

# **Australian Capital Territory** (Self-Government) Amendment Act 2013

No. 28, 2013

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[Assented to 30 March 2013]

### The Parliament of Australia enacts:

#### 1 Short title

This Act may be cited as the *Australian Capital Territory* (*Self-Government*) *Amendment Act 2013*.

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#### 2 Commencement

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

## 3 Schedule(s)

Each Act that is specified in a Schedule to this Act is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this Act has effect according to its terms.

## **Schedule 1—Amendments**

# Australian Capital Territory (Self-Government) Act 1988

#### 1 Subsections 8(2) and (3)

Repeal the subsections, substitute:

- (2) The Assembly is to consist of:
  - (a) such number of members as is provided by enactment (subject to subsection (3)); or
  - (b) until provision is made—17 members.
- (3) An enactment providing for the number of members of the Assembly (or an enactment amending or repealing such an enactment) has no effect unless it is passed by a number of members at least equal to two-thirds of the number of members provided for, at that time, by or in accordance with subsection (2).
- (4) Subsection (3) has effect despite anything else in this Act.

[Minister's second reading speech made in— House of Representatives on 13 February 2013 Senate on 13 March 2013]

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