### Western Australia

# Taxation Administration (Consequential Provisions) (Taxing) Bill 2001

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### **LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY**

## Taxation Administration (Consequential Provisions) (Taxing) Bill 2001

### A Bill for

An Act to amend the *Metropolitan Region Improvement Tax Act 1959* and the *Stamp Act 1921* as a consequence of the enactment of the *Taxation Administration Act 2001* and for related purposes.

The Parliament of Western Australia enacts as follows:

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## Part 1 — Preliminary

#### 1. Short title

This Act may be cited as the *Taxation Administration* (Consequential Provisions) (Taxing) Act 2001.

#### 5 **2.** Commencement

This Act comes into operation on the day on which the *Taxation Administration Act 2001* comes into operation.

#### 3. Relationship with other Acts

The *Taxation Administration Act 2001* is to be read with this Act as if they formed a single Act.

#### 4. Meaning of terms used in this Act

The Glossary at the end of the *Taxation Administration Act 2001* defines or affects the meaning of some of the words and expressions used in this Act and also affects the operation of other provisions.

## Part 2 — Metropolitan Region Improvement Tax Act 1959 amended

#### 5. The Act amended

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The amendments in this Part are to the *Metropolitan Region Improvement Tax Act 1959\**.

[\* Reprinted as at 29 April 1980. For subsequent amendments see 2000 Index to Legislation of Western Australia, Table 1, p. 279-80.]

#### 6. Section 7 amended

Section 7 is amended by inserting after "thereafter" —

up to and including the year of assessment ending on 30 June 2001

#### **7.** Section 8 inserted

After section 7 the following section is inserted —

#### 8. Rate of tax imposed after 30 June 2002

For the year of assessment commencing on 1 July 2002, and for each subsequent year of assessment, the rate of tax referred to in section 2 and imposed and payable as provided in that section is 0.15 cent for every dollar of the unimproved value of the land according to the valuation in force under the *Valuation of Land Act 1978* at midnight on 30 June in the previous financial year.

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## Part 3 — Stamp Act 1921 amended

#### 8. The Act amended

The amendments in this Part are to the *Stamp Act 1921\**. [\* *Reprinted as at 3 August 2001*.]

#### 5 **9. Section 112P amended**

After section 112P(2) the following subsection is inserted —

(3) A dutiable statement prepared under subsection (1) is taken to be an instrument evidencing the transaction or offer and is chargeable with duty —

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(a) at the rate of 1.8% of the amount that is or will be payable for the use of the goods; or

(b) where that amount is not capable of being determined, of an amount of —

(i) \$20; and

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(ii) on 31 August in each year further duty of an amount equal to 1.8% of the amount paid in respect of the use of the goods during the year ending on the preceding 30 June.

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#### **10.** Second Schedule amended

(1) Item 4A in the Second Schedule is deleted and the following item is inserted instead —

4A. CONVEYANCE OR TRANSFER OF UNLISTED WA **SECURITY** 

> Conveyance or transfer of an unlisted WA security ...... 0.60 for every

\$100 and every fractional part of \$100 of the amount or value of the consideration

The transferee, or in the case of an overseas transfer, the issuer (s. 104)

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(2) Item 6 in the Second Schedule is amended by deleting "\$20.00 or the same duty as for item 4 or 4A, as the case requires, if less than \$20.00" and inserting instead —

The lesser of —

- (a) \$20; and
- (b) the duty that would be payable under item 4 or 4A (as the case may be) if the conveyance or transfer was chargeable with duty under that item

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