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**Governor-General Amendment Act 1988**

**No. 83 of 1988**

**An Act to amend the *Governor-General Act 1974* with respect to the salary of the Governor-General**

[*Assented to 19 October 1988*]

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

**Short title**

**1.** This Act may be cited as the *Governor-General Amendment Act 1988.*

**Commencement**

**2.** This Act commences on the day on which it receives the Royal Assent, but the amendment made by section 3 does not have effect during the continuance in office of the person holding office as Governor-General immediately before that commencement.

**3.** Section 3 of the *Governor-General Act 1974*1is repealed and the following section is substituted:

**Salary of Governor-General**

“3. The annual sum payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for the salary of the Governor-General shall be $95,000.”.

**NOTE**

1. No. 16, 1974, as amended. For previous amendments, see No. 37, 1976; No. 118, 1977; No. 44, 1982; No. 39, 1983; and No. 63, 1984.

[*Minister’s second reading speech made in—*

*House of Representatives on 23 August 1988*

*Senate on 1 September 1988*]