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## A Bill for

An Act to amend the *Government Procurement Act 2001*

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

**1 Name of Act**

This Act is the *Government Procurement (Capital Metro) Amendment Act 2016*.

**2 Commencement**

This Act commences on the day after its notification day.

*Note* The naming and commencement provisions automatically commence on the notification day (see [Legislation Act](#), s 75 (1)).

**3 Legislation amended**

This Act amends the [Government Procurement Act 2001](#).

**4 Definitions for pt 3  
Section 24, definition of *confidential text***

*after*

of a notifiable contract

*insert*

(other than a notifiable contract that is related to light rail)

**5 Section 24, new definitions**

*insert*

*proposed light rail track*—see the [Planning and Development Act 2007](#), section 137A (Meaning of *related to light rail*).

*related to light rail*—a notifiable contract is *related to light rail* if—

(a) the contract relates to the construction, ongoing operation and maintenance, repairs, refurbishment, relocation or replacement of—

(i) light rail track; or

- 1 (ii) infrastructure within, or partly within, 1km from—  
 2 (A) existing light rail track; or  
 3 (B) proposed light rail track; or  
 4 (b) the contract relates to a development proposal declared to be  
 5 related to light rail under the *Planning and Development*  
 6 *Act 2007*, section 137B (Authority may declare development  
 7 proposal related to light rail).

8 **Examples—par (a) (ii)**

- 9 1 temporary infrastructure for construction of light rail such as safety fencing,  
 10 scaffolding, access roads and parking  
 11 2 depot facilities

12 *Note* An example is part of the Act, is not exhaustive and may extend, but  
 13 does not limit, the meaning of the provision in which it appears (see  
 14 [Legislation Act](#), s 126 and s 132).

15 **6 Contents of register**  
 16 **Section 28 (1)**

- 17 *after*  
 18 each notifiable contract  
 19 *insert*  
 20 (other than a notifiable contract that is related to light rail)

**7 New section 28A**

*insert*

**28A Contents of register—contracts related to light rail to be published**

The notifiable contracts register must include the following for each notifiable contract that is related to light rail:

- (a) the information described in section 28 (1) (a) to (g);
- (b) for a notifiable contract, and any notifiable amendment of the contract, held by the responsible Territory entity in electronic form—an electronic copy of the contract;
- (c) where anyone can obtain a printed copy of the contract as made and of any notifiable amendment to the contract;
- (d) anything else prescribed by regulation.

**8 Dictionary, new definitions**

*insert*

*proposed light rail track*, for part 3 (Notifiable contracts)—see the [Planning and Development Act 2007](#), section 137A (Meaning of *related to light rail*).

*related to light rail*, for part 3 (Notifiable contracts)—see section 24.

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## Endnotes

**1 Presentation speech**

Presentation speech made in the Legislative Assembly on 9 March 2016.

**2 Notification**

Notified under the [Legislation Act](#) on 2016.

**3 Republications of amended laws**

For the latest republication of amended laws, see [www.legislation.act.gov.au](http://www.legislation.act.gov.au).

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