



AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

## Gaming Machine (Amendment) Act 1990

No. 31 of 1990

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### An Act to amend the *Gaming Machine Act 1987*

[Notified in ACT Gazette S69: 2 October 1990]

The Legislative Assembly for the Australian Capital Territory enacts as follows:

#### Short title

1. This Act may be cited as the *Gaming Machine (Amendment) Act 1990*.

#### Commencement

2. (1) Sections 1, 2 and 3 commence on the day on which this Act is notified in the *Gazette*.

(2) The remaining provisions commence on 1 October 1990.

#### Principal Act

3. In this Act, “Principal Act” means the *Gaming Machine Act 1987*.<sup>1</sup>

#### Interpretation

4. Section 4 of the Principal Act is amended—

(a) by omitting “20 cents” from paragraph (c) of the definition of “multi-coin machine” and substituting “\$2”; and

- (b) by omitting “20 cents” from paragraph (b) of the definition of “single-coin machine” and substituting “\$2”.

### **Inspectors**

5. Section 7 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting from subsection (3) “he or she” and substituting “him or her”.

### **Conditions for issue of licences—gaming machines**

6. Section 18 of the Principal Act is amended—

- (a) by omitting from subparagraph (2) (a) (iii) “3” and substituting “10”;
- (b) by omitting subparagraph (2) (a) (iv) and substituting the following subparagraph:
  - “(iv) in respect of gaming machines designed to receive coins of a denomination above 20 cents; and”;
- (c) by omitting from subparagraph (2) (b) (i) “or”;
- (d) by adding at the end of paragraph (2) (b) the following word and subparagraph:
  - “; or (iii) in respect of gaming machines designed to receive coins of a denomination above 20 cents.”;
- (e) by omitting from paragraph (3) (a) “or”; and
- (f) by adding at the end of subsection (3) the following word and paragraph:
  - “; or (c) in respect of gaming machines designed to receive coins of a denomination above 20 cents.”.

### **Distribution of income from gaming machines**

7. Section 57 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting subparagraphs (a) (i), (ii) and (iii) of the definition of “prescribed percentage” in subsection (4) and substituting the following subparagraphs:

- “(i) that does not exceed \$4,000—5 per cent;
- (ii) that exceeds \$4,000 but does not exceed \$8,000—10 per cent;
- (iii) that exceeds \$8,000 but does not exceed \$16,000—17.5 per cent;
- (iv) that exceeds \$16,000 but does not exceed \$300,000—19 per cent; or
- (v) that exceeds \$300,000—20 per cent; and”.

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**NOTE**

1. Ordinance No. 34, 1987 as amended by Nos. 25 and 26, 1988; Nos. 21 and 38, 1989; Act No. 14, 1989.

*[Presentation speech made in Assembly on 18 September 1990.]*

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