



Australian Capital Territory

Safer Families Levy Act 2016

A2016-40

An Act to amend the *Rates Act 2004*

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

1 Name of Act

This Act is the *Safer Families Levy Act 2016*.

2 Commencement

This Act commences on the day after its notification day.

Note The naming and commencement provisions automatically commence on the notification day (see [Legislation Act](#), s 75 (1)).

3 Legislation amended

This Act amends the [Rates Act 2004](#).

4 Schedule 1, new section 1.3

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1.3 Safer families levy

- (1) Safer families levy is imposed for a parcel of rateable land that is residential or rural land.
- (2) In this section:

safer families levy means the safer families levy determined under the [Taxation Administration Act](#), section 139.

5 Schedule 1, new section 2.1B

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2.1B Application of further provisions—safer families levy

- (1) This section applies to the following provisions (the *applied provisions*):
 - (a) section 18 (How may rates be paid?);
 - (b) section 19 (Payment of rates by instalments);
 - (c) part 7 (Deferral and rebates) other than section 63 (Rebates of rates—eligible person since 30 June 1997) and section 64 (Rebate of rates—capped);

- (d) any other provision prescribed by regulation.
- (2) The applied provisions have effect as if—
 - (a) a reference to rates included a reference to the safer families levy imposed under section 1.3; and
 - (b) any other necessary changes were made; and
 - (c) any changes prescribed by regulation were made.
- (3) Sections 18 and 19, as applied by this section, are subject to part 5 (Unit subdivisions).

**6 Rebate of levy
Schedule 1, section 3.2 (5), definition of *levy***

substitute

levy, for a parcel for a year, means levy imposed under this schedule for the parcel for the year (other than the safer families levy imposed under section 1.3), and includes any levy deferred under a deferral determination.

Endnotes

1 Presentation speech

Presentation speech made in the Legislative Assembly on 7 June 2016.

2 Notification

Notified under the [Legislation Act](#) on 17 August 2016.

3 Republications of amended laws

For the latest republication of amended laws, see www.legislation.act.gov.au.

I certify that the above is a true copy of the Safer Families Levy Bill 2016, which was passed by the Legislative Assembly on 2 August 2016.

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

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