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A Bill for

An Act to amend the *First Home Owner Grant Act 2000* and the *Taxation Administration Act 1999*

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

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Section 1

1 Part 1 Preliminary

| 2 | 1 | Name of Act |
|--------|---|--|
| 3 | | This Act is the Revenue Legislation Amendment Act 2009. |
| 4 | 2 | Commencement |
| 5 | | This Act commences on the day after its notification day. |
| 6 7 | | <i>Note</i> The naming and commencement provisions automatically commence on the notification day (see Legislation Act, s 75 (1)). |

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Part 2 First Home Owner Grant Act 2000

| 2 | 3 | | Legislation amended—pt 2 |
|----------------------|---|-----|---|
| 3 | | | This part amends the First Home Owner Grant Act 2000. |
| 4 5 | 4 | | Criterion 5—Residence requirements Section 12 (4) |
| 6 | | | substitute |
| 7 8 9 | | (4) | The commissioner may give an approval or exemption under this section within 18 months after completion of the eligible transaction to which the application relates. |
| 10 11 12 13 | | (5) | If an application is made by joint applicants and at least 1 (but not all) of the applicants complies with the residence requirements, the non-complying applicant or applicants are exempted from compliance with the residence requirements. |
| 14 15 | 5 | | Applications for review Section 31 |
| 16 | | | omit |
| 17 | | | a reviewable decision |
| 18 | | | substitute |
| 19 | | | a decision of the commissioner under section 29 |
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Part 3 Taxation Administration Act 1999

Section 6

Part 3 Taxation Administration Act 1999

| 2 | 6 | | Legislation amended—pt 3 |
|----------|-----|-----|--|
| 3 | | | This part amends the Taxation Administration Act 1999. |
| 4 | 7 | | New section 19A |
| 5 | | | insert |
| 6 | 19A | | Application for refund |
| 7 8 | | (1) | If a taxpayer claims to be entitled to a refund of tax paid under a tax law, the taxpayer may apply to the commissioner for a refund. |
| 9 10 | | | <i>Note</i> If a form is approved under s 139C for this provision, the form must be used. |
| 11 | | (2) | The application must be made within 5 years after the tax was paid. |
| 12 13 | | (3) | This section does not affect the operation of any other provision of a tax law that authorises or requires a refund of tax paid. |

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Endnotes

| 1 | Presentation speech | |
|---|---|-------|
| | Presentation speech made in the Legislative Assembly on | 2009. |
| 2 | Notification | |
| | Notified under the Legislation Act on | 2009. |
| 3 | Republications of amended laws | |
| | For the latest republication of amended laws, see www.legislation.act.gov.au. | |

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