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EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE SAFETY LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2020

#### SUPPLEMENTARY EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

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## INTRODUCTION

This supplementary explanatory statement relates to the Employment and Workplace Safety Legislation Amendment Bill 2020 (the Bill). It has been prepared in order to accompany amendments to be moved by the Minister for Employment and Workplace Safety to the Bill.

Stakeholder concerns have been raised about the permanent nature, outside of the COVID-19 emergency, of the amendments in part 3 of the Bill to the *Public Sector Management Act 1994*. As a result, this amendment is being removed from the Bill, with consequential amendments to the Bill to effect its removal.

### **CLAUSE NOTES—GOVERNMENT AMENDMENTS**

#### Amendment 1 Amendment to the Long Title of the Bill

This amendment amends the Long Title of the Bill and is consequential on the removal of Part 3 of the Bill which contains an amendment to the *Public Sector Management Act 1994*.

#### Amendment 2 Amendment to the commencement sections in clause 2 of the Bill

This amendment is consequential on the removal of Part 3 of the Bill which contains an amendment to the *Public Sector Management Act 1994*.

#### Amendment 3 Removal of Part 3 of the Bill—Public Sector Management Act 1994

This amendment removes Part 3 of the Bill which contains an amendment to the *Public Sector Management Act 1994*.