Road Transport (General) Amendment Act 2013

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An Act to amend the Road Transport (General) Act 1999, and for other purposes

The Legislative Assembly for the Australian Capital Territory enacts as follows:
1 Name of Act

This Act is the Road Transport (General) Amendment Act 2013.

2 Commencement

This Act commences on the day after its notification day.

Note The naming and commencement provisions automatically commence on the notification day (see Legislation Act, s 75 (1)).

3 Legislation amended

This Act amends the Road Transport (General) Act 1999.

Note This Act also amends the following legislation (see sch 1):

- Road Transport (Alcohol and Drugs) Act 1977
- Road Transport (Driver Licensing) Regulation 2000
- Road Transport (Vehicle Registration) Regulation 2000.

4 Dictionary, definition of bicycle

substitute

bicycle means a vehicle with 2 or more wheels that is built to be propelled by human power through a belt, chain or gears (whether or not it has an auxiliary motor) and—

(a) includes a pedicab, penny-farthing and tricycle; and

(b) includes a power-assisted pedal cycle within the meaning of vehicle standards determined under the Motor Vehicle Standards Act 1989 (Cwlth), section 7; but

...
(c) does not include a wheelchair, wheeled recreational device, wheeled toy, or any vehicle (other than a vehicle mentioned in paragraph (b)) with an auxiliary motor capable of generating a power output over 200 watts (whether or not the motor is operating).

Note 1  *Power-assisted pedal cycle* is defined in the *Vehicle Standard (Australian Design Rule–Definitions and Vehicle Categories)* 2005 which are vehicle standards determined under the *Motor Vehicles Standards Act 1989* (Cwlth), s 7. The definition includes a vehicle referred to as a pedalec.

Note 2  *Wheelchair, wheeled recreational device* and *wheeled toy*—see the *Australian Road Rules*, dictionary.
Schedule 1
Consequential Amendments

Part 1.1
Road Transport (Alcohol and Drugs) Act 1977

[1.1] Section 18A (1), definition of bicycle
omit

[1.2] Section 24A (4), definition of bicycle
omit

Part 1.2
Road Transport (Driver Licensing) Regulation 2000

[1.3] Section 99 (2), note
after
200W
insert
other than a vehicle that is a power-assisted pedal cycle within the meaning of vehicle standards determined under the Motor Vehicle Standards Act 1989 (Cwlth), s 7
Part 1.3  Road Transport (Vehicle Registration) Regulation 2000

[1.4] Section 20, note

after
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Endnotes

1  Presentation speech
Presentation speech made in the Legislative Assembly on 11 April 2013.

2  Notification
Notified under the Legislation Act on 22 May 2013.

3  Republications of amended laws
For the latest republication of amended laws, see www.legislation.act.gov.au.

I certify that the above is a true copy of the Road Transport (General) Amendment Bill 2013, which was passed by the Legislative Assembly on 7 May 2013.

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

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