



New South Wales

# Gene Technology (GM Crop Moratorium) Amendment (Postponement of Expiry) Bill 2005

## Explanatory note

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

## Overview of Bill

The object of this Bill is to postpone the expiry of the *Gene Technology (GM Crop Moratorium) Act 2003 (the Act)* by 2 years, from 3 March 2006 to 3 March 2008 to enable further information to be collected relating to the marketing of genetically modified crops.

## 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 on the date of assent.

**Clause 3** amends section 43 of the Act to give effect to the object of this Bill as set out in the Overview.

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## A Bill for

An Act to amend the *Gene Technology (GM Crop Moratorium) Act 2003* to postpone the expiry of that Act from 3 March 2006 to 3 March 2008.

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<b>The Legislature of New South Wales enacts:</b>	1
<b>1    Name of Act</b>	2
This Act is the <i>Gene Technology (GM Crop Moratorium) Amendment (Postponement of Expiry) Act 2005</i> .	3 4
<b>2    Commencement</b>	5
This Act commences on the date of assent.	6
<b>3    Amendment of Gene Technology (GM Crop Moratorium) Act 2003 No 12</b>	7
The <i>Gene Technology (GM Crop Moratorium) Act 2003</i> is amended by omitting from section 43 (Expiry of Act) the matter “3 March 2006” and by inserting instead the matter “3 March 2008”.	8 9 10