

Act No. 32

**CRIMES (RADAR DETECTED OFFENCES) AMENDMENT
BILL 1987**

NEW SOUTH WALES



EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Bill is cognate with the Motor Traffic (Radar Detected Offences) Amendment Bill 1987.

The object of this Bill is to enable the use, at inquests or in proceedings for indictable offences, of evidentiary certificates to prove the accuracy of radar speed measuring devices.

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 proposed Motor Traffic (Radar Detected Offences) Amendment Act 1987.

Clause 3 amends section 414A of the Crimes Act 1900 to enable a certificate to be used as evidence that a device is an approved radar speed measuring device and that it has been tested and found to be accurate and operating properly. If such a certificate is tendered, evidence must be adduced to the contrary before further evidence of the accuracy or reliability of the device will be required.
