

TASMANIA

**POLICE OFFENCES AMENDMENT (BEGGING REPEAL) BILL
2023**

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**POLICE OFFENCES AMENDMENT (BEGGING REPEAL)
BILL 2023**

(Brought in by Dr Rosalie Ellen Woodruff MP)

A BILL FOR

An Act to amend the Police Offences Act 1935 to repeal the offence of begging

Be it enacted by Her 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 *Police Offences Amendment (Begging Repeal) Act 2023*.

2. Commencement

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

3. Principal Act

In this Act, the *Police Offences Act 1935** is referred to as the Principal Act.

4. Section 8 amended (Obscene and wilful exposure, &c.)

Section 8 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting subsections (1) and (1AA).

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5. Repeal of Act

This Act is repealed on the three hundred and sixty fifth day from the day on which all of the provisions of this Act commence.