

FACT SHEET

Criminal Code Amendment (Sexual Assault) Bill 2017

The *Criminal Code Amendment (Sexual Assault) Bill 2017* makes amendments to the *Criminal Code Act 1924*.

The Bill amends the *Criminal Code Act 1924* by:

- amending the definition of 'sexual intercourse';
- removing the crime of aggravated sexual assault (section 127A); and
- amending the crime of bestiality (section 122).

The Bill also makes a number of consequential amendments to the *Criminal Code Act 1924* resulting from the introduction of a new definition of 'sexual intercourse' and the removal of the crime of aggravated sexual assault.