

TASMANIA

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT AMENDMENT
(MAYORAL CANDIDATE ELIGIBILITY) BILL
2014**

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This Public Bill originated in the House of Assembly, and, having this day passed, is now ready for presentation to the Legislative Council for its concurrence.

P. R. ALCOCK, *Clerk of the House*
21 August 2014

*(Brought in by the Minister for Planning and Local
Government, the Honourable Peter Carl Gutwein)*

A BILL FOR

An Act to amend the *Local Government Act 1993*

Be it enacted by His Excellency the Lieutenant-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 *Local Government Amendment (Mayoral Candidate Eligibility) Act 2014*.

2. Commencement

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

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3. Principal Act

In this Act, the *Local Government Act 1993** is referred to as the Principal Act.

4. Section 41 amended (Eligibility for nomination as mayor or deputy mayor)

Section 41 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting subsection (1) and substituting the following subsection:

- (1) A person is eligible to nominate as a candidate for the office of mayor or deputy mayor if the person is eligible to nominate as a candidate for the office of councillor under Part 15.

5. Section 274 amended (Election without poll)

Section 274(3) of the Principal Act is amended as follows:

- (a) by omitting from paragraph (b) “day; and” and substituting “day.”;
- (b) by omitting paragraph (c).

6. Repeal of Act

This Act is repealed on the three hundred and sixty fifth day from the day on which it commences.

*No. 95 of 1993