

TASMANIAN STATE SERVICE AMENDMENT (EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY) ACT 1991

No. 19 of 1991

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An Act to amend the *Tasmanian State Service Act 1984*[Royal Assent 17 July 1991]

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:—

Short title

1—This Act may be cited as the Tasmanian State Service Amendment (Equal Employment Opportunity) Act 1991.

Commencement

2—This Act commences on the day on which it receives the Royal Assent.

Principal Act

3—In this Act, the Tasmanian State Service Act 1984* is referred to as the Principal Act.

Section 3 amended (Interpretation)

- 4—Section 3 of the Principal Act is amended as follows:—
 - (a) by inserting after the definition of "Employment Instructions" in subsection (1) the following definition: -
 - "equal employment opportunity program" means a program which enables employees of a class determined by the Commissioner under subsection (1A) to have equal opportunities in relation to their employment with other employees;
 - (b) by inserting after subsection (1) the following subsection:—
 - (1A) For the purposes of the definition of "equal employment opportunity program", the Commissioner may from time to time in Employment Instructions determine classes of employees.

Section 10 amended (Functions of Commissioner)

- 5-Section 10 (1) of the Principal Act is amended as follows:—
 - (a) by omitting "Service." from paragraph (f) substituting "Service;";
 - (b) by inserting after paragraph (f) the following paragraph:—
 - (g) to determine practices and procedures in relation to equal employment opportunity programs and to monitor and evaluate those programs.

^{*} No. 25 of 1984. For this Act, as amended to 30 November 1990, see the continuing Reprint of Statutes, subsequently amended by S.R. 1991, No. 109.

Section 33 amended (Functions and powers of Heads of Agencies)

- 6—Section 33 (1) of the Principal Act is amended by inserting after paragraph (e) the following paragraph:—
 - (ea) to develop and implement equal employment opportunity programs in accordance with practices and procedures determined by the Commissioner; and