

**VETERINARY MEDICINES AMENDMENT ACT 1987**

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**AN ACT to amend the Veterinary Medicines Act 1987 and to further consequentially amend the Poisons Act 1971.**

**[Royal Assent 22 December 1987]**

**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 *Veterinary Medicines Amendment Act 1987*. Short title.

**2**—This Act shall be deemed to have commenced on 1st July 1987. Commencement.

**3**—In this Act, the *Veterinary Medicines Act 1987\** is referred to as the Principal Act. Principal Act.

**4**—Section 3 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting “1989” from paragraph (a) of the definition of “registration period” and substituting “1990”. Amendment of section 3 of Principal Act (Interpretation).

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\* Act No. 40 of 1987.

Amendment of  
section 10 of  
Principal Act  
(Registration).

**5**—Section 10 of the Principal Act is amended as follows:—

(a) by omitting from paragraph (a) of subsection (5) “Board” (twice occurring) and substituting “Registrar”;

(b) by omitting from paragraph (b) of subsection (6) “a day that is not more than one year earlier” and substituting “a day that is more than 3 months, but not more than one year, earlier”.

Amendment of  
section 13 of  
Principal Act  
(Alteration of  
registration).

**6**—Section 13 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting from subsection (3) “Board” (twice occurring) and substituting “Registrar”.

Amendment of  
section 38 of  
Principal Act  
(Transitional).

**7**—Section 38 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting from subsection (5) “with effect from 1st July 1987 or the day on which it is so registered, whichever is the later day, until 31st December 1987,” and substituting “with effect from the day on which it is so registered until the next succeeding 31st December,”.

Amendments in  
relation to  
penalties.

**8**—The Principal Act is further amended as set out in Schedule 1.

Amendment of  
section 5 of  
*Poisons Act*  
1971.

**9**—Section 5 of the *Poisons Act 1971* is amended by omitting paragraph (b) and substituting the following paragraphs:—

(b) the *Fertilizers Act 1950*;

(ba) the *Veterinary Medicines Act 1987*;

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## SCHEDULE 1

## Section 8

## AMENDMENTS IN RELATION TO PENALTIES

Provision amended	Omit—	Substitute—
Section 18 (1) .	penalty not exceeding \$5 000	fine not exceeding 50 penalty units
Section 20 (4)..	penalty not exceeding \$500	fine not exceeding 5 penalty units
Section 21 (1)..	penalty not exceeding \$500	fine not exceeding 5 penalty units
Section 22.....	penalty not exceeding \$1 000	fine not exceeding 10 penalty units
Section 23.....	penalty not exceeding \$1 000	fine not exceeding 10 penalty units
Section 24 (1)..	penalty not exceeding \$5 000	fine not exceeding 50 penalty units
Section 25 (1)..	penalty not exceeding \$5 000	fine not exceeding 50 penalty units
Section 25 (2)..	penalty not exceeding \$5 000	fine not exceeding 50 penalty units
Section 26.....	penalty not exceeding \$5 000	fine not exceeding 50 penalty units
Section 28 (5)..	penalty not exceeding \$5 000	fine not exceeding 50 penalty units
Section 30.....	penalty not exceeding \$5 000	fine not exceeding 50 penalty units
Section 36 (5)..	penalty not exceeding \$1 000	fine not exceeding 10 penalty units
	penalty not exceeding \$10	fine not exceeding 0.1 penalty unit

