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EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

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OUTLINE

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The Motor Traffic (Amendment) Act (No. 3) 1996 creates three new parking infringements in sections 150G, 150H and 150J of the Motor Traffic Act 1936 (the Act). The Executive may make regulations in relation to the penalties for parking infringements pursuant to paragraph 218(al) of the Act. The penalty for a parking infringement is the penalty prescribed in the regulations for that infringement pursuant to section 149 of the Act.

These amendments to the *Motor Traffic Regulations* insert a penalty for each of the three new parking infringements.

DETAILS

Commencement and Principal Regulations

Clauses 1 & 2 These clauses are formal requirements. Clause 1 provides that the amendments will commence on the day they are notified in the Gazette. Clause 2 defines the Principal Regulations as the *Motor Traffic Regulations*.

Schedule

Clause 3

This clause prescribes the penalties for the new parking infringements in sections 150G, 150H and 150J of the Act.

The prescribed penalty for the parking infringement in sections 150G and 150J is \$112. The prescribed penalty for the parking infringement in section 150H is \$62.