LOCAL GOVERNMENT (AMENDMENT) ACT.

New South Wales



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Act No. 84, 1973.

An Act to amend the definition of "newspaper" in the Local Government Act, 1919; to increase the maximum reduction allowable in respect of certain rates payable by eligible pensioners; to empower the making of ordinances to control transmission of noise in buildings; to validate certain matters; for these and other purposes to amend the Local Government Act, 1919; and for purposes connected therewith. [Assented to, 20th December, 1973.]

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No. 84, 1973 BE it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows: --

Short title.

This Act may be cited as the "Local Government (Amendment) Act, 1973".

Amendment of Act No. 41, 1919.

The Local Government Act, 1919, is amended—

Sec. 4. (Definitions.)

- (a) by omitting from section 4 the definition of "Newspaper" and by inserting instead the following definition:---
 - "Newspaper" means any paper containing public news, or observations thereon or upon any political matter, which is printed for sale or gratuitous distribution and published periodically at intervals not exceeding twenty-six days and which circulates within the area or district with respect to which the term is used.

Sec. 160AA. (Reduction of rates payable by certain classes of pensioners.)

- (b) (i) by omitting section 160AA (4) (a) (i) and (ii) and by inserting instead the following subparagraphs:---
 - (i) in the case of a general rate levied for the year one thousand nine hundred and seventy-two or one thousand nine

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hundred and seventy-three, the amount No. 84, 1973 of \$80, and in the case of a general rate levied for the year one thousand nine hundred and seventy-four or for any subsequent year, the amount of \$120; or

- (ii) in the case of a water rate or a sewerage rate levied for the year one thousand nine hundred and seventy-two or one thousand nine hundred and seventy-three, the amount of \$40 in respect of each such rate, and in the case of a water rate or a sewerage rate levied for the year one thousand nine hundred and seventy-four or for any subsequent year, the amount of \$60 in respect of each such rate.
- (ii) by omitting section 160AA (4) (b) (i) and (ii) and by inserting instead the following new subparagraphs:—
 - (i) in the case of a general rate levied for the year one thousand nine hundred and seventy-two or one thousand nine hundred and seventy-three, the amount of \$80, and in the case of a general rate levied for the year one thousand nine hundred and seventy-four or for any subsequent year, the amount of \$120; or
 - (ii) in the case of a water rate or a sewerage rate levied for the year one thousand nine hundred and seventy-two or one

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thousand nine hundred and seventythree, the amount of \$40 in respect of each such rate, and in the case of a water rate or a sewerage rate levied for the year one thousand nine hundred and seventy-four or for any subsequent year, the amount of \$60 in respect of each such rate.

- (iii) by omitting section 160AA (6) (a) (i) and (ii) and by inserting instead the following subparagraphs:—
 - (i) in the case of a rating contribution in respect of a general rate levied for the year one thousand nine hundred and seventy-two or one thousand nine hundred and seventy-three the amount of \$80, and in the case of a rating contribution in respect of a general rate levied for the year one thousand nine hundred and seventy-four or for any subsequent year the amount of \$120; or
 - (ii) in the case of a rating contribution in respect of a water rate or a sewerage rate levied for the year one thousand nine hundred and seventy-two or one thousand nine hundred and seventy-three, the amount of \$40 in respect of each such contribution, and in the case of a rating contribution in respect of a water rate or a sewerage rate levied for the year one thousand nine hundred and seventy-four or for any subsequent year, the amount of \$60 in respect of each such contribution.

- (iv) by omitting section 160AA (6) (b) (i) and No. 84, 1973 (ii) and by inserting instead the following subparagraphs:—
 - (i) in the case of a rating contribution in respect of a general rate levied for the year one thousand nine hundred and seventy-two or one thousand nine hundred and seventy-three, the amount of \$80, and in the case of a rating contribution in respect of a general rate levied for the year one thousand nine hundred and seventy-four or for any subsequent year, the amount of \$120; or
 - (ii) in the case of a rating contribution in respect of a water rate or a sewerage rate levied for the year one thousand nine hundred and seventy-two or one thousand nine hundred and seventy-three, the amount of \$40 in respect of each such contribution, and in the case of a rating contribution in respect of a water rate or a sewerage rate levied for the year one thousand nine hundred and seventy-four or for any subsequent year, the amount of \$60 in respect of each such contribution.
- (c) by inserting in section 318 next after paragraph Section 318. (34) the following new paragraph:— (Ordinances.)
 - (35) the control of transmission of noise in buildings, including the regulation for this purpose of building construction and of materials to be used therein.

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3. Any provision in Ordinance No. 71, made under the Local Government Act, 1919, relating to a matter referred of certain provisions of Ordinance No. 71. to in section 2 (c) shall have the same force and effect, and shall be deemed always to have had the same force and effect, as it would have, or have had, if that section had been in as it would have, or have had, if that section had been in force when that Ordinance or any alteration thereto, was made.