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AN ACT to amend the Employment Incentive Assistance Act 1984.

[Royal Assent 18 August 1987]

BE it enacted by His Excellency the Governor of Tasmania, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, in Parliament assembled, as follows:—

1—This Act may be cited as the *Employment Incentive Assistance Amendment Act 1987*. Short title.

2—This Act shall commence on the day on which it receives the Royal assent. Commencement.

3—In this Act, the *Employment Incentive Assistance Act 1984** is referred to as the Principal Act. Principal Act.

* No. 106 of 1984. Amended by No. 72 of, 1986.

Amendment of
section 3 of
Principal Act
(Interpretation).

4—Section 3 of the Principal Act is amended as follows:—

(a) by inserting the following definition after the definition of “Authority” in subsection (1):—

“Director” means the Director of Employment and Training;

(b) by inserting in paragraph (c) of the definition of “eligible school leaver” in subsection (1) “as unemployed and available” after “registered”;

(c) by omitting from paragraph (d) (iii) of that definition “Programme; or” and substituting “Programme;”;

(d) by inserting after paragraph (d) (iv) of that definition the following subparagraph:—

(v) a Tasmanian employment or training scheme or programme approved by the Minister by notice in writing pursuant to subsection (2) (c); or

(e) by inserting in paragraph (a) of the definition of “unemployed person” in subsection (1) “as unemployed and available” after “registered”;

(f) by omitting from paragraph (b) (iii) of that definition “Programme; or” and substituting “Programme;”;

(g) by inserting after paragraph (b) (iv) of that definition the following subparagraph:—

(v) a Tasmanian employment or training scheme or programme approved by the Minister by notice in writing pursuant to subsection (2) (c); or

(h) by inserting in subsection (2) (a) “(d) (ii) of the definition of ‘eligible school leaver’ and paragraph” after “paragraph”;

(i) by omitting from subsection (2) (a) “subsection (1); and” and substituting “subsection (1);”;

(j) by omitting paragraph (b) of subsection (2) and substituting the following paragraphs:—

(b) approve a Commonwealth employment scheme or programme for the purposes of those definitions, being a scheme or programme that is similar to a scheme or programme specified in paragraph (d) (i) or (ii) of the definition of “eligible school leaver” and paragraph (b) (i) or (ii) of the definition of “unemployed person” in subsection (1); and

(c) approve a Tasmanian employment training scheme or programme for the purposes of those definitions.

5—Section 4 of the Principal Act is amended as follows:—

(a) by omitting from subsection (1) “, with the approval of the Treasurer,”; Amendment of section 4 of Principal Act (Power of Minister to make grants).

(b) by omitting from subsection (1) (a) (iii) “traineeship;” and substituting “declared vocation, within the meaning of the *Industrial and Commercial Training Act* 1985 or a scheme of training or scheme of pre-vocational training as mentioned in that Act; and”;

(c) by omitting from subsection (1A) “, with the approval of the Treasurer,”;

(d) by inserting after subsection (2A) the following subsection:—

(2B) Notwithstanding subsection (2) (c), the Minister may, with the approval of the Treasurer, make a grant to an employer to whom subsection (1) or (1A) applies who has been receiving major assistance, whether financial or otherwise, under any other Act.

6—Section 8 of the Principal Act is amended as follows:—

(a) by omitting from subsection (1) “Under Treasurer” and substituting “Director”; Amendment of section 8 of Principal Act (Power to obtain information, access to books, &c.).

(b) by omitting from subsection (1) (b) “an officer of the Treasury appointed by the Under Treasurer” and substituting “a person employed in the State Service authorized by the Director”;

(c) by omitting from subsection (1) (b) “Under Treasurer” and substituting “Director”;

- (d) by omitting from subsection (2) “Under Treasurer” and substituting “Director”;
- (e) by omitting from subsection (3) “an officer of the Treasury authorized by the Under Treasurer” and substituting “a person employed in the State Service authorized by the Director”;
- (f) by omitting from subsection (4) (a) “Under Treasurer” and substituting “Director”;
- (g) by omitting from subsection (4) (b) “Under Treasurer”, first occurring, and substituting “Director”;
- (h) by omitting from subsection (4) (b) “an officer of the Treasury authorized by the Under Treasurer” and substituting “a person employed in the State Service authorized by the Director”;
- (i) by omitting from subsection (4) (c) “an officer of the Treasury authorized by the Under Treasurer” and substituting “a person employed in the State Service authorized by the Director”;
- (j) by omitting from subsection (4) (c) “an officer”, second occurring, and substituting “a person”.