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### A Bill for

An Act to amend the Payroll Tax Act 1987

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

1	1 Name of Act
2	This Act is the Payroll Tax Amendment Act 2001.
3	2 Commencement
4	This Act commences on 1 October 2001.
5 6	Note The naming and commencement provisions automatically commence on the notification day (see Legislation Act 2001, s 75).
7	3 Act amended
8	This Act amends the Payroll Tax Act 1987.
9 10	4 Interpretation Section 3 (1), definition of apprentice
11	omit
12	5 Section 3 (1), new definition
13	insert
14	new starter—see section 9A (Exemption from tax—new starters).
15 16	Exemption from tax Section 9 (1) (f), (g) and (h)
17	omit
18	7 Section 9 (1)
19	renumber paragraphs when Act next republished under Legislation
20	Act 2001
21	8 Section 9 (1), new note
22	insert
23 24	Note Section 6 also does not apply to wages paid or payable to new starters employed for the first time in an industry or occupation while they

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1 2		receive up to 1 year of training starting in their first year of employment (see s 9A (Exemption from tax—new starters)).
3	9	New section 9A
4		insert
5	9A	Exemption from tax—new starters
6	(1)	This section applies to a person (the new starter) who—
7		(a) is employed for the first time in an industry or occupation; and
8 9		(b) is receiving eligible training for work in the industry or occupation.
10	(2)	For this section, eligible training is training that is—
11		(a) approved by the Minister in writing; and
12 13		(b) takes place during a single continuous period (the <i>training</i> period) that—
14 15		(i) starts within the first 12 months after the new starter is first employed in the industry or occupation; and
16		(ii) continues for no more than 12 months.
17 18		Note The Minister may approve individual training courses or training courses of a particular class (see Legislation Act 2001, s 48 (2)).
19 20 21	(3)	Section 6 does not apply to wages paid or payable to the new starter for employment in the industry or occupation during the training period.
22 23	(4)	Subsection (3) applies to the new starter only in relation to 1 single continuous period of training that is eligible training.
24	(5)	Subsection (3) applies even if—
25 26 27 28		(a) the new starter is employed at any time during the training period by an employer or employers different from the employer who first employed the new starter in the industry or occupation; or

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1		(b)	the new starter is not continuously employed in the industry of
2			occupation during the training period; or
3		(c)	the eligible training is a part of a course of training that began
4			before the start of the training period, or continues after the end
5			of the training period.
R	(6)	Δn	approval under subsection (2) (a) is a disallowable instrument

(6) An approval under subsection (2) (a) is a disallowable instrument.

Note A disallowable instrument must be notified, and presented to the Legislative Assembly, under the Legislation Act 2001.

### **Endnote**

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#### Act amended

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