i>Industrial</i> tions Act 1991 (or the regulations under that Act) that continues to apply matter because of a provision of this Act or the regulations under this Act for that purpose, the successor court is taken to be the Supreme Court.	6 7 8 9
	(3)		clauses (1) and (2) do not apply to the following references in the wing provisions:	10 11
		(a)	a provision of the amending Act,	12
		(b)	a provision of the Constitution Act 1902 or the Judges' Pensions Act 1953,	13 14
		(c)	a provision of any other Act or instrument made under another Act that contains a reference inserted or substituted by, or retained despite, an amendment made to the provision by the amending Act,	15 16 17
		(d)	a spent savings or transitional provision of any other Act or an instrument made under any other Act,	18 19
		(e)	a provision of an Act, instrument made under an Act or any other document (or a provision belonging to a class of provisions) prescribed by the regulations.	20 21 22
71		tions cities	of judicial members conferred or imposed in their personal	23 24
	(1)	befor perso	clause applies in relation to the exercise of functions that, immediately re the abolition day, were conferred or imposed on judicial members in a onal capacity rather than as members of the Commission (that is, as ona designata).	25 26 27 28
	(2)	to wh	dicial member (or acting judicial member) who was exercising a function nich this clause applies may complete the exercise of the function as if the ading Act had not been enacted.	29 30 31
	(3)	has n	pplication for the exercise of a function to which this clause applies that not yet been dealt with may be exercised by a person to whom the function been transferred by the amending Act as if it had been made under the ant amended legislative provision.	32 33 34 35
72	Arbit	rators	under Health Services Act 1997	36
	(1)		rson appointed as an arbitrator for a determination under section 90 of the <i>th Services Act 1997</i> before the abolition day ceases to hold that office on day.	37 38 39
	(2)		ordingly, any arbitration that is uncompleted by the person immediately re the abolition day cannot be completed by the person.	40 41
	(3)	arbiti	ing in this clause prevents another person from being appointed as an rator for the determination under section 90 of the <i>Health Services Act</i> (as substituted by the amending Act).	42 43 44
	(4)		ompensation is payable to any person (including a person who ceases to office as an arbitrator) for any loss resulting from the operation of this se.	45 46 47

[118]	Dictionary	1			
	Omit the definitions of <i>Commission in Court Session</i> , <i>judicial member</i> and <i>Presidential Member</i> .	2			
	Insert in alphabetical order:				
	Chief Commissioner means the Chief Commissioner of the Commission.	5			
	Commissioner means a Commissioner of the Commission.	6			

Sch	edule 2 Consequential amendment of other legislation	1
2.1	Annual Holidays Act 1944 No 31	2
[1]	Section 12 Proceedings for recovery of penalties	3
	Omit "Industrial Relations Commission in Court Session" wherever occurring.	4
	Insert instead "Supreme Court".	5
[2]	Section 13 Recovery of holiday pay	6
	Omit "Industrial Relations Commission in Court Session" wherever occurring in section 13 (1).	7 8
	Insert instead "Supreme Court".	9
[3]	Section 14 Provisions as to enforcement of orders, appeals etc	10
	Omit "Industrial Relations Commission in Court Session" from section 14 (d).	11
	Insert instead "Supreme Court".	12
2.2	Anti-Discrimination Act 1977 No 48	13
	Section 109 Order affecting industrial instrument	14
	Omit "President". Insert instead "Chief Commissioner".	15
2.3	Bail Act 2013 No 26	16
[1]	Section 4 Definitions	17
	Omit "the Industrial Court," from paragraph (a) of the definition of <i>court</i> in section 4 (1).	18
[2]	Section 67 Powers specific to Court of Criminal Appeal	19
	Omit ", the Industrial Court" from section 67 (1) (e).	20
[3]	Section 69 Limited powers when decision made by Supreme Court or Court of Criminal Appeal	21 22
	Omit ", the Land and Environment Court or the Industrial Court" from section 69 (1).	23
	Insert instead "or the Land and Environment Court".	24
[4]	Section 80 Proceedings for fail to appear offence	25
	Omit ", the Industrial Court" from section 80 (4).	26
[5]	Section 94 Facilitation of proof of failure to appear	27
	Omit ", the Industrial Court" from paragraph (a) of the definition of <i>court officer</i> in section 94 (5).	28 29
[6]	Section 95 Exercise of functions of bail authority by appropriate officers	30
	Omit ", the Industrial Court" from section 95 (2) (a).	31

2.4	Building and Construction Industry Long Service Payments Act 1986 No 19	1 2
	Section 64 Proceedings for offences	3
	Omit "Industrial Relations Commission in Court Session" from section 64 (2).	4
	Insert instead "Supreme Court".	5
2.5	Civil and Administrative Tribunal Act 2013 No 2	6
[1]	Section 4 Definitions	7
	Omit paragraph (c) of the definition of <i>NSW judicial officer</i> from section 4 (1).	8
[2]	Section 15 NSW judicial officers acting as members of Tribunal	9
	Omit paragraph (c) of the definition of <i>relevant chief judicial officer</i> from section 15 (5).	10
[3]	Section 82 Interpretation	11
	Omit paragraph (b) of the definition of <i>senior judicial officer</i> from section 82 (5).	12
2.6	Civil Procedure Act 2005 No 28	13
[1]	Section 8 Uniform Rules Committee	14
	Omit "12" from section 8 (1). Insert instead "11".	15
[2]	Section 8 (1) (c2)	16
	Omit the paragraph.	17
[3]	Section 140 Transfer of proceedings to higher court	18
	Omit "or 3" from section 140 (5).	19
[4]	Part 9, Division 3 Transfer of proceedings between Supreme Court and Industrial Court	20 21
	Omit the Division.	22
[5]	Schedule 1 Application of Act	23
	Omit "(including the Commission in Court Session (the Industrial Court))" from Column 1.	24
[6]	Schedule 2 Constitution and procedure of Uniform Rules Committee	25
	Omit "the President of the Industrial Relations Commission," from the definition of <i>ex-officio member</i> in clause 1.	26 27
2.7	Civil Procedure Regulation 2012	28
	Clause 4 Fees payable in relation to court proceedings	29
	Insert after clause 4 (6):	30
	(7) Despite subclause (2), no fee is payable by any of the following in relation to industrial proceedings (as defined in Chapter 6A of the <i>Industrial Relations Act 1996</i>) unless Schedule 1 expressly says so:	31 32 33
	(a) any industrial organisation within the meaning of that Act, or	34

	 (b) any association registered under Chapter 6 of that Act. Note. Industrial proceedings are proceedings before the Supreme Court under certain industrial legislation such as the <i>Industrial Relations Act 1996</i>. 	1 2 3
2.8	Coal and Oil Shale Mine Workers (Superannuation) Act 1941 No 45	4
[1]	Section 23 Questions may be referred to Supreme Court	5
	Omit "Industrial Relations Commission in Court Session" wherever occurring.	6
	Insert instead "Supreme Court".	7
[2]	Section 29 Offences relating to benefit payments	8
	Omit "Industrial Relations Commission in Court Session" from section 29 (1) (b).	9
	Insert instead "Supreme Court".	10
2.9	Contract Cleaning Industry (Portable Long Service Leave Scheme) Act 2010 No 122	11 12
	Section 103 Nature of proceedings for offences	13
	Omit "Industrial Relations Commission in Court Session" from section 103 (2).	14
	Insert instead "Supreme Court".	15
2.10	Court Information Act 2010 No 24	16
	Section 4 Definitions	17
	Omit "Industrial Court," from the definition of <i>court</i> in section 4 (1).	18
2.11	Court Suppression and Non-publication Orders Act 2010 No 106	19
	Section 3 Definitions	20
	Omit "Industrial Court," from paragraph (a) of the definition of <i>court</i> .	21
2.12	Criminal Appeal Act 1912 No 16	22
[1]	Section 2 Definitions	23
	Omit section 2 (4).	24
[2]	Section 5ABA Appeal in criminal cases dealt with by Industrial Relations Commission in Court Session in its summary jurisdiction	25 26
	Omit the section.	27
[3]	Section 5AE Point of law stated during summary proceedings	28
	Omit "the Industrial Relations Commission in Court Session in its summary jurisdiction," from section 5AE (1).	29 30
[4]	Section 5AG Appeal in certain OHS criminal cases dealt with by Industrial Relations Commission in Court Session	31 32
	Omit the section.	33
[5]	Section 5BB Case stated from Industrial Relations Commission in Court Session	34
	Omit the section.	35

2.13	Criminal Procedure Act 1986 No 209	1
[1]	Section 3 Definitions	2
	Omit "the Industrial Relations Commission," from paragraph (a) of the definition of <i>court</i> in section 3 (1).	3 4
[2]	Section 3 (1), definition of "Industrial Relations Commission in Court Session"	5
	Omit the definition.	6
[3]	Section 28 Application of Part and definition	7
	Omit ", the President or a judicial member of the Industrial Relations Commission" from the definition of <i>Judge</i> in section 28 (2).	8 9
[4]	Section 170 Application	10
	Omit section 170 (3) (b).	11
[5]	Section 171 Definitions	12
	Omit "and the President or a judicial member of the Industrial Relations Commission" from the definition of <i>Judge</i> .	13 14
[6]	Section 275 Definition	15
	Omit ", the President or a judicial member of the Industrial Relations Commission" from the definition of <i>Judge</i> .	16 17
[7]	Section 312 Persons arrested under bench warrants	18
	Omit ", the President or a judicial member of the Industrial Relations Commission" from the definition of <i>Judge</i> in section 312 (3).	19 20
2.14	Dangerous Goods (Road and Rail Transport) Act 2008 No 95	21
[1]	Section 47 Proceedings for an offence	22
	Omit "Industrial Court of New South Wales" wherever occurring in section 47 (2) (b) and (3).	23 24
	Insert instead "District Court".	25
[2]	Section 47 (4)	26
	Omit the subsection.	27
2.15	Electronic Transactions (ECM Courts) Order 2005	28
[1]	Schedule 1 Authority to use JusticeLink	29
	Omit "(including the Industrial Court)" from Column 1 of the matter relating to the Industrial Relations Commission.	30 31
[2]	Schedule 5 Authority to use Online Registry	32
	Omit "(including the Industrial Court)" from Column 1 of the matter relating to the Industrial Relations Commission.	33 34

2.16	Employment Protection Act 1982 No 122	1
[1]	Section 4 Definitions	2
	Omit the definitions of <i>Commission</i> , <i>member</i> and <i>President</i> . Insert in alphabetical order:	3
	Chief Commissioner means the Chief Commissioner of the Commission.	4
	<i>Commission</i> means the Industrial Relations Commission. <i>member</i> means a member of the Commission.	5
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[2]	Section 11 Chief Commissioner to be notified by Registrar	7
	Omit "President" wherever occurring. Insert instead "Chief Commissioner".	8
[3]	Section 12 Report to be considered by Commission	9
	Omit "President" wherever occurring in section 12 (1) and (2).	10
	Insert instead "Chief Commissioner".	11
[4]	Section 15 Appeals	12
	Omit "the Commission in court session" from section 15 (1).	13
	Insert instead "the Commission constituted by a Full Bench".	14
[5]	Section 15 (3)	15
	Omit "Commission in court session" wherever occurring. Insert instead "Commission".	16
2.17	Essential Services Act 1988 No 41	17
[1]	Section 17 Suspension and cancellation of registration of industrial organisation	18
	Omit "President" from section 17 (2) (a). Insert instead "Chief Commissioner".	19
[2]	Section 19 Amendment of rules following cancellation of registration	20
	Omit "Industrial Relations Commission in Court Session" wherever occurring in section 19 (1) and (2).	21 22
	Insert instead "Supreme Court".	23
[3]	Section 22 Appeals against cancellation of registration	24
	Omit "Full Industrial Relations Commission in Court Session" wherever occurring in section 22 (1)–(3).	25 26
	Insert instead "Supreme Court".	27
[4]	Section 23 Appeals against amendment of rules	28
	Omit "Full Industrial Relations Commission in Court Session" wherever occurring.	29
	Insert instead "Supreme Court".	30
[5]	Section 24 Provisions relating to appeals	31
	Omit "Full Industrial Relations Commission in Court Session".	32
	Insert instead "Supreme Court".	33

[6]	Secti	on 26	Recov	ery of pen	alty by appoi	ntment of	receiver				1
		"Indu n 26 (4		Relations	Commission	in Court	Session"	wherever	occurring		2
	Insert	instea	d "Sup	reme Cour	rt".					•	4
2.18	Evid	lence	on C	ommissi	ion Act 199	5 No 26				!	5
[1]			efinition		inition of <i>supe</i>	erior court.					6 7
[2]			Definit		inition of <i>supe</i>	erior court.					8
[3]			Regula Industr		ns Commissio	n" from see	ction 37 (2).		10 1	
2.19	Expl	losive	es Act	t 2003 No	o 39					1:	2
	Omit	"Indus	strial R	edings for elations Co trict Court'	ommission in	Court Sessi	on" from s	section 32 ((1) (b).	1; 14 1!	4
2.20	Heal	lth Se	rvice	s Act 19	97 No 154					10	6
[1]	Section 90						1	7			
	Omit the section. Insert instead:						18	8			
	90	Appo	intmer	nt of arbitr	rator by relev	ant Ministe	∍r			19	9
		(1)	appoir	nt a person	n application in accordance ing a determin	with the re	egulations				1
		(2)			may make pro ators (includin					nt of 23	
[2]	Secti	on 97								25	5
	Omit	the sec	ction. I	nsert instea	ad:					20	6
	97	Interp	oretatio	on of a det	termination					2	7
		(1)	declar respec	ation of rig	r the Associate the three thre	on 355C of	the Indust	rial Relatio	ons Act 199	6 in 29	9
		(2)	applic right	ation in the in relation	e tion (1), the <i>In</i> e same way as n to any other jurisdiction.	it applies t	to an appli	cation for a	declaration	n of 3	3

2.21	Industrial Relations (Child Employment) Act 2006 No 96	1
[1]	Section 3 Definitions	2
	Omit "Industrial Court of New South Wales" from paragraph (a) of the definition of <i>industrial court</i> in section 3 (1).	3
	Insert instead "Supreme Court".	5
[2]	Section 12 Appeal to Supreme Court	6
	Omit "Industrial Court of New South Wales" from section 12 (1).	7
	Insert instead "Supreme Court".	8
[3]	Section 12 (2)–(4)	9
	Omit "Industrial Court" wherever occurring. Insert instead "Supreme Court".	10
[4]	Section 16 Applied provisions of Industrial Relations Act 1996	11
	Omit "Industrial Court of New South Wales" from section 16 (7).	12
	Insert instead "Supreme Court".	13
2.22	Industrial Relations (General) Regulation 2015	14
[1]	Clause 3 Definitions	15
	Omit the definition of <i>Industrial Court</i> from clause 3 (1).	16
[2]	Clause 15 Acting President	17
	Omit the clause.	18
[3]	Clause 16	19
	Omit the clause. Insert instead:	20
	16 Oaths to be taken by members of Commission	21
	A member of the Commission appointed after the commencement of the Act is to take, on appointment, the oath of allegiance and the official oath.	22 23
[4]	Clause 46 Industrial Magistrate—civil procedure	24
	Omit the clause.	25
[5]	Schedule 1 Commission fees	26
	Omit the matter relating to Fees for proceedings before Commission sitting as Industrial Court.	27 28
[6]	Schedule 1	29
	Omit "(otherwise than sitting as Industrial Court)".	30
2.23	Judges' Pensions Act 1953 No 41	31
[1]	Section 2 Definitions	32
	Insert after section 2 (2):	33
	(3) Notes included in this Act do not form part of this Act.	34

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Section 2D

	Insert after section 2C:					
	2D	Cont	inuity of office—Industrial Relations Commission and Industrial Court	3		
		(1)	On and from the abolition of the offices of President of the Industrial Relations Commission (<i>IRC President</i>), Vice-President of the Commission (<i>IRC Deputy President</i>) and judicial member of the Commission (<i>IRC judicial member</i>):	4 5 6 7		
			(a) for a retired or deceased IRC President—the office of Chief Judge of the Land and Environment Court (or, if that office is abolished, a comparable judicial office) is to be treated as the judicial office of equivalent status to the office of IRC President in determining the notional judicial salary under this Act for the former IRC President, and	8 9 10 11 12		
			(b) for a retired or deceased IRC Vice-President, IRC Deputy President or IRC judicial member (except if the person was also the IRC President)—the office of puisne Judge of the Supreme Court is to be treated as the judicial office of equivalent status to any of those abolished offices in determining the notional judicial salary under this Act for a former holder of any of the abolished offices.	13 14 15 16 17 18		
			Note. Part 18 of Schedule 4 to the <i>Industrial Relations Act 1996</i> (as inserted by the <i>Industrial Relations Amendment (Industrial Court) Act 2016</i>) abolished the Industrial Court and the offices of IRC President, IRC Vice-President, IRC Deputy President and IRC judicial member. It appointed the incumbent IRC President (who was also an IRC judicial member) as a Judge of the Supreme Court and preserved the person's final remuneration as IRC President until the remuneration of a puisne Judge of the Supreme Court exceeded that remuneration. It also provided that the IRC President's service as an IRC judicial member was to count towards his service as a Judge of the Supreme Court for all purposes (including this Act).	19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27		
		(2)	Subsection (1) extends to a retired or deceased former IRC President who was appointed as a Judge of the Supreme Court by Part 18 of Schedule 4 to the <i>Industrial Relations Act 1996</i> if that person is entitled at the time of retirement or death to receive remuneration by reference to the person's former office as IRC President instead of as a Judge of the Supreme Court.	28 29 30 31 32		
		(3)	To avoid doubt, any notional judicial salary for a retired or deceased IRC President who was also an IRC judicial member that was determined before the abolition of those offices is taken to have been validly determined for the purposes of this Act if it was determined by reference to the salary payable to a current IRC President rather than to a current IRC judicial member.	33 34 35 36 37		
2.24	Judi	icial (Officers Act 1986 No 100	38		
[1]	Secti	ion 3 [Definitions	39		
			luding a judicial member)" from paragraph (b) of the definition of <i>judicial</i> ection 3 (1).	40 41		
[2]	Secti	ion 3 (4)	42		
	Omit	the su	bsection.	43		
[3]	Secti	ion 3 (5) (b)	44		
	Omit	"Presi	ident". Insert instead "Chief Commissioner".	45		
[4]			The Commission ident" from section 5 (4) (c). Insert instead "Chief Commissioner".	46		
	Omit	1105	dent from section 5 (7) (c). Insert instead. Cities Commissioner.	47		

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[5]	Section 44 Retirement of judicial officers Omit "non-judicial" from section 44 (2).	1
[C]		2
[6]	Schedule 4A NSW and corresponding courts Omit "Industrial Court;" from Column 1.	4
2.25	Land and Environment Court Act 1979 No 204	5
	Section 9 Remuneration etc Omit "Industrial Relations Commission of New South Wales" from section 9 (2A). Insert instead "Court of Appeal".	6 7 8
2.26	Long Service Leave Act 1955 No 38	9
[1]	Section 12 Recovery of long service leave pay Omit "Industrial Relations Commission in Court Session" wherever occurring in section 12 (1). Insert instead "Supreme Court".	10 11 12 13
[2]	Section 14 Provisions as to enforcement of orders, appeals etc Omit "Industrial Relations Commission in Court Session" from section 14 (c). Insert instead "Supreme Court".	14 15 16
2.27	Long Service Leave (Metalliferous Mining Industry) Act 1963 No 48	17
[1]	Section 12 Recovery of long service leave pay Omit "Industrial Relations Commission in Court Session" wherever occurring in section 12 (1). Insert instead "Supreme Court".	18 19 20 21
[2]	Section 14 Provisions as to enforcement of orders, appeals etc Omit "Industrial Relations Commission in Court Session" from section 14 (c). Insert instead "Supreme Court".	22 23 24
2.28	Parliamentary Remuneration Act 1989 No 160	25
[1]	Section 3 Definitions Omit the definition of <i>President</i> from section 3 (1). Insert in alphabetical order: *Chief Commissioner** means the Chief Commissioner of the Industrial Relations Commission.	26 27 28 29
[2]	Sections 11 (1) and (2) and 14H (1) and (2) Omit "President" wherever occurring. Insert instead "Chief Commissioner".	30 31
[3]	Schedule 2 Parliamentary Remuneration Tribunal Omit clause 1 (1). Insert instead: (1) The Tribunal is to consist of a person, appointed by the Governor on a part-time basis, who holds or has held a judicial office of this State.	32 33 34 35

	(1A)	The Minister is not to recommend to the Governor the appoir as the Tribunal unless the Minister certifies that the Chi Supreme Court has nominated the person for the appointment	ief Justice of the	1 2 3
[4]	Schedule 2	2, clause 1 (3)		4
	Insert after	clause 1 (2):		5
	(3)	A person holding office as the Tribunal immediately before subclause (1) by the <i>Industrial Relations Amendment (Act 2016</i> continues in office despite that substitution until ends, unless the person sooner vacates that office.	Industrial Court)	6 7 8 9
[5]	Schedule 2	2, clause 3 (1)		10
	Omit "Pres	ident". Insert instead "Chief Justice".		11
[6]	Schedule 2	2, clause 4 (1) (g)		12
	Omit "on tl	he recommendation of the President".		13
[7]	Schedule 2	2, clause 4 (2)		14
	Omit ", on	the recommendation of the President,".		15
[8]	Schedule 2	2, clause 4 (3)		16
	Insert after	clause 4 (2):		17
	(3)	The Minister is not to recommend to the Governor the ren from office under subclause (1) (g) or (2) unless the Ministe Chief Justice of the Supreme Court has advised the Ministe should be removed from office.	r certifies that the	18 19 20 21
2.29	Passeng	er Transport Act 1990 No 39		22
	Section 52	Applications to Civil and Administrative Tribunal		23
	Omit section	on 52 (2).		24
2.30	Police A	ct 1990 No 47		25
	Section 18	1K Constitution of Commission for the purposes of Divis	ion 1C	26
	Omit section	on 181K (2) and (3). Insert instead:		27
	(2)	An appeal from the decision of the Commission on Division 1C is to be conducted before a Full Bench of constituted by 3 members who are each Australian lawyers.	the Commission	28 29 30
	(3)	A Magistrate (including an Industrial Magistrate) may act a Commission for the purposes of an appeal if:	as member of the	31 32
		(a) the Chief Magistrate of the Local Court has, at the rec Commissioner of the Commission, nominated the Ma member of the Commission in relation to the appeal,	gistrate to act as a	33 34 35
		(b) the Magistrate consents to acting as a member of th relation to the appeal.	e Commission in	36 37
	(4)	The following provisions apply to and in respect of a Magist member of the Commission pursuant to this section:	rate who acts as a	38 39

	(a)	the Magistrate has, while acting as a member, all the powers, authorities, privileges and immunities of a member,	1
	(b)	the Magistrate may attend the sittings of the Commission for the purpose of giving judgment in, or otherwise completing, any proceedings which have been heard by the Commission while the Magistrate was acting as a member in the proceedings even if the Magistrate is no longer acting as a member,	3 4 5 7
	(c)	the Magistrate is not, while receiving remuneration as a Magistrate, entitled to remuneration for acting as a member,	8
	(d)	any service of the Magistrate while acting as a member is taken for all purposes (including for the purposes of the <i>Local Court Act 2007</i>) to be service as a Magistrate,	10 11 12
	(e)	nothing in this Act or any other law requires the Magistrate to devote the whole of his or her time to the duties of acting as a member.	13 14
2.31	Rail Safety (Ad	doption of National Law) Act 2012 No 82	15
	Schedule 1 New	South Wales changes and additions to Rail Safety National Law	16
	Omit "Industrial Schedule 1 [12].	Court" wherever occurring in section 218A (2) (b) and (5) in	17 18
	Insert instead "Suj	oreme Court'.	19
2.32	Statutory and	Other Offices Remuneration Act 1975 (1976 No 4)	20
[1]	Schedule 1 Publi	c offices	21
	Omit the matters Commission.	relating to the President and Vice-President of the Industrial Relations	22 23
[2]	Schedule 2 Publi	c offices	24
	Omit the matter re Part 1.	lating to a Deputy President of the Industrial Relations Commission from	25 26
	Insert instead:		27
	Chief	Commissioner of the Industrial Relations Commission	28
[3]	Schedule 4 Exclu	ided offices	29
	Omit the matter re	lating to a Deputy President of the Industrial Relations Commission.	30
2.33	Superannuation	on Administration Act 1996 No 39	31
[1]	Section 88 Appea	als	32
	Omit "Industrial section 88 (1).	Relations Commission in Court Session (the <i>Commission</i>)" from	33 34
	Insert instead "Suj	oreme Court".	35
[2]	Section 88 (2)-(6)	36
	Omit "Commissio	n" wherever occurring. Insert instead "Supreme Court".	37

2.34	Supreme	Cou	rt Act 1970 No 52	1
[1]	Section 37 Supreme C	C Jud Court J	icial members of Industrial Relations Commission may act as Judges	2
	Omit the se	ection.		4
[2]	Section 48	Assig	nment to the Court of Appeal	5
	Omit subpa	ıragrap	sh (ii) from the definition of <i>specified tribunal</i> in section 48 (1) (a).	6
[3]	Section 10	1 App	eal in proceedings before the Court	7
	Insert after	section	n 101 (3):	8
	(3A)	Indus follow this s	lation to industrial proceedings within the meaning of Chapter 6A of the strial Relations Act 1996 (except criminal proceedings), each of the wing persons is entitled to appeal to the Court of Appeal as provided by section against a judgment, order, opinion, direction, determination or decision in the proceedings of the Court in a Division:	9 10 11 12 13
		(a)	a party to the proceedings,	14
		(b)	an industrial organisation within the meaning of the <i>Industrial Relations Act 1996</i> , or an association registered under Chapter 6 of that Act, affected by the decision,	15 16 17
		(c)	the Minister administering the <i>Industrial Relations Act 1996</i> if the Minister considers that the public interest is, or is likely to be, affected by the decision,	18 19 20
		(d)	the President of the Anti-Discrimination Board if that President considers that the decision is inconsistent with the principles contained in the <i>Anti-Discrimination Act 1977</i> .	21 22 23
2.35	Vexatiou	s Pro	oceedings Act 2008 No 80	24
[1]	Section 3 I	Definit	ions	25
	Omit parag	raphs ((b) and (c) of the definition of <i>appropriate registrar</i> in section 3 (1).	26
	Insert instea	ad:		27
		(b)	in relation to the Land and Environment Court—the Registrar of that Court.	28 29
[2]	Section 3 ((1), def	finition of "authorised court"	30
	Omit parag	raph (c	e) of the definition.	31
[3]	Section 3 ((2A)		32
	Insert after	section	a 3 (2):	33
	(2A)	On a	nd from the abolition of the Industrial Court:	34
		(a)	the Supreme Court is taken to be the authorised court in connection with vexatious proceedings orders made by the Industrial Court before its abolition, and	35 36 37
		(b)	the appropriate registrar for such an order is taken to be the Prothonotary of the Supreme Court.	38 39
[4]	Section 8 I	Making	g of vexatious proceedings order	40
	Omit section	on 8 (9)).	41

[5]	Sect	ion 12	Appr	opriate authorised courts for granting leave	1
	Omit	section	n 12 (c). Insert instead:	2
			(c)	in the case of a vexatious proceedings order made by the Supreme Court that operates to prohibit proceedings being instituted in the Industrial Relations Commission—the Supreme Court.	3 4 5
[6]	Sect	ion 12	(2)		6
	Inser	t at the	end o	of the section:	7
		(2)	cour	and from the abolition of the Industrial Court, the <i>appropriate authorised</i> in relation to the granting of leave to institute proceedings prohibited by satious proceedings order of the Industrial Court is the Supreme Court.	8 9 10
2.36	Vict	ims F	Right	s and Support Act 2013 No 37	11
	Sect	ion 10	5 Арр	lication of Part	12
	Omit	section	n 105	(1) (f).	13
2.37	Wor	k Hea	alth a	and Safety Act 2011 No 10	14
[1]	Sect	ion 4 E	efinit	ions	15
	Omit	the de	finitio	on of <i>Industrial Court</i> .	16
[2]	Sect	ion 229	9B Pr	ocedure for offences	17
	Omit	section	n 2291	B (2) and (6) (including the note).	18
[3]	Sect	ion 25	5 Prod	ceedings for contravention of WHS civil penalty provision	19
	Omit	"Indu	strial (Court". Insert instead "District Court".	20
2.38	Wor No 8		e Inj	ury Management and Workers Compensation Act 1998	21 22
[1]	Sect	ion 24	5 Proc	ceedings for offences	23
				Relations Commission in Court Session" wherever occurring in and (3).	24 25
	Inser	t instea	ıd "Di	strict Court".	26
[2]	Sect	ion 24	5 (4)		27
	Omit	the su	bsecti	on.	28
[3]	Sche	dule 5	Prov	isions relating to members of Commission	29
	Omit	clause	1 (c).		30
2.39	Wor	kplac	e Su	rveillance Act 2005 No 47	31
[1]	Sect	ion 41			32
	Omit	the se	ction.	Insert instead:	33
	41	Appli	icatio	n to eligible Supreme Court Judge	34
		(1)		pplicant for a covert surveillance authority who is aggrieved by a decision Magistrate to refuse to issue or to vary or cancel a covert surveillance	35 36

	authority may make an application to an eligible Supreme Court Judge to issue, vary or cancel the authority.	1 2
(2)	An employee affected by a covert surveillance authority who is aggrieved by a decision of a Magistrate to refuse to vary or cancel a covert surveillance authority may make an application to an eligible Supreme Court Judge to vary or cancel the authority.	3 4 5 6
(3)	The application must be made within 30 days after the decision is given or within such further period as the eligible Supreme Court Judge allows.	7 8
(4)	Part 4 applies to or in respect of the issue, variation or cancellation of a covert surveillance authority by an eligible Supreme Court Judge to whom an application is made under this section in the same way as it applies to the issue, variation or cancellation of such an authority by a Magistrate. Note. For example, section 33 (as applied by this subsection) requires an eligible Supreme Court Judge to record relevant particulars of the issue, variation or cancellation of a covert surveillance authority.	9 10 11 12 13 14
(5)	An application to a Magistrate for the issue or for a variation or cancellation of an authority is taken (for the purposes only of an application under this section) to have been refused if it is not decided within the period of 30 days after the making of the application to the Magistrate.	16 17 18 19
(6)	The imposition of a function on an eligible Supreme Court Judge under this section is not a conferral of jurisdiction on the Supreme Court.	20 21
(7)	An eligible Supreme Court Judge has the same protection and immunity when exercising functions under this section as the Judge has when exercising functions under the <i>Surveillance Devices Act 2007</i> .	22 23 24
(8)	In this section: <i>eligible Supreme Court Judge</i> means a Judge of the Supreme Court who is an eligible Judge for the purposes of the <i>Surveillance Devices Act 2007</i> .	25 26 27
Section 45	Summary procedure for offences	28
Omit "Indus	strial Relations Commission in Court Session" from section 45 (2).	29
Insert instea	ad "Supreme Court".	30
Workplac	e Surveillance Regulation 2012	31
Clause 4 Fo	orms	32
Omit clause	4 (6)–(8). Insert instead:	33
(6)	Form of application to eligible Supreme Court Judge for authority	34
	An application made under section 41 of the Act to an eligible Supreme Court Judge to issue a covert surveillance authority is to be in Form 6.	35 36
(7)	Form of application to eligible Supreme Court Judge for variation of authority	37 38
	An application made under section 41 of the Act to an eligible Supreme Court Judge to vary a covert surveillance authority is to be in Form 7.	39 40
	(3) (4) (5) (6) (7) (8) Section 45 Omit "Industrian steat Workplace" Clause 4 Fe Omit clause (6)	issue, vary or cancel the authority. (2) An employee affected by a covert surveillance authority who is aggrieved by a decision of a Magistrate to refuse to vary or cancel a covert surveillance authority may make an application to an eligible Supreme Court Judge to vary or cancel the authority. (3) The application must be made within 30 days after the decision is given or within such further period as the eligible Supreme Court Judge allows. (4) Part 4 applies to or in respect of the issue, variation or cancellation of a covert surveillance authority by an eligible Supreme Court Judge to whom an application is made under this section in the same way as it applies to the issue, variation or cancellation of such an authority by a Magistrate. Note, For example, section 33 (as applied by this subsection) requires an eligible Supreme Court Judge to record relevant particulars of the issue, variation or cancellation of a covert surveillance authority. (5) An application to a Magistrate for the issue or for a variation or cancellation of an authority is taken (for the purposes only of an application under this section) to have been refused if it is not decided within the period of 30 days after the making of the application to the Magistrate. (6) The imposition of a function on an eligible Supreme Court Judge under this section is not a conferral of jurisdiction on the Supreme Court. (7) An eligible Supreme Court Judge has the same protection and immunity when exercising functions under this section as the Judge has when exercising functions under the Surveillance Devices Act 2007. (8) In this section: **eligible Supreme Court Judge** means a Judge of the Supreme Court who is an eligible Judge for the purposes of the Surveillance Devices Act 2007. Section 45 Summary procedure for offences Omit "Industrial Relations Commission in Court Session" from section 45 (2). Insert instead "Supreme Court". Workplace Surveillance Regulation 2012 Clause 4 Forms Omit clause 4 (6)—(8). Insert instead: (6) Form of app

	(8)	Form of application to eligible Supreme Court Judge for cancellation of authority	1 2
		An application made under section 41 of the Act to an eligible Supreme Court Judge to cancel a covert surveillance authority is to be in Form 8.	3 4
[2]	Schedule	1 Forms	5
	Omit "judi Form 2.	icial member of the Industrial Relations Commission" wherever occurring in	6 7
	Insert inste	ad "eligible Supreme Court Judge".	8
[3]	Schedule	1, Form 6	9
	Omit "a ju	dicial member of the Industrial Relations Commission" from the note.	10
	Insert inste	ad "an eligible Supreme Court Judge".	11
[4]	Schedule	1, Forms 7 and 8	12
	Omit "a ju	dicial member of the Industrial Relations Commission" wherever occurring.	13
	Insert inste	ad "an eligible Supreme Court Judge".	14

Scł	nedule 3	Repeals	1		
Each	Each of the following Acts is repealed: (a) the Courts and Crimes Legislation Amendment Act 2009 No 77,				
(a)	the Courts and	d Crimes Legislation Amendment Act 2009 No 77,	3		
(b)	the Courts and	d Crimes Legislation Further Amendment Act 2010 No 135,	4		
(c)	the <i>Industrial</i> 2009 No 32,	Relations Amendment (Jurisdiction of Industrial Relations Commission) Act	5 6		
(d)		l Relations Further Amendment (Jurisdiction of Industrial Relations Act 2009 No 87,	7 8		
(e)	the Transport	Appeal Boards Act 1980 No 104.	9		