



# Aboriginal Education (Supplementary Assistance) Amendment Act 1991

No. 146 of 1991

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## **An Act to amend the *Aboriginal Education (Supplementary Assistance) Act 1989***

[Assented to 21 October 1991]

The Parliament of Australia enacts:

### **Short title etc.**

1.(1) This Act may be cited as the *Aboriginal Education (Supplementary Assistance) Amendment Act 1991*.

(2) In this Act, “Principal Act” means the *Aboriginal Education (Supplementary Assistance) Act 1989*<sup>1</sup>.

### **Commencement**

2. This Act commences on the day on which it receives the Royal Assent.

### **Appropriation for 1990-1992**

3. Section 12 of the Principal Act is amended:

(a) by omitting paragraphs (1)(b) and (c) and substituting the following paragraphs:

“(b) appropriated during the year 1991 in the amount of \$75,929,500; and

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- (c) appropriated during the year 1992 in the sum of:
- (i) \$65,288,900; and
  - (ii) the 1991 deflator percentage of \$65,288,900.”;
- (b) by omitting subsection (2) and substituting the following subsections:
- “(2) If, but for this subsection, the amount to be appropriated during the year 1992 would be an amount consisting of a number of whole dollars and a number of cents, the number of cents is to be disregarded.
- “(3) In subsection (1):  
‘**1991 deflator percentage**’ has the meaning given by section 13.”.

**1991 deflator percentage**

4. Section 13 of the Principal Act is amended:

- (a) by omitting from subsection (1) the definition of “publish” and substituting the following definition:
- “‘**relevant publication**’, in relation to a year, means the Australian National Accounts published by the Australian Statistician in respect of the June quarter in that year.”;
- (b) by omitting subsections (2), (3) and (4) and substituting the following subsections:
- “(2) Subject to subsection (3), the 1991 deflator percentage is:
- (a) the percentage (calculated to one decimal place) obtained by using the formula:

$$\frac{\text{Current deflator} - \text{Previous deflator}}{\text{Previous deflator}} \times 100$$

where:

‘**Current deflator**’ means the amount specified in the relevant publication for the year 1991 as being the deflator in respect of the financial year 1990-91;

‘**Previous deflator**’ means the amount specified in the relevant publication for the year 1990 as being the deflator in respect of the financial year 1989-90; or

- (b) if the previous deflator is higher than the current deflator—nil.

“(3) Where the percentage obtained by using the formula in paragraph (2)(a) would, if it were calculated to 2 decimal places, end with a number greater than 4, the 1991 deflator percentage is the percentage so obtained increased by 0.1.”;

- (c) by omitting subsection (6).

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**NOTE**

1. No. 1, 1990.

[*Minister's second reading speech made in—  
House of Representatives on 3 September 1991  
Senate on 12 October 1991*]