

TRANSPORT (PENALTY DEFAULTS) AMENDMENT BILL 1988

NEW SOUTH WALES



EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Bill is cognate with the Motor Traffic (Penalty Defaults) Amendment Bill 1988.

The object of this Bill is to amend section 265 of the Transport Act 1930 so as to remove any doubt that cancellation action may be taken in default of payment of any amount payable (in addition to any fine) by virtue of a conviction.

Clause 1 specifies the short title of the proposed Act.

Clause 2 provides for the commencement of the proposed Act on the date of assent.

Clause 3 is a formal provision that gives effect to the Schedule of amendments.

SCHEDULE 1—AMENDMENTS

Schedule 1 (1) and (2) amend section 265 of the Principal Act to remove any doubt that cancellation action may be taken in cases where a person defaults in payment of witnesses' expenses or of any other amount payable, in addition to a fine, by reason of a conviction.

Schedule 1 (3) amends section 265 of the Principal Act so as to provide that the regulations under that section, as amended by the proposed Act, may apply to penalties or other amounts imposed or ordered to be paid before or after the making of the regulations.
