

Western Australia

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

*(Introduced by Dr Gallop)*

# **Occupational Safety and Health Amendment Bill 1999**

**A Bill for**

**An Act to amend the *Occupational Safety and Health Act 1984*.**

The Parliament of Western Australia enacts as follows:

**1. Short title**

This Act may be cited as the *Occupational Safety and Health Amendment Act 1999*.

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**2. Commencement**

This Act commences on 1 July 2000.

**3. Principal Act**

In this Act the *Occupational Safety and Health Act 1984*\* is referred to as the principal Act.

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[\* *Reprinted as at 15 May 1996.*

*For subsequent amendments see 1998 Index to Legislation of Western Australia, Table 1, p. 176.]*

**4. Section 3 amended**

10 Subsection (1) of section 3 of the principal Act is amended by —

(a) inserting after paragraph (b) in the definition of “employee” the following —

“ (c) a police officer; ”;

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(b) inserting after paragraph (b) in the definition of “employer” the following —

“ (c) a person by whom a police officer is employed; ”;

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(c) inserting after the definition of “plant” the following —

“ **“police officer”** has the meaning given by section 5 of the *Interpretation Act 1984*; ”; and

(d) inserting after the definition of “transferred law” the following —

“ **“work”** in relation to a police officer means any period of time during which a police officer is performing a duty or function of his or her office;

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