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**THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY FOR THE  
AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY**

**GOVERNMENT AMENDMENTS  
TO THE  
GUARDIANSHIP AND MANAGEMENT OF PROPERTY AMENDMENT BILL 2022**

**SUPPLEMENTARY EXPLANATORY STATEMENT**

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# **GUARDIANSHIP AND MANAGEMENT OF PROPERTY AMENDMENT BILL 2022**

The Bill **is not** a Significant Bill. Significant Bills are bills that have been assessed as likely to have significant engagement of human rights and require more detailed reasoning in relation to compatibility with the *Human Rights Act 2004*.

This supplementary explanatory statement relates to the Government amendments (**the amendments**) to the Guardianship and Management of Property Amendment Bill 2022 (**the Bill**). It has been prepared in order to assist the reader of the Bill and to help inform debate.

The statement is to be read in conjunction with the Bill and the explanatory statement prepared in support of the Bill. It is not, and is not meant to be, a comprehensive description of the Bill or the amendments.

## **OVERVIEW OF THE GOVERNMENT AMENDMENTS**

The Bill as currently drafted has a commencement date of 1 January 2023. The Bill was not debated in 2022, and so this date has been superseded.

The Bill was not intended to commence with retrospective application.

The amendments correct the Guardianship and Management of Property Amendment Bill 2022 so that the Bill commences on the day after its notification day.

## **CONSULTATION ON THE PROPOSED APPROACH**

Nil.

## **CONSISTENCY WITH HUMAN RIGHTS**

No human rights are engaged by these amendments.

## **CLAUSE NOTES**

### **Clause 1    Clause 2 Page 2, line 5**

This clause omits the previous commencement date of 1 January 2023, and substitutes it with a commencement date of ‘the day after its notification day’.