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## A Bill for

An Act to amend legislation about justice and community safety

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

1	1	Name of Act
2		This Act is the Justice and Community Safety Legislation Amendment Act 2010 (No 2).
4	2	Commencement
5 6 7	(1	1) Section 3 and schedule 1, part 1.1 (ACT Civil and Administrative Tribunal Act 2008) commence on the day after this Act's notification day.
8 9		Note The naming and commencement provisions automatically commence on the notification day (see Legislation Act, s 75 (1)).
10 11	(2	2) The remaining provisions commence on the 28th day after this Act's notification day.
12	3	Legislation amended
13		This Act amends the legislation mentioned in schedule 1.

1	Schedule 1	Legislation amended
2	(see s 3)	

#### **ACT Civil and Administrative Part 1.1** 3

#### **Tribunal Act 2008** 4 [1.1] **Section 94 (2)** substitute 6 (1A) Also, the Executive may appoint a person as a temporary 7 presidential member of the tribunal. 8 The Executive under 9 (2) must not appoint person subsection (1) or (1A) unless the person is a lawyer and has been a 10 lawyer for 5 years or more. 11 **Section 96 (2)** [1.2] 12 substitute 13 (1A) Also, the Attorney-General may appoint a person to the tribunal as a 14 temporary senior member or temporary ordinary member. 15 (2) The Attorney-General must not appoint a person under 16 subsection (1) or (1A) unless satisfied that the person has the 17 experience or expertise to qualify the person to exercise the 18 functions of a senior or ordinary member. 19 [1.3] Section 96 (3) 20 omit 21 appointment of senior and ordinary members 22 substitute 23

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appointment of non-presidential members

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Part 1.1

Legislation amended ACT Civil and Administrative Tribunal Act 2008

Amendment [1.4]

[1.4]	Section 98 (1)
	after
	presidential member
	insert
	under section 94 (1)
[1.5]	New section 98 (1A)
	insert
(1A)	The appointment of a person as a temporary presidential member under section 94 (1A) is for the term, not longer than 12 months, stated in the appointment.
[1.6]	Section 98 (2)
	after
	non-presidential member
	insert
	under section 96 (1)
[1.7]	New section 98 (2A)
	before the note, insert
(2A)	The appointment of a person as a temporary non-presidential member under section 96 (1A) is for the term, not longer than 12 months, stated in the appointment.
[1.8]	Section 101
	omit

1	[1.9]	Section 103 heading
2		substitute
3	103	Presidential members not to do other work
4	[1.10]	Section 103
5		after
6		presidential member
7		insert
8		appointed under section 94 (1)
9	[1.11]	Dictionary, definition of non-presidential member
0		substitute
1		non-presidential member means a senior member or ordinary member of the tribunal appointed under section 96 (1) or a
3		temporary senior member or temporary ordinary member of the
4		tribunal appointed under section 96 (1A).
5	[1.12]	Dictionary, definition of presidential member
6		substitute
7  8  9		<i>presidential member</i> means the general president, appeal president or another presidential member appointed under section 94 (1) or a temporary presidential member appointed under section 94 (1A).
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Part 1	.2 Associations Incorporation Act 1991
[1.13]	Section 63 (2)
	omit
	an insolvent under administration within the meaning of the Corporations Act
	substitute
	bankrupt or personally insolvent
[1.14]	Section 64 (2) (d)
	substitute
	(d) becomes bankrupt or personally insolvent; or
[1.15]	Dictionary, note 2
	insert
	bankrupt or personally insolvent
Part 1	.3 Associations Incorporation Regulation 1991
[1.16]	Schedule 1, section 16 (1) (e)
	substitute
	(e) becomes bankrupt or personally insolvent; or

## Part 1.4 Cooperatives Act 2002

[1.17]	Section 67 (1) (c)
	substitute
	(c) the person becomes bankrupt or personally insolvent, unless the rules of the cooperative otherwise provide;
	Note <b>Bankrupt or personally insolvent</b> —see the Legislation Act, dictionary, pt 1.
[1.18]	Dictionary, note 2
	insert
	<ul> <li>bankrupt or personally insolvent</li> </ul>
[1.19]	2007 Section 61 (1) (c)
	substitute
	(c) if the official visitor becomes bankrupt or personally insolvent; or
	Note <b>Bankrupt or personally insolvent</b> —see the Legislation Act, dictionary, pt 1.
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[1.20]	Dictionary, note 2
[1.20]	Dictionary, note 2 insert

Schedule 1 Part 1.6 Legislation amended

Crimes (Sentence Administration) Act 2005

**Crimes (Sentence** 

Amendment [1.21]

**Part 1.6** 

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	Administration) Act 2005
[1.21]	Section 178 (1) (c)
	substitute
	(c) if the member becomes bankrupt or personally insolvent; or
	Note <b>Bankrupt or personally insolvent</b> —see the Legislation Act, dictionary, pt 1.
[1.22]	Dictionary, note 2
	insert
	<ul> <li>bankrupt or personally insolvent</li> </ul>
	Act 1990
[1.23]	Section 28 (2) (a)
	substitute
	(a) becomes bankrupt or personally insolvent; or
	Note <b>Bankrupt or personally insolvent</b> —see the Legislation Act, dictionary, pt 1.
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	Dictionary, note 2
	insert

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[1.25]	Section 8 (3) (c)
	substitute
	(c) if the member becomes bankrupt or personally insolvent; or
	Note <b>Bankrupt or personally insolvent</b> —see the Legislation Act, dictionary, pt 1.
[1.26]	Dictionary, note 2
	insert
	<ul> <li>bankrupt or personally insolvent</li> </ul>
[1.27]	of Property Act 1991 Section 10 (2) (c)
[ · · · <u>- ·</u> · ]	substitute
	(c) is bankrupt or personally insolvent (and, if so, has given particulars to the ACAT).
	Note Bankrupt or personally insolvent—see the Legislation Act,
	dictionary, pt 1.
[1.28]	
[1.28]	dictionary, pt 1.

Schedule 1 Part 1.10

Legislation amended

Human Rights Commission Act 2005

Amendment [1.29]

Part 1	.10 Human Rights Commission Act 2005
[1.29]	Section 29 (1) (c)
	substitute
	(c) if the person becomes bankrupt or personally insolvent; or
	Note <b>Bankrupt or personally insolvent</b> —see the Legislation Act dictionary, pt 1.
[1.30]	Dictionary, note 2
	insert
	<ul> <li>bankrupt or personally insolvent</li> </ul>
Part 1	
	Regulatory Commission Act 1997
Part 1	Regulatory Commission Act 1997 Schedule 2, section 2.5 (6)
[1.31]	Regulatory Commission Act 1997 Schedule 2, section 2.5 (6) substitute
	Regulatory Commission Act 1997 Schedule 2, section 2.5 (6) substitute
[1.31]	Regulatory Commission Act 1997  Schedule 2, section 2.5 (6)  substitute  A commissioner ceases to hold office if the commissioner becomes
<b>[1.31]</b> (6)	Regulatory Commission Act 1997  Schedule 2, section 2.5 (6)  substitute  A commissioner ceases to hold office if the commissioner becomes bankrupt or personally insolvent.
<b>[1.31]</b> (6)	Regulatory Commission Act 1997  Schedule 2, section 2.5 (6)  substitute  A commissioner ceases to hold office if the commissioner becomes bankrupt or personally insolvent.  Schedule 3, section 3.9 (6)  substitute
[1.31] (6) [1.32]	Regulatory Commission Act 1997  Schedule 2, section 2.5 (6)  substitute  A commissioner ceases to hold office if the commissioner becomes bankrupt or personally insolvent.  Schedule 3, section 3.9 (6)  substitute  A member of a panel ceases to hold office if the member becomes
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## Part 1.12 Justices of the Peace Act 1989

2	[1.34]	Section 3B (1) (a)
3		substitute
4		(a) the person becomes bankrupt or personally insolvent; or
5 6		Note Bankrupt or personally insolvent—see the Legislation Act, dictionary, pt 1.
7	Part 1.	13 Legal Aid Act 1977
8	[1.35]	Section 52 (2) (a)
9		substitute
10		(a) becomes bankrupt or personally insolvent; or
11	[1.36]	Section 60 (2) (a)
12		substitute
13		(a) becomes bankrupt or personally insolvent; or
14	[1.37]	Section 78 (2) (a)
15		substitute
16		(a) becomes bankrupt or personally insolvent; or
17	[1.38]	Dictionary, note 2
18		insert
19		bankrupt or personally insolvent

## Part 1.14 Magistrates Court Act 1930

[1.39]	Section 89 heading
	substitute
89	Indictable offences—issue of warrant for non-appearance
[1.40]	New section 89 (1A)
	insert
(1A)	This section also applies if—
	(a) subsection (1) (a), (b) and (e) apply in relation to a person; and
	(b) the person appears before the court for the hearing of the information for the offence; and
	(c) the court adjourns or postpones the hearing or further hearing and
	(d) the person is told of the time and place of the adjourned or postponed hearing or further hearing; and
	(e) the person does not appear before the court at the adjourned of postponed hearing or further hearing.
[1.41]	New sections 112 and 112A
	insert
112	Summary proceedings—issue of warrant for non- appearance at adjourned or postponed hearing
(1)	This section applies if—
	(a) a defendant appears before the court for the hearing of an information for an offence; and
	(b) the information is substantiated by the oath of the informant o a witness; and

1		(c) the court adjourns or postpones the hearing or further hearing; and
3 4		(d) the defendant is told of the time and place of the adjourned or postponed hearing or further hearing; and
5 6		(e) the defendant does not appear before the court at the adjourned or postponed hearing or further hearing.
7 8 9	(2)	The court may issue a warrant for the arrest of the defendant and to bring the defendant before the court at the adjourned or postponed hearing or further hearing.
10	112A	Court may direct defendant to appear
11	(1)	This section applies if—
12 13		(a) a summons is served on a defendant in relation to an information for an offence; and
14 15		(b) in accordance with the summons—the defendant appears before the court represented by a lawyer; and
16		(c) the defendant does not appear personally for the hearing; and
17 18		(d) the information is substantiated by the oath of the informant or a witness.
19	(2)	The court may at any time during the hearing—
20		(a) adjourn the hearing; and
21 22 23		(b) direct the defendant by written notice to attend personally before the court for any matter related to the hearing, at the time and place specified by the court.
24 25	(3)	A notice under subsection (2) must be served in the same way as the service of a summons under section 41.

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(4) If the defendant does not appear before the court in accordance with a notice under subsection (2), the court may issue a warrant for the arrest of the defendant and to bring the defendant before the court.

## Part 1.15 Ombudsman Act 1989

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5	[1.42]	Section 28 (6)	
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substitute

(6) The Executive must remove the ombudsman from office if the ombudsman becomes bankrupt or personally insolvent.

Note **Bankrupt or personally insolvent**—see the Legislation Act, dictionary, pt 1.

## 11 [1.43] Dictionary, note 2

*insert* 

bankrupt or personally insolvent

## Part 1.16 Powers of Attorney Act 2006

### 15 [1.44] Section 14 (1) (b) and note

16 *substitute* 

(b) a person who is bankrupt or personally insolvent.

## 18 [1.45] Section 62 (1) (b)

substitute

(b) the attorney becomes bankrupt or personally insolvent.

### 21 [1.46] Section 62 (2), note

22 omit

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1	[1.47]	Dictionary, note 2
2		insert
3		bankrupt or personally insolvent
4 5	[1.48]	Dictionary, definitions of bankrupt and personal insolvency agreement
6		omit
7	Part 1.	17 Prostitution Act 1992
8	[1.49]	Section 24
9		omit
10		sexually transmitted disease
11		substitute
12		sexually transmissible infection
13	[1.50]	Section 25 heading
14		substitute
15 16	25	Providing or receiving commercial sexual services if infected
17	[1.51]	Sections 25 and 26
18		omit
19		sexually transmitted disease
20		substitute
21		sexually transmissible infection

Amendment [1.52]

1	[1.52]	Section 32 (2) (g)
2		omit
3		sexually transmitted diseases
4		substitute
5		sexually transmissible infections
6	[1.53]	Schedule 2, item 7, column 3
7		omit
8		sexually transmitted disease
9		substitute
0		sexually transmissible infection
1	[1.54]	Dictionary, definition of <i>prophylactic</i>
2		omit
3		sexually transmitted disease
4		substitute
5		sexually transmissible infection
6	[1.55]	Dictionary, definition of sexually transmitted disease
7		substitute
8		sexually transmissible infection means—
9		(a) chancroid, chlamydial infection, donovanosis, gonorrhoea, HIV/AIDS, lymphogranuloma venereum or syphilis; or
21		(b) an infection prescribed by regulation.

## Part 1.18 Public Advocate Act 2005

[1.56]	Section 7 (1) (c)
	substitute
	(c) if the person becomes bankrupt or personally insolvent; or
	Note <b>Bankrupt or personally insolvent</b> —see the Legislation Act, dictionary, pt 1.
[1.57]	Dictionary, note 2
	insert
	<ul> <li>bankrupt or personally insolvent</li> </ul>
Part 1	.19 Public Trustee Act 1985
raiti	1.19 Fublic Trustee Act 1905
[1.58]	Section 53 (2) (c)
	substitute
	(c) if the member becomes bankrupt or personally insolvent; or
	Note <b>Bankrupt or personally insolvent</b> —see the Legislation Act, dictionary, pt 1.
[1.59]	Dictionary, note 2
[1.59]	Dictionary, note 2  insert

## **Endnotes**

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## 1 Presentation speech

Presentation speech made in the Legislative Assembly on 2010.

2 Notification

Notified under the Legislation Act on 2010.

## 3 Republications of amended laws

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