

TASMANIA

WHALES PROTECTION AMENDMENT BILL 2012

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(Brought in by the Minister for Environment, Parks and Heritage, the Honourable Brian Neal Wightman)

A BILL FOR

An Act to amend the *Whales Protection Act 1988*

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. Short title

This Act may be cited as the *Whales Protection Amendment Act 2012*.

2. Commencement

This Act commences on the day on which this Act receives the Royal Assent.

3. Principal Act

In this Act, the *Whales Protection Act 1988** is referred to as the Principal Act.

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4. Section 3 amended (Interpretation)

The definition of *interfere* in section 3 of the Principal Act is amended as follows:

- (a) by omitting from paragraph (b) “mark;” and substituting “mark; and”;
- (b) by inserting the following paragraph after paragraph (b):
 - (c) such other conduct as is prescribed by the regulations made under this Act;

5. Repeal of Act

This Act is repealed on the ninetieth day from the day on which it commences.