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# **AGRICULTURAL AND VETERINARY CHEMICALS (CONTROL OF USE) AMENDMENT (BAN 1080) BILL 2010**

*(Brought in by Kim Dion Booth)*

## **A BILL FOR**

**An Act to amend the *Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals (Control of Use) Act 1995* by making it unlawful to poison or attempt to poison any native fauna using sodium fluoroacetate, also known as compound 1080.**

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 *Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals (Control of Use) Amendment (Ban 1080) Act 2010*.

## **Commencement**

2. This Act commences on a day to be proclaimed.

## **Principal Act**

3. In this Act, the *Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals (Control of Use) Act 1995* is referred to as the Principal Act.\*

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\* No. 106 of 1995

## **Section 18 amended (Offences involving use, &c., of chemical products)**

4. Section 18 of the Principle Act is amended by inserting after subsection (3) the following subsection:

**(4A)** Notwithstanding any other provision in this Act, a person, including an employee of the federal, state or municipal government, must not use, deal with, or have in a person's possession or custody a chemical product from the monofluoroacetate group.

**(4B)** Subsection (4A) excludes persons directly employed with the Fox Task Force, up until the period ending 1 October 2012.

Penalty: Fine not exceeding 200 penalty units.