Australian Grand Prix (Amendment) Bill

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A BILL

to amend the Australian Grand Prix Act 1994 and for other purposes.

Australian Grand Prix (Amendment) Act 1995

The Parliament of Victoria enacts as follows:

1. Purpose

The main purpose of this Act is to make further provision in relation to the declared area under the Australian Grand Prix Act 1994.

2. Commencement

(1) Subject to sub-section (2), this Act comes into operation on the day on which it receives the Royal Assent.

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Section headings appear in bold italics and are not part of the Act. (See Interpretation of Legislation Act 1984.)

(2) Section 4 is deemed to have come into operation on 25 October 1994.

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3. Principal Act

In this Act, the Australian Grand Prix Act 1994 is called the Principal Act.

4. Declared area

- (1) In section 3 of the Principal Act—
 - (a) before "In this Act" insert "(1)";
 - (b) omit the definition of "declared area".
- (2) At the end of section 3 of the Principal Act insert— 10
 - "(2) In this Act, "declared area", in respect of a year, means—
 - (a) in relation to the period beginning on 3 November 1994 and ending on the date of publication in the Government Gazette of the first notice under section 27 (a) so published after 25 May 1995, Albert Park; and
 - (b) in relation to a year in respect of which an area is declared by notice under section 27 20 (a) after 25 May 1995 to be a declared area, the area specified in the declaration as in force for the time being.".

5. Fencing of land

After section 32 (3) of the Principal Act insert—
"(4) The committee of management may fence or cordon off any part of Albert Park for such period (not including any part of the race period for a year)as is necessary for or incidental to the carrying out of works (within the meaning of section 28 (5)) by the committee or its agents or as is necessary for or incidental to the carrying out by another person of works (within the meaning of section 28 (5)) which the committee

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has authorised or permits or suffers to be carried out.

- (5) Without in any way affecting the operation of the **Crown Land (Reserves) Act 1978** in relation to Albert Park, any part of Albert Park that is fenced or cordoned off by the committee of management is, while so fenced or cordoned off, deemed to be in the lawful occupation of the committee but not so as to entitle the committee to enter any building that, but for this sub-section, is not in its occupation.".
- (2) In section 33 (2) of the Principal Act—
 - (a) after "The Corporation" **insert** "or the committee of management"; and
 - (b) after "the Corporation's" **insert** "or the committee's".

6. Amendment of section 51

After section 51 (7) of the Principal Act insert-

"(8) A reference in section 458 of the **Crimes Act 1958** to an offence includes a reference to an offence against a regulation made under this Act.".

7. Validation

Subject to section 8, anything done or purported to have been done before the commencement of this section in accordance with, or under the authority of, or by reference to, the Principal Act is deemed to have been done in accordance with, or under the authority of, or by reference to, the Principal Act as if the Principal Act had been enacted as amended by section 4.

8. Proceedings

Proceedings may not be brought or continued in respect of an offence committed or alleged to have

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been committed before 25 May 1995 in the declared area within the meaning of the Principal Act as amended by this Act, being an offence against section 9 (1) (d) of the **Summary Offences Act 1966** or against the Australian Grand Prix (Works) Regulations 1994 or the Australian Grand Prix (Works) Regulations 1995.

9. Regulations

The notice of the making of the Australian Grand Prix (Works) Regulations 1995 published in the Government Gazette on 11 May 1995 is deemed, for the purposes of section 17 (2) of the **Subordinate Legislation Act 1994**, to be a notice published in the next general edition of the Government Gazette published after the making of those Regulations.

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