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(Brought in by the Minister for Finance, the Honourable James Glennister Cox)

A BILL FOR

An Act to amend the Gaming Control Act 1993

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 *Gaming Control Amendment Act 2004*.

Commencement

2. This Act commences on 1 July 2004.

Principal Act

3. In this Act, the *Gaming Control Act 1993* * is referred to as the Principal Act.

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^{*}No. 94 of 1993

2004

Section 112M repealed

4. Section 112M of the Principal Act is repealed.

Section 124 amended (Membership of Commission)

- **5.** Section 124 of the Principal Act is amended as follows:
 - (a) by omitting subsection (1) and substituting the following subsections:
 - The Commission consists of 3 persons, not more than one of whom is a State Service officer or State Service employee.
 - (1A) The members of the Commission appointed by the Governor on the recommendation of the Minister.
 - (b) by omitting subsection (4) and substituting the following subsection:
 - (4) A member of the Commission who is not a State Service officer or State Service employee is appointed by the Governor as chairperson of the Commission.

Section 127 amended (Power of Minister to give directions to Commission)

- Section 127 of the Principal Act is amended by inserting after subsection (5) the following subsections:
 - **(6)** The Minister is to cause notice of each direction given to the Commission under subsection (1) and each revocation of any such direction to be published in the *Gazette*.

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(7) A notice under subsection (6) is not a statutory rule within the meaning of the *Rules Publication Act 1953*.

Section 140 amended (Accounting records)

- **7.** Section 140 of the Principal Act is amended as follows:
 - (a) by omitting from subsection (3) "gaming operator, licensed provider and prescribed minor gaming operator" and substituting "gaming operator and licensed provider";
 - (b) by omitting subsection (5).

Section 143A amended (Monthly returns by lucky envelope suppliers)

8. Section 143A(2) of the Principal Act is amended by omitting 'endorsed with the words "Tas. Tax Paid".

Sections 150AC, 150AD and 150AE repealed

9. Sections 150AC, 150AD and 150AE of the Principal Act are repealed.