

Criminal Procedure Amendment (Transitional) Regulation 2021

under the

Criminal Procedure Act 1986

Her Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has made the following Regulation under the *Criminal Procedure Act 1986*.

MARK SPEAKMAN, MP Attorney General, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence

Explanatory note

The object of this Regulation is to provide that amendments made by the Stronger Communities Legislation Amendment (Miscellaneous) Act 2020 that apply case management provisions under the Criminal Procedure Act 1986 to District Court prosecutions under the Work Health and Safety Act 2011 apply to proceedings that have already commenced, with the exception of proceedings in which the Court has set a date for the trial or the sentencing hearing.

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1 Name of Regulation

This Regulation is the Criminal Procedure Amendment (Transitional) Regulation 2021.

2 Commencement

This Regulation commences on 31 May 2021 and is required to be published on the NSW legislation website.

3 Amendment of Criminal Procedure Regulation 2017

Insert after clause 119A—

119B Transitional provision relating to case management of WHS prosecutions in District Court

Sections 247A, 247B, 247C and 247E of the Act, as amended by the *Stronger Communities Legislation Amendment (Miscellaneous) Act 2020*, extend to proceedings commenced in the District Court before 31 May 2021, other than proceedings that before 31 May 2021 were listed by the Court for trial or sentencing hearing.