



# Apple and Pear Export Charge Amendment Act 1981

No. 147 of 1981

---

## **An Act to amend the *Apple and Pear Export Charge Act 1976***

[Assented to 21 October 1981]

[Date of commencement 18 November 1981]

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

### **Short title, &c.**

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the *Apple and Pear Export Charge Amendment Act 1981*.

(2) The *Apple and Pear Export Charge Act 1976*<sup>1</sup> is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.

### **Interpretation**

2. (1) Section 5 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting sub-section (2) and substituting the following sub-section:

“(2) In the application of this Act to fruit that is not packed in boxes, the reference in sub-section 7 (2) to a box of fruit shall be read as a reference to 18 kilograms of fruit or, if the fruit is of a variety in respect of which another weight is specified in the regulations for the purposes of this sub-section, that other weight of fruit.”.

*Apple and Pear Export Charge Amendment No. 147, 1981*

(2) The amendment made by sub-section (1) does not apply in relation to fruit exported in a month commencing before 1 January 1982.

**Rate of charge**

3. Section 7 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting from sub-section (2) "6 cents" and substituting "12 cents".

**Regulations**

4. Section 9 of the Principal Act is amended by inserting "or permitted by this Act to be prescribed" after "required".

---

**NOTE**

1. No. 197, 1976.