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THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY FOR THE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

BOXING CONTROL ACT 1993

BOXING CONTROL REGULATIONS (AMENDMENT)

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

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Outline

The Boxing Control Act 1993 (the Act) specifies a legislative regime to control boxing contests in the Territory. The Act provides that a person shall not conduct a boxing contest without the approval of the Minister. The Act also specifies a procedure for obtaining Ministerial approval.

The term 'boxing contest' is defined in section 3 of the Act to mean a contest, display or exhibition of boxing but does not include a prescribed contest, display or exhibition. That is, where a regulation is made prescribing a certain contest for the purposes of the definition of boxing contest in section 3 of the Act then the provisions of the Act will not apply to that contest.

The Boxing Control Regulations prescribe two boxing contests for the purposes of the definition of the term 'boxing contest' in section 3 of the Act. The effect of the Regulations is that the provisions of the Act will not apply to these two contests.

The Boxing Control Regulations (Amendment) (the Amending Regulations) will amend Regulation 3 of the Boxing Control Regulations by amending the date of the contest being promoted by Mr G M Hinton. This amendment will ensure that provisions of the Act will not apply to the kick boxing contest conducted by Mr G M Hinton on 19 September 1993.

Financial Implications

The Amending Regulations will have no impact on revenue or expenditure.

Provisions of the Amending Regulation

Regulation 1

Regulation 1 specifies that the Amending Regulations will commence on the day it is notified in the Gazette.

Regulation 2

Regulation 2 will amend Regulation 3 of the Boxing Control Regulations to specify that the date of the boxing contest promoted by Mr G M Hinton at the Hellenic Club, Matilda Street, Phillip shall be the 19 September 1993.