

AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

Interpretation (Amendment) Act (No. 2) 1994

No. 80 of 1994

An Act to amend the Interpretation Act 1967

[Notified in ACT Gazette S253: 29 November 1994]

The Legislative Assembly for the Australian Capital Territory enacts as follows:

Short title

1. This Act may be cited as the *Interpretation (Amendment) Act (No. 2) 1994.*

Commencement

2. (1) Sections 1, 2 and 3 commence on the day on which this Act is notified in the *Gazette*.

(2) Section 4 commences on a day fixed by the Minister by notice in the *Gazette*.

(3) If section 4 has not commenced before the end of the period of 6 months commencing on the day on which this Act is notified in the *Gazette*, that section, by force of this subsection, commences on the first day after the end of that period.

Principal Act

3. In this Act, "Principal Act" means the *Interpretation Act 1967*.¹

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Insertion

4. After section 33 of the Principal Act the following section is inserted:

Penalty units

"33AA. Where the penalty for an offence is expressed in an Act as a number of penalty units, the reference to the number of penalty units shall be read as a reference to an amount of money equal to the amount obtained by multiplying \$100 by that number.".

NOTE

1. Reprinted as at 28 February 1991. See also Acts Nos. 9 and 23, 1992; Nos. 1, 41 and 43, 1993; and No. 59, 1994.

[Presentation speech made in Assembly on 16 December 1993]

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