



New South Wales

National Parks and Wildlife Amendment (Jenolan Caves Reserve Trust) Bill 2004

Explanatory note

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

Overview of Bill

The object of this Bill is to amend the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974* (the *Principal Act*) to enable the Director-General of the Department of Environment and Conservation to manage the affairs of the Jenolan Caves Reserve Trust established under that Act if no members of the board of the Trust are appointed for the time being.

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 1 July 2004.

Clause 3 is a formal provision that gives effect to the amendments to the Principal Act set out in Schedule 1.

Schedule 1 Amendments

Schedule 1 [3] substitutes section 58ZA (3) of the Principal Act to give effect to the object described in the Overview.

Schedule 1 [1] and [2] provide for amendments to the Principal Act that are consequential on the amendment made by **Schedule 1 [3]**.

Schedule 1 [4] enables the making of regulations of a savings and transitional nature as a consequence of the enactment of the proposed Act.



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No. _____, 2004

A Bill for

An Act to amend the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974* in relation to the Jenolan Caves Reserve Trust.

The Legislature of New South Wales enacts:	1
1 Name of Act	2
This Act is the <i>National Parks and Wildlife Amendment (Jenolan Caves Reserve Trust) Act 2004</i> .	3 4
2 Commencement	5
This Act commences, or is taken to have commenced, on 1 July 2004.	6 7
3 Amendment of National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974 No 80	8
The <i>National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974</i> is amended as set out in Schedule 1.	9 10

Schedule 1 Amendments

(Section 3)

[1] Section 8 Miscellaneous functions of Director-General

Omit “and not by the Director-General” from section 8 (11).

[2] Section 21 Delegation

Insert at the end of section 21 (1) (b) (ii):

or

(iii) a person employed by the Jenolan Caves Reserve Trust,

[3] Section 58ZA Jenolan Caves Reserve Trust Board

Omit subsection (3). Insert instead:

(3) Except as provided by section 58ZE (3), the affairs of the Trust are to be managed by:

(a) the Trust Board, or

(b) if no members are appointed to the Trust Board for the time being—the Director-General.

[4] Schedule 3 Savings, transitional and other provisions

Insert at the end of clause 1 (1):

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