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A Bill for

An Act to amend legislation about city services, and for other purposes

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

1 **Part 1 Preliminary**

2 **1 Name of Act**

3 This Act is the *Transport Canberra and City Services Legislation*
4 *Amendment Act 2016*.

5 **2 Commencement**

6 This Act commences on the day after its notification day.

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

9 **3 Legislation amended**

10 This Act amends the following legislation:

- 11 • [Domestic Animals Act 2000](#)
- 12 • [Domestic Animals Regulation 2001](#)
- 13 • [Public Unleased Land Act 2013](#).

Part 2 Domestic Animals Act 2000

4 Dangerous dog licences—approval or refusal Section 25 (4)

substitute

(4) Subsection (4A) applies if—

- (a) the application is made after the dog is seized under division 2.7 (Seizing dogs and dealing with them); and
- (b) the dog was seized because of the contravention of a provision of this Act (the *offence*); and
- (c) the dog is declared to be a dangerous dog after it is seized.

(4A) The registrar may approve the application only if—

- (a) 28 days have elapsed since the day the dog was seized and—
 - (i) a prosecution has not been started for the offence; and
 - (ii) an infringement notice has not been served for the offence; or
- (b) an infringement notice has been served for the offence and the infringement notice penalty has been paid or the notice withdrawn; or
- (c) a prosecution for the offence was started not later than 28 days after the day the dog was seized and—
 - (i) the prosecution has been discontinued; or
 - (ii) the keeper has been convicted or found guilty of the offence but is not disqualified by an order under section 138A from keeping the dog.

1 **Part 3** **Domestic Animals**
2 **Regulation 2001**

3 **5** **Reviewable decisions**
4 **Schedule 1, new item 4A**

5 *insert*

4A	Act, 25 (1) (a)	approve issue of dangerous dog licence	person who, or whose animal, has been attacked or harassed by dog
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6 **6** **Schedule 1, item 6, column 2**

7 *omit*

8 25 (2)

9 *substitute*

10 26 (1)

1 **Part 4** **Public Unleased Land Act 2013**

2 **7** **New section 28A**

3 *insert*

4 **28A** **Removing noncompliant signs**

5 If a movable sign is on public land and does not comply with the
6 movable signs code of practice, an authorised person or police
7 officer may take the sign to a retention area.

Endnotes

1 **Presentation speech**

Presentation speech made in the Legislative Assembly on 15 December 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.

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