

**THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY FOR THE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL
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ROADS AND PUBLIC PLACES (AMENDMENT) BILL (NO. 2) 1977

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

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OUTLINE

The Roads and Public Places Act specifies a legislative regime to control the placing of objects in public places

REVENUE/COST IMPLICATIONS

The Bill has no revenue or cost implications.

DETAIL OF THE BILL

Machinery Provisions

Clauses 1, 2 and 3

Identify the Bill, provide for commencement and identifies the Act to be amended.

Clause 4

Clause 4 will insert Section 15M A into the principal Act.

Proposed Section 15M A will empower the Minister to give a notice in writing to a person who has placed an object in a public place where that person has not obtained a permit under Section 15 C of the Act.

Under 15M A the Minister may direct a person to remove the object within the time specified in the notice.

Where that person does not remove the object then the Minister may dispose of the object in accordance with the procedure already in the Act.

Clauses 5, 6 and 7

Clauses 5, 6 and 7 make consequential amendments to the Act required by the insertion of new Section 15M A.