**States Grants (Housing) Act 1973**

**No. 44 of 1973**

**AN ACT**

To amend the *States Grants* (*Housing*) *Act* 1971.

[*Assented to 7 June 1973*]

BE IT ENACTED by the Queen, the Senate and the House of Representatives of Australia, as follows:—

**Short title and citation.**

**1.** (1) This Act may be cited as the *States Grants* (*Housing*) *Act* 1973.

(2) The *States Grants* (*Housing*) *Act* 1971 is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.

(3) The Principal Act, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the *States Grants* (*Housing*) *Act* 1971–1973.

**Commencement.**

**2.** This Act shall come into operation on the day on which it receives the Royal Assent.

**Interpretation.**

**3.** Section 3 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting from sub-section (1) the definition of “prescribed year” and substituting the following definitions:—

“‘prescribed year’ means the year that commenced on 1st July, 1971, or the next succeeding year;

“‘relevant year’ means the year that commenced on 1st July, 1971, or any of the next four succeeding years;”.

**Additional grants for purposes of rental assistance.**

**4.** Section 10 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting from sub-section (1) the word “prescribed” and substituting the word “relevant”.

**Stats to furnish certain information for purposes of grant under section 10.**

**5.** Section 12 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting the word “prescribed” and substituting the word “relevant”.