

# Industrial Hemp Amendment Bill 2018

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## **Industrial Hemp Amendment Bill 2018**

**A Bill for**

**An Act to —**

- **amend the *Industrial Hemp Act 2004* to increase the permitted level of tetrahydrocannabinol in industrial hemp to no more than 1%; and**
- **consequentially amend the *Misuse of Drugs Act 1981*.**

The Parliament of Western Australia enacts as follows:

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**Part 1 — Preliminary**

**1. Short title**

This is the *Industrial Hemp Amendment Act 2018*.

**2. Commencement**

This Act comes into operation as follows —

- (a) Part 1 — on the day on which this Act receives the Royal Assent;
- (b) the rest of the Act — on a day fixed by proclamation, and different days may be fixed for different provisions.

1           **Part 2 — *Industrial Hemp Act 2004* amended**

2   **3.       Act amended**

3           This Part amends the *Industrial Hemp Act 2004*.

4   **4.       Section 3 amended**

5           In section 3(1) in the definition of *industrial hemp* delete  
6           “0.35%” and insert:

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8           1%

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1 **Part 3 — *Misuse of Drugs Act 1981* amended**

2 **5. Act amended**

3 This Part amends the *Misuse of Drugs Act 1981*.

4 **6. Section 3 amended**

5 In section 3(1) in the definition of *processed industrial hemp*  
6 paragraph (a) delete “0.35%” and insert:

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8 1%

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