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Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Amendment Bill 2004

Explanatory note

This explanatory note relates to this Bill as introduced into Parliament.

Overview of Bill

The object of this Bill is to amend the *Crimes (Administration of Sentences)* Act 1999 to provide for a more severe penalty to be imposed on a correctional centre inmate found with a mobile phone and with respect to other miscellaneous matters, including the types of samples that may be taken for the purpose of testing for the presence of prohibited drugs, the conduct of correctional centre disciplinary proceedings, the revocation of periodic detention orders and the extension of sentences.

Outline of provisions

Clause 1 sets out the name (also called the short title) of the proposed Act.

Clause 2 provides for the commencement of the proposed Act on a day or days to be appointed by proclamation, other than the amendments made by Schedule 2 and Schedule 3.2. Clause 2 (2) provides for the amendments made

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by Schedule 2 to commence on the commencement of certain currently uncommenced amendments in the *Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Further Amendment Act 2002*. Clause 2 (3) provides for the amendments to the *Criminal Appeal Act 1912* to commence on assent.

Clause 3 is a formal provision that gives effect to the amendments to the *Crimes* (*Administration of Sentences*) *Act 1999* set out in Schedules 1 and 2.

Clause 4 is a formal provision that gives effect to the amendments to the Acts and instrument set out in Schedule 3.

Schedule 1 Amendment of Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999

Schedule 1 [1] inserts a definition of *non-invasive sample* in section 3, the definitions section. *Non-invasive sample* is defined to mean samples of specified types of human biological material such as hair and urine (but not blood). **Schedule 1** [15], [16], [19], [21] and [22] make amendments to replace references to a sample of a particular biological material with the defined term *non-invasive sample*.

The proposed Act makes amendments to remove the distinction between a correctional centre offence dealt with as a *major offence* and a correctional centre offence dealt with as a *minor offence*. Schedule 1 [2] omits the definitions of *major offence* and *minor offence* from section 51. Schedule 1 [3] replaces references in section 53 to minor offences with references to correctional centre offences. Schedule 1 [6], [9] and [20] make amendments consequential on these amendments.

The proposed Act makes amendments to increase certain types of penalties that governors and Visiting Magistrates can impose in administering correctional centre discipline. **Schedule 1** [4] amends section 53 to increase the maximum number of days of deprivation of withdrawable privileges a governor can impose from 28 to 56. **Schedule 1** [5] amends section 53 to increase the maximum number of days of confinement to a cell a governor can impose from 3 to 7. **Schedule 1** [10] amends section 56 to increase the maximum number of days of deprivation of withdrawable privileges a Visiting Magistrate can impose from 56 to 90. **Schedule 1** [11] amends section 56 to increase the maximum period a Visiting Magistrate can extend the term of a sentence (and if applicable, the non-parole period of the sentence) of an inmate from 28 days to 6 months.

Associated with these increases in maximum penalties, **Schedule 1** [12] amends section 56 to confer, on a Visiting Magistrate hearing a charge on a correctional centre offence, the power to impose a sentence of imprisonment for a period not exceeding 6 months. **Schedule 1** [18] makes an amendment to section 62 to confer a right of appeal to the District Court in respect of a sentence of

imprisonment imposed under proposed section 56 (1) (f). **Schedule 1 [13]** makes an amendment consequential on this amendment.

Schedule 1 [7] amends section 55 to make certain provision for a Visiting Magistrate to hear a charge on a correctional centre offence by way of audio visual link.

Schedule 1 [8] makes an amendment in the nature of statute law revision.

Schedule 1 [14] inserts proposed section 56A to provide for a governor or Visiting Magistrate dealing with a charge relating to the new correctional centre offence in respect of an inmate found with a mobile phone to order an inmate guilty of the offence to be deprived, for up to 6 months, of such withdrawable privileges as the governor or Visiting Magistrate may determine. Possession of a mobile phone or associated articles is made a correctional centre offence by **Schedule 3.1** [5].

Schedule 1 [17] makes an amendment to section 59 to increase, from \$100 to \$500, the maximum amount of compensation that the governor of a correctional centre may order an inmate to pay for loss of or damage to property as a result of the inmate committing a correctional centre offence.

Schedule 1 [23] makes an amendment to section 163 to require the revocation of an offender's periodic detention order for failing to report for a single detention period if the same offender has already had a periodic detention order reinstated previously following revocation for failure to report for 3 or more detention periods. It also makes it clear that, for the purposes of section 163 (2) (a), it is immaterial whether a relevant failure to report occurred before or after a reinstatement of the relevant periodic detention order.

Schedule 1 [24] inserts proposed section 249 (2) to make it clear that the definition of a *person in custody* includes persons refused bail or granted bail but not released under section 20 of the *Bail Act 1978* and persons arrested or apprehended under section 50 of the *Bail Act 1978*.

Schedule 1 [25] makes an amendment to section 250 to make it clear that a correctional officer into whose keeping a person in custody has been given can convey the person in custody to a court.

Schedule 1 [26]–[28] make amendments to section 255 to provide for the effect of the extension of a sentence on a sentence to be served partly consecutively with the extended sentence. Schedule 1 [26] makes an amendment to make it clear that section 255 applies in respect of a partly consecutive sentence. Schedule 1 [27] provides that on the extension of the non-parole period of a sentence, the date of commencement of a partly consecutive sentence (that would otherwise commence before the end of the non-parole period of the extended sentence) is extended by the period the non-parole period is extended.

Schedule 1 [28] makes a corresponding amendment to provide that a partly consecutive sentence (that would otherwise commence after the end of the non-parole period of an extended sentence) is extended by the period for which the term is extended.

Schedule 1 [29] makes an amendment to clause 3 of Schedule 2 to provide that the nomination of the deputy of an official member of the Serious Offenders Review Council may be for a specified period or an indefinite period and, in respect of the period the nomination is in force, has effect according to its terms (subject to any revocation). Provision is also made for a list of officers of the Department eligible to be nominated as the deputy of an official member to be established and for such a deputy only to be chosen from the list of eligible officers. A provision is also included to make it clear that the revocation of the appointment of an official member automatically results in the revocation of the nomination of a deputy of the official member.

Schedule 1 [30] and [31] contain amendments to Schedule 5 in relation to savings and transitional provisions consequent on the enactment of the proposed Act.

Schedule 2 Further amendments to Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999

Schedule 2 makes amendments to provisions to be inserted in the *Crimes* (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999 by Schedule 1 [14] to the *Crimes* (Administration of Sentences) Further Amendment Act 2002 to replace references to particular biological materials with the defined term **non-invasive** sample (to be inserted by **Schedule 1** [1]).

Schedule 3 Amendment of other Acts and instrument

Schedule 3.1 makes amendments to the *Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Regulation 2001*.

Schedule 3.1 [1] makes it an offence against the *Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Regulation 2001* for an inmate to have in his or her possession a mobile phone or any part of it, a mobile phone SIM card or any part of it, or a mobile phone charger or any part of it. **Schedule 3.1** [5] makes an amendment to specify the new offence as a correctional centre offence by including it in Schedule 2 to the Regulation. An amendment made by **Schedule 3.4** includes a related offence in the *Summary Offences Act 1988*, enabling such conduct to be dealt with as an offence against that Act (with a maximum penalty of imprisonment for 2 years or 50 penalty units (currently \$5,500), or both) rather than as a correctional centre offence. **Schedule 3.1** [5] also amends Schedule 2 to reflect the abolition of the distinction between a correctional centre offence

treated as a major offence and a correctional centre offence treated as a minor offence.

Schedule 3.1 [2]–[4] and [6] make consequential amendments to reflect the abolition of the distinction between a correctional centre offence treated as a major offence and a correctional centre offence treated as a minor offence.

Schedule 3.2 makes amendments to the *Criminal Appeal Act 1912* to give effect to provisions with respect to certain time not being counted as part of a term of imprisonment under a person's sentence.

Schedule 3.3 makes an amendment to the *Freedom of Information Act 1989* to omit the matter relating to the office of Inspector-General of Corrective Services from Schedule 2, following the expiry of the position of Inspector-General of Corrective Services on 1 October 2003.

Schedule 3.4 makes an amendment to the *Summary Offences Act 1988* to make it an offence against the *Summary Offences Act 1988* for an inmate, without reasonable excuse (proof of which lies on the inmate), to have in his or her possession in a place of detention a mobile phone or any part of it, a mobile phone SIM card or any part of it, or a mobile phone charger or any part of it. The maximum penalty for this offence is imprisonment for 2 years or 50 penalty units (currently \$5,500), or both.

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Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Amendment Bill 2004

No , 2004

A Bill for

An Act to amend the *Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999* with respect to mobile phone offences, inquiries and hearings for correctional centre offences, drug testing of inmates and other miscellaneous matters; and for other purposes.

| The | Legis | lature of New South Wales enacts: | 1 | | | |
|---------------|-------|--|--------------|--|--|--|
| 1 Name of Act | | | | | | |
| | | This Act is the Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Amendment Act 2004. | 3 4 | | | |
| 2 | Con | nmencement | 5 | | | |
| | (1) | This Act commences on a day or days to be appointed by proclamation, except as provided by this section. | 6 7 | | | |
| | (2) | The amendments made by Schedule 2 commence on the commencement of Schedule 1 [14] to the <i>Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Further Amendment Act 2002.</i> | 8 9 10 | | | |
| | (3) | The amendments made by Schedule 3.2 commence on the date of assent. | 11 12 | | | |
| 3 | Ame | endment of Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999 No 93 | 13 | | | |
| | | The <i>Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999</i> is amended as set out in Schedules 1 and 2. | 14 15 | | | |
| 4 | Ame | endment of other Acts and instrument | 16 | | | |
| | | The Acts and instrument specified in Schedule 3 are amended as set out in that Schedule. | 17 18 | | | |

| Schedule 1 | | Amendment of Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999 | | |
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| | | • | (Section 3) | 3 |
| [1] | Section 3 | Interpret | ation | 4 |
| | Insert in al | habetica | order in section 3 (1): | 5 |
| | | | asive sample means any of the following samples of biological material: | 6 |
| | | | sample of breath, taken by breath test, breath analysis otherwise, | 9 |
| | | (b) a s | sample of urine, | 10 |
| | | (c) a s | sample of faeces, | 11 |
| | | (d) a s | sample of saliva taken by buccal swab, | 12 |
| | | (e) a s | sample of nail, | 13 |
| | | (f) a s | sample of hair other than pubic hair, | 14 |
| | | (g) a s | sample of sweat taken by swab or washing from any ternal part of the body other than: | 15 16 |
| | | (i |) the genital or anal area or the buttocks, or | 17 |
| | | (ii |) the breasts of a female or a transgender person who identifies as a female. | 18 19 |
| [2] | Section 5 | Definiti | ons | 20 |
| | Omit the de | efinitions | of major offence and minor offence. | 21 |
| [3] | Section 5 | B Penalti | es governor may impose | 22 |
| | Omit "min | or offence | " from section 53 (1), (2) and (3) wherever occurring. | 23 |
| | Insert inste | ad "corre | ctional centre offence". | 24 |
| [4] | Section 5 | 3 (1) (b) | | 25 |
| | Omit "28". | Insert ins | stead "56". | 26 |
| [5] | Section 5 | 3 (1) (c) | | 27 |
| | Omit "3". 1 | nsert inst | ead "7". | 28 |

| [6] | Section 54 | 4 Reference of offences to Visiting Magistrate | 1 |
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| | Omit section | on 54 (1). Insert instead: | 2 |
| | (1) | The governor may refer a correctional centre offence with which an inmate is charged to a Visiting Magistrate for hearing and determination if the governor considers that, because of the serious nature of the offence, it should be referred to a Visiting Magistrate. | 3 4 5 6 7 |
| [7] | Section 5 | 5 Hearing of charges by Visiting Magistrate | 8 |
| | Omit section | on 55 (5). Insert instead: | 9 |
| | (5) | Any hearing in the proceedings is to be held: | 10 |
| | | (a) in the correctional centre at which the inmate is in custody, or | 11 12 |
| | | (b) if the Visiting Magistrate is satisfied that it is in the interests of the administration of justice for it to be held elsewhere—at any other place appointed by the Visiting Magistrate (an <i>appointed place</i>). | 13 14 15 16 |
| | (5A) | If a Visiting Magistrate appoints an appointed place for the holding of any hearing in the proceedings, the Visiting Magistrate may do any of the following: | 17 18 19 |
| | | (a) direct that the inmate must appear before the Visiting Magistrate by way of audio visual link from the correctional centre at which the inmate is in custody, | 20 21 22 |
| | | (b) direct that any other inmate who gives evidence or makes a submission in the hearing is to do so by way of audio visual link from the correctional centre at which that inmate is in custody, | 23 24 25 26 |
| | | (c) direct that any person other than an inmate who gives evidence or makes a submission is to do so by way of audio visual link from any place within New South Wales nominated by the Visiting Magistrate. | 27 28 29 30 |
| | (5B) | The Visiting Magistrate must not make a direction referred to in subsection (5A) if: | 31 32 |
| | | (a) the necessary audio visual facilities are unavailable or cannot reasonably be made available, or | 33 34 |
| | | (b) the Visiting Magistrate is satisfied that the direction would be unfair to a party to the proceedings. | 35 36 |

| | (5C) | Facilities are to be made available for private communication between an inmate appearing by way of audio visual link under this section and the inmate's representative in the proceedings if the inmate's representative attends the hearing at the appointed place. | 1 2 3 4 5 |
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| | (5D) | Any place at which a person appears, gives evidence or makes a submission by way of audio visual link under this section is taken to be part of the appointed place. | 6 7 8 |
| | (5E) | Subsection (5D) has effect, for example, for the purposes of the laws relating to evidence, procedure, contempt of court or perjury. | 9 10 11 |
| | (5F) | Subsection (5D) also has the effect that any offence committed at the place at which a person appears, gives evidence or makes a submission under this section by way of audio visual link is to be taken to have been committed at the appointed place. | 12 13 14 15 16 |
| | (5G) | Sections 5D, 20A, 20B and 20D–20F of the <i>Evidence (Audio and Audio Visual Links) Act 1998</i> apply, with such modifications as the Visiting Magistrate may direct, to proceedings in which a person appears, gives evidence or makes a submission by way of audio visual link under this section as they apply to the appearance, giving evidence or making of a submission by way of audio visual link in a proceeding before a NSW court under that Act. | 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 |
| | (5H) | Nothing in this section prevents a direction under section 5BB (1) of the <i>Evidence</i> (Audio and Audio Visual Links) Act 1998 being made in the proceedings. | 25 26 27 |
| [8] | Section 5 | 6 Penalties Visiting Magistrate may impose | 28 |
| | Omit "con | ducting an inquiry" from section 56 (1). | 29 |
| | Insert inste | ead "hearing the charge". | 30 |
| [9] | Section 5 | 6 (1)–(3) | 31 |
| | Omit "the | offence" wherever occurring. | 32 |
| | Insert inste | ead "the correctional centre offence". | 33 |
| [10] | Section 5 | 6 (1) (b) | 34 |
| | Omit "56" | . Insert instead "90". | 35 |

| [11] | Sect | tion 5 | 6 (1) (e) | | |
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| | Omi | t "28 d | lays". Insert instead "6 months". | 2 | |
| [12] | Sect | tion 5 | 6 (1) (f) | ; | |
| | Inse | rt after | section 56 (1) (e): | 4 | |
| | | | (f) imposition of a sentence of imprisonment for a period not exceeding 6 months. | : | |
| [13] | Sect | tion 5 | 6 (4) | - | |
| | Inse | rt after | section 56 (3): | 8 | |
| | | (4) | To avoid doubt, a Visiting Magistrate making an order referred to in subsection (1) (f) is a person exercising criminal jurisdiction for the purposes of the definition of <i>court</i> in section 3 (1) of the <i>Crimes</i> (Sentencing Procedure) Act 1999. | 10 10 12 | |
| [14] | Sect | tion 5 | 6 A | 13 | |
| | Insert after section 56: | | | | |
| | 56A | Pena | alty for possession of a mobile phone | 15 | |
| | | (1) | The governor or Visiting Magistrate dealing with a charge relating to a correctional centre offence arising out of the possession of a mobile phone or any part of it, a mobile phone SIM card or any part of it, or a mobile phone charger or any part of it may order that an inmate be deprived, for up to 6 months, of such withdrawable privileges as the governor or Visiting Magistrate may determine if satisfied beyond reasonable doubt that the inmate is guilty of the offence. | 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 | |
| | | (2) | Tor avoid doubt, if a penalty is imposed under this section in respect of a correctional centre offence, a governor or Visiting Magistrate must not also impose a penalty referred to in section 53 or 56, as the case may be, in respect of the same correctional centre offence. | 24 25 20 27 28 | |
| [15] | Sect | tion 5 | 7 Drug tests for inmates | 29 | |
| | Omi | t sectio | on 57 (1) (a). Insert instead: | 30 | |
| | | | (a) the result of a test showing the presence of a drug in a non-invasive sample taken from or provided by an inmate or | 3 ² 32 33 | |

| [16] | Section 57 (1) (b) | |
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| | Omit "provide a sample of his or her urine". | 2 |
| | Insert instead "provide, or enable to be taken, from the inmate a non-invasive sample". | 3 |
| [17] | Section 59 Compensation for property damage | ŧ |
| | Omit "\$100" from section 59 (2). Insert instead "\$500". | (|
| [18] | Section 62 Appeals against decisions of Visiting Magistrates | 7 |
| | Insert "or (f)" after "section 56 (1) (e)" in clause 62 (1). | 8 |
| [19] | Section 79 Regulations | (|
| | Omit "an inmate's breath, urine or faeces" from section 79 (v). | 10 |
| | Insert instead "a non-invasive sample provided by, or taken from, an inmate". | 1° 12 |
| [20] | Section 79 (w) | 13 |
| | Omit the paragraph. | 14 |
| [21] | Section 101 Regulations | 15 |
| | Omit "an offender's breath, urine or faeces" from section 101 (f). | 16 |
| | Insert instead "a non-invasive sample provided by, or taken from, an offender". | 17 18 |
| [22] | Section 117 Regulations | 19 |
| | Omit "an offender's breath, urine or faeces" from section 117 (e). | 20 |
| | Insert instead "a non-invasive sample provided by, or taken from, an offender". | 2 ⁻ 21 |

| [23] | Section 163 | Revocation o | f periodic | detention | order |
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Omit section 163 (2) and (2A). Insert instead:

- (2) The Parole Board must revoke an offender's periodic detention order on the application of the Commissioner if the Parole Board is satisfied that:
 - (a) the offender:
 - (i) has failed to report for 3 or more detention periods, whether during the same sentence of imprisonment or during different sentences of imprisonment being served consecutively (or partly consecutively) and whether any of the failures to report occurred before or after a reinstatement of the offender's periodic detention order under section 164A or 168A, and

- (ii) has not had a periodic detention order reinstated previously under section 164A or 168A following revocation for failure to report for 3 or more detention periods, whether under this subsection or any other law, or
- (b) the offender:
 - has failed to report for at least 1 detention period,
 and
 - (ii) has had a periodic detention order reinstated previously under section 164A or section 168A following revocation for failure to report for 3 or more detention periods, whether under this subsection or any other law,

and the Parole Board is satisfied that the failures to report occurred otherwise than on leave of absence and are not the subject of an exemption under section 90.

- (2A) An application under subsection (2) must be made:
 - (a) if the Commissioner is satisfied that:
 - (i) an offender has failed to report for 3 or more consecutive detention periods, and
 - (ii) the offender has failed to apply for, or been refused, leave of absence with respect to each of the detention periods referred to in subparagraph (i), and

| | | | (iii) | the offender's periodic detention order has not previously been reinstated under section 164A or 168A following revocation for failure to report for 3 or more detention periods, whether under subsection (2) or any other law, or | 2 3 4 |
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| | | (b) | if the | e Commissioner is satisfied that: | (|
| | | | (i) | an offender has failed to report for at least 1 detention period, and | { |
| | | | (ii) | the offender has failed to apply for, or been refused, leave of absence with respect to the detention period referred to in subparagraph (i), and | 10 10 12 |
| | | | (iii) | the offender's periodic detention order has previously been reinstated under section 164A or 168A following revocation for failure to report for 3 or more detention periods, whether under subsection (2) or any other law. | 1; 14 1; 10 11 |
| [24] | Section 249 Definitions | | | | |
| | Insert at the end of the section: | | | | |
| | (2) | | | noval of doubt, <i>person in custody</i> in subsection (1) person in lawful custody: | 20 21 |
| | | (a) | | sed bail by an authorised officer as referred to in on 20 of the <i>Bail Act 1978</i> , or | 22 23 |
| | | (b) | | ted bail by an authorised officer but not released as red to in section 20 of the <i>Bail Act 1978</i> , or | 24 25 |
| | | (c) | arres | sted under section 50 (1) (a) of the Bail Act 1978, or | 26 |
| | | (d) | | ehended under a warrant referred to in section 50 b) (i) of the <i>Bail Act 1978</i> . | 28 |
| [25] | Section 2 | 50 Tra | anspo | ort and detention of persons in custody | 29 |
| | Insert ", co | ourt" a | fter "c | correctional centre" in section 250 (2) (a). | 30 |
| [26] | Section 2 | 55 Eff | ect o | f extension of sentence | 3 |
| | Insert ", or | partly | conse | ecutively," after "consecutively" in section 255 (2). | 32 |

| [27] | Section 2 | 55 (2) (a) | 1 | | | |
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| | Insert "(or occurring. | before)" after "sentence" in section 255 (2) (a) where secondly | 2 | | | |
| [28] | Section 2 | 55 (2) (b) | 4 | | | |
| | | at after the end of any non-parole period)" after "sentence" ondly occurring. | 5 6 | | | |
| [29] | Schedule | 2 Serious Offenders Review Council | 7 | | | |
| | Omit clause 3 (1). Insert instead: | | | | | |
| | (1) | The Commissioner may establish a list of officers of the Department eligible to be nominated as the deputy of an official member (<i>eligible officers</i>). | 9 10 11 | | | |
| | (1A) | An official member may from time to time nominate an eligible officer to be the deputy of the official member. | 12 13 | | | |
| | (1B) | The nomination of a deputy of an official member under this clause may be revoked at any time by the Commissioner or the official member that nominated the deputy. | 14 15 16 | | | |
| | (1C) | The nomination of a deputy under this clause may be for a specified period or an indefinite period and, in respect of the period the nomination is in force, has effect according to its terms. | 17 18 19 20 | | | |
| | (1D) | The nomination of a deputy of an official member under this clause is revoked on revocation of the appointment of the official member under clause 7. | 21 22 23 | | | |
| [30] | Schedule | 5 Savings, transitional and other provisions | 24 | | | |
| | Insert at th | e end of clause 1 (1): | 25 | | | |
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| [31] | Schedule | e 5 | 1 |
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| | Insert at tl | he end of the Schedule with appropriate Part and clause numbers: | 2 |
| | Part | Provisions consequent on enactment of | 3 |
| | | Crimes (Administration of Sentences) | 4 |
| | | Amendment Act 2004 | 5 |
| | Definition | | |
| | | In this Part, the 2004 amending Act means the Crimes | 7 |
| | | (Administration of Sentences) Amendment Act 2004. | 8 |
| | Removal of distinction between major offence and minor | | |
| | offe | ence | 10 |
| | | Sections 51, 53 and 54, as in force before their amendment by | 11 |
| | | the 2004 amending Act, continue to apply to any correctional | 12 |
| | | centre offence committed before the commencement of those | 13 |
| | | amendments, and such offences are to be dealt with in | 14 15 |
| | | accordance with those sections as if they had not been so amended. | 16 |
| | Hearing of charges by Visiting Magistrate | | |
| | | Section 55, as in force before its amendment by the 2004 | 18 |
| | | amending Act, continues to apply to any proceedings on a | 19 |
| | | charge referred to a Visiting Magistrate that had been referred | 20 |
| | | but not concluded before the commencement of that | 21 |
| | | amendment, and such proceedings are to be determined in | 22 |
| | | accordance with that section as if it had not been so amended. | 23 |
| | Со | mpensation for property damage | 24 |
| | | Section 59, as in force before its amendment by the 2004 | 25 |
| | | amending Act, continues to apply to a correctional centre | 26 |
| | | offence committed before the commencement of that | 27 |
| | | amendment, and such an offence is to be dealt with in | 28 |
| | | accordance with that section as if it had not been so amended. | 29 |
| | Rev | vocation of periodic detention orders | 30 |
| | | Section 163 (2) and (2A), as substituted by the 2004 | 31 |
| | | amending Act, apply to a failure to report for a detention | 32 |

period that occurred before the commencement of the relevant

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provision (being one of a series of detention periods occurring during consecutive, or partly consecutive, sentences of imprisonment) only if it is one of a series of failures to report of which the most recent occurred after the relevant commencement.

Extension of sentences

- (1) Section 255, as in force before its amendment by the 2004 amending Act, continues to apply to a sentence whose term or non-parole period was extended under this Act before the commencement of that amendment.
- (2) Any such sentence and the date of commencement of any other sentence that is to be served consecutively with the extended sentence are to operate in accordance with section 255 as if it had not been so amended.

Exempt documents within the meaning of Freedom of Information Act 1989

A document that contains matter relating to functions in relation to which the office of Inspector-General of Corrective Services was, by virtue of section 9 of the *Freedom of Information Act 1989*, exempt from the operation of that Act immediately before 1 October 2003 is taken to be, and to always have been, an exempt document within the meaning of the *Freedom of Information Act 1989*.

| Scł | nedule 2 Further amendments to Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999 (Section 3) | 1 2 3 | |
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| [1] | Section 236F Testing of staff for alcohol and prohibited drugs | | |
| | Omit "to provide a sample of the staff member's urine or hair" from section 236F (1) (b). | 5 6 | |
| | Insert instead "to provide, or enable to be taken, a non-invasive sample from the staff member". | 7 8 | |
| [2] | Section 236F (3) (b) | 9 | |
| | Omit "to provide a sample of the member of staff's urine or hair". | 10 | |
| | Insert instead "to provide, or enable to be taken, a non-invasive sample from the staff member". | 11 12 | |
| [3] | Section 236G Testing where member of correctional staff attends hospital | 13 14 | |
| | Omit "provide a sample of the member of staff's blood, urine or hair" from section 236G (1). | 15 16 | |
| | Insert instead "provide, or enable to be taken, a sample of blood or a non-invasive sample from the staff member". | 17 18 | |
| [4] | Section 236G (4) | 19 | |
| | Omit "taking of a sample of blood, urine or hair". | 20 | |
| | Insert instead "taking, or provision, of a sample of blood or a non-invasive sample". | 21 22 | |
| [5] | Section 236H Protection from liability | | |
| | Omit "taking a sample of blood, urine or hair" from section 236H (1). | 24 | |
| | Insert instead "taking, or being provided with, a sample of blood or a non-invasive sample". | 25 26 | |
| [6] | Section 236H (1) (a) and (b) | 27 | |
| | Omit "take the sample of blood, urine or hair" wherever occurring. | 28 | |
| | Insert instead "take, or be provided with, the sample of blood or the non-invasive sample". | 29 30 | |

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Schedule 2 Further amendments to Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999

| [7] | Section 236l Regulations | 1 |
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| | Omit "samples of urine, hair or blood" from section 236I (c). | 2 |
| | Insert instead "samples of blood or non-invasive samples". | 3 |
| [8] | Section 236I (e) | 4 |
| | Omit "a sample of the staff member's urine or hair". | 5 |
| | Insert instead "a non-invasive sample from the staff member". | 6 |
| [9] | Section 236I (h) | 7 |
| | Omit "samples of urine, hair or blood". | 8 |
| | Insert instead "samples of blood or non-invasive samples" | g |

| Scł | nedule 3 Amendment of other Acts and instrument (Section 4) | 1 2 | |
|-----|--|-------------|--|
| 3.1 | Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Regulation 2001 | 3 | |
| [1] | Clause 113B | | |
| | Insert after clause 113A: | 5 | |
| 1 | 13B Inmate possession of a mobile phone | 6 | |
| | An inmate must not have in his or her possession a mobile phone or any part of it, a mobile phone SIM card or any part of it, or a mobile phone charger or any part of it. | 7 8 9 | |
| [2] | Clause 116 Definition of "correctional centre offence" | 10 | |
| | Omit "Part 1 or 2 of" from clause 116 (c). | 11 | |
| [3] | Clause 117 Definition of "major offence" | 12 | |
| | Omit the clause. | 13 | |
| [4] | Clause 118 Attempts | 14 | |
| | Omit "and (if appropriate) a major offence". | 15 | |
| [5] | Schedule 2 | | |
| | Omit the Schedule. Insert instead: | 17 | |
| | Schedule 2 Correctional centre offences (Clause 116) | 18 19 | |

| Provision | Subject |
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| Clause 5 | Supply false or misleading particulars |
| Clause 8 | Fail to surrender property on reception |
| Clause 38 | Fail to clean yards |
| Clause 39 | Fail to comply with correctional centre routine |
| Clause 40 | Enter other cells |

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| Provision | Subject |
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| Clause 41 | Fail to attend musters |
| Clause 42 | Operate bell, hooter, siren or whistle |
| Clause 43 | Avoid correctional centre routine |
| Clause 44 | Unlawfully deliver or receive article to or from inmate |
| Clause 45 | Possess or create prohibited goods |
| Clause 46 | Resist or impede search |
| Clause 47 | Fail to keep property in a tidy and orderly manner |
| Clause 52 | Unlawfully purchase food |
| Clause 52 | Possess unauthorised food |
| Clause 52 | Unlawfully trade in food |
| Clause 56 | Fail to maintain personal cleanliness |
| Clause 57 | Wear improper clothing |
| Clause 58 | Fail to keep clean cells and issued articles |
| Clause 58 | Damage, destroy or deface cell |
| Clause 58 | Fail to look after clothing, bedding and other issued articles |
| Clause 59 | Unlawfully possess condom or dental dam |
| Clause 59 | Unlawfully use condom or dental dam |
| Clause 59 | Unlawfully dispose of condom or dental dam |
| Clause 61 | Misbehave while attending services and programs |
| Clause 68 | Desecrate or abuse religious items |

| Provision | Subject |
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| Clause 97 | Convey or deliver to, or receive from, visitors unauthorised articles |
| Clause 107 | Send or receive unauthorised letters or parcels |
| Clause 108 | Send prohibited letters, parcels or articles |
| Clause 112 | Unlawfully use telephone or facsimile |
| Clause 113A | Possess camera or video or audio recording equipment |
| Clause 113B | Possess mobile phone, mobile phone SIM card or mobile phone charger |
| Clause 120 | Disobey direction |
| Clause 124 | Contravene condition of local or interstate leave permit |
| Clause 125 | Conceal for purpose of escape |
| Clause 126 | Conceal article for use in escape or other offence |
| Clause 126A | Possess offensive weapon or instrument |
| Clause 127 | Intimidation |
| Clause 128 | Indecency |
| Clause 129 | Participate, or inciting other inmates to participate, in riot |
| Clause 130 | Assaults |
| Clause 130 | Fight or engage in other physical combat |
| Clause 130 | Throw article |
| Clause 131 | Steal |
| Clause 131 | Damage or destroy property |
| Clause 131 | Tamper with food or drink |

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| Provision | Subject |
|------------|--|
| Clause 132 | Hinder or obstruct dog |
| Clause 133 | Cause harm to animal, bird or reptile |
| Clause 134 | Interfere with correctional centre property |
| Clause 135 | Tattoo |
| Clause 136 | Gamble |
| Clause 137 | Possess or consume alcohol |
| Clause 137 | Prepare or manufacture alcohol |
| Clause 138 | Possess drug |
| Clause 139 | Administer drug |
| Clause 140 | Possess drug implement |
| Clause 141 | Self-intoxication |
| Clause 142 | Fail prescribed urine test |
| Clause 143 | Smoke in non-smoking area |
| Clause 143 | Alter, damage or remove non-smoking sign or smoking sign |
| Clause 144 | Bribery |
| Clause 145 | Obstruct correctional officer |
| Clause 146 | Refuse breath testing |
| Clause 148 | Refuse or fail to supply urine sample |
| Clause 149 | Refuse or fail to supply urine sample |
| Clause 160 | Make mischievous complaint |
| Clause 172 | Give false or misleading information |

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| [6] | Dict | ionar | y | 1 |
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| | Omi | t the d | efinitions of <i>major offence</i> and <i>minor offence</i> . | 2 |
| 3.2 | Crir | ninal | Appeal Act 1912 No 16 | 3 |
| [1] | Sec | tion 2 | 5A Certain time to count as part of appellant's sentence | 4 |
| | Inse | rt after | section 25A (5): | 5 |
| | | (6) | In this section, <i>appeal</i> includes an application for special leave to appeal. | 6 7 |
| [2] | Sec | tion 2 | 8 A | 8 |
| | Inse | rt after | section 28: | 9 |
| | 28A | Ope | ration of sections 18 and 25A | 10 |
| | | (1) | This section applies if, under section 18 or 25A, any period does not count as part of any term of imprisonment under an appellant's sentence. | 11 12 13 |
| | | (2) | The court may make any order that it thinks fit to give effect to section 18 or 25A (including an order specifying the date of the commencement or re-commencement of the sentence). | 14 15 16 |
| | | (3) | If the court does not make such an order, the sentence commences or re-commences on the appropriate date required for the operation of section 18 or 25A. | 17 18 19 |
| | | (4) | This section extends to apply in respect of the following appeals: | 20 21 |
| | | | (a) an appeal made, but not determined, before the commencement of this section, | 22 23 |
| | | | (b) an appeal in respect of which notice of intention to appeal or to apply for leave to appeal or application for leave (or for special leave) to appeal was made before the commencement of this section. | 24 25 26 27 |
| 3.3 | Freedom of Information Act 1989 No 5 | | 28 | |
| | Sch | edule | 2 Exempt bodies and offices | 29 |
| | Omi Serv | | natter relating to the office of Inspector-General of Corrective | 30 31 |

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| 3.4 | Sun | nmary Offences Act 1988 No 25 | 1 |
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| | Sect | ion 27DA | 2 |
| | Inser | t after section 27D: | 3 |
| 2 | 7DA | Inmate possession of a mobile phone | 4 |
| | | An inmate must not, without reasonable excuse (proof of which lies on the inmate), have in his or her possession in a place of detention a mobile phone or any part of it, a mobile phone SIM card or any part of it, or a mobile phone charger or any part of it. | 5 6 7 8 9 |
| | | Maximum penalty: imprisonment for 2 years or 50 penalty | 10 11 |