

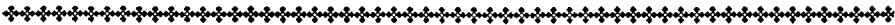


**LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS (SUBSIDY)  
AMENDMENT ACT 1981**

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**No. 9 of 1981**  
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**AN ACT to amend the Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Subsidy) Act 1980 for the purpose of extending the provisions of the Act to certain commercial and industrial users.**

**[Royal Assent 15 April 1981]**

**BE** it enacted by His Excellency the Governor of Tasmania, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, in Parliament assembled, as follows:—

**1**—This Act may be cited as the *Liquefied Petroleum Gas* Short title.  
*(Subsidy) Amendment Act 1981.*

Commence-  
ment.

**2**—(1) This section, sections 1, 3, and 5 shall commence on the date of assent to this Act.

(2) Section 4 shall be deemed to have commenced on 30th September 1980.

Principal Act.

**3**—In this Act, the *Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Subsidy) Act 1980\** is referred to as the Principal Act.

Amendment of  
section 3 of  
Principal Act  
(Interpre-  
tation).

**4**—(1) Section 3 (1) of the Principal Act is amended as follows:—

(a) by omitting “person; or” from paragraph (b) of the definition of “eligible use” and substituting “person;”;

(b) by omitting “individuals;” from paragraph (c) of the definition of “eligible use” and substituting “individuals; or”;

(c) by inserting the following paragraph after paragraph (c) of the definition of “eligible use”:—

(d) any other use of the gas outside a natural gas area, not being—

(i) use in a prescribed industry; or

(ii) use in the propulsion of a vehicle other than a works truck;

(d) by inserting the following definitions after the definition of “eligible use”:—

“industry” means a primary, secondary, or tertiary industry, and includes a field of governmental activity, of public or community services (including health and educational services), or of entertainment, sport, or recreation;

“natural gas area” means a part of Australia that is, by virtue of a declaration in force under section 3A (1) of the Commonwealth Act, a natural gas area for the purposes of that Act;

“prescribed industry” means an industry that is, by virtue of a declaration in force under section 3B (1) of the Commonwealth Act, a prescribed industry for the purposes of that Act;

(e) by omitting “Act.” from the definition of “scheme” and substituting “Act;”;

(f) by inserting the following definitions after the definition of “scheme”—

“use”, in relation to liquefied petroleum gas or eligible reticulation gas, does not include sale or exchange;

“works truck” means—

(a) a fork-lift truck; or

(b) any other vehicle designed for use at a factory, warehouse, dock, airport, or similar place in transporting goods over short distances or in otherwise handling goods.

(2) Section 3 of the Principal Act is further amended by inserting the following subsections after subsection (2):—

(2A) A reference in this Act to liquefied petroleum gas sold for eligible use shall be read as not including a reference to any liquefied petroleum gas that, by virtue of a determination under a provision of the scheme, is deemed to have been sold otherwise than for eligible use.

(2B) A reference in this Act to eligible reticulation gas sold for eligible use shall be read as not including a reference to any eligible reticulation gas that, by virtue of a determination under a provision of the scheme, is deemed to have been sold otherwise than for eligible use.

**5**—Section 13 (3) of the Principal Act is amended by inserting “and may inspect the records relating to the purchase or use of the gas” after “made”.

Amendment of section 13 of Principal Act (Stocktaking and inspection of accounts, &c.).

