

**WORKERS' COMPENSATION AND REHABILITATION (ACTS OF
TERRORISM) AMENDMENT BILL 2002**

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

Clause 1. Short title

Provides the short title.

Clause 2. Commencement

Provides that commencement will be on the day the Act receives Royal Assent.

Clause 3. The Act amended

This Act amends the *Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation (Acts of Terrorism) Act 2001*.

Clause 4. Section 3 amended

Amends the definition of “**final day**” in section 3 by:

- (a) replacing the reference to “an earlier” day (than 31 December 2003) being fixed under paragraph (b) with “another” (day). This will allow a final day to be prescribed under paragraph (b) which may be later than 31 December 2003, rather than earlier; and
- (b) deleting paragraph (b) and replacing it with a new paragraph (b), which provides that the final day may be prescribed by regulation.

Clause 5. Section 3A inserted

Inserts an enabling provision in new section 3A, which empowers the Governor to make regulations prescribing a day other than 31 December 2003 to be the “final day.”