



**NATIONAL PARKS AND WILDLIFE AMENDMENT  
ACT 1981**

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**No. 51 of 1981**

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**AN ACT to amend the National Parks and Wildlife Act 1970 with respect to the giving of evidence in proceedings under that Act.**

**[Royal Assent 21 October 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 *National Parks and Wildlife Amendment Act 1981*. Short title.

Commence-  
ment.

**2**—This Act shall commence on the seventh day after the date of assent to this Act.

Principal Act.

**3**—In this Act, the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1970\** is referred to as the Principal Act.

Insertion in  
Principal Act  
of new  
section 47A.

**4**—After section 47 of the Principal Act, the following section is inserted:—

Evidentiary  
provision.

47A—(1) In any proceedings for an offence under this Act, any place specified in the complaint as being within a conservation area, State reserve, game reserve, local reserve, or private reserve shall be deemed, in the absence of proof to the contrary, to be within that area or reserve.

(2) Where, in proceedings for an offence under this Act, a defendant produces proof to the satisfaction of the magistrate before whom the proceedings are heard that a place specified in the relevant complaint is not within a conservation area, State reserve, game reserve, local reserve, or private reserve, the defendant is entitled to the costs incurred by him in supplying that proof.

Expiry of  
Act.

**5**—This Act shall expire on 1st October 1983, and after that date the Principal Act shall have effect as if this Act had never been enacted.

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\* No. 47 of 1970. Amended by No. 77 of 1971, No. 85 of 1974, No. 114 of 1976, No. 62 of 1977, No. 37 of 1978, and Nos. 19 and 52 of 1980.

## EVIDENCE AMENDMENT ACT 1981

### No. 52 of 1981

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