

# LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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Read 1° 24 September 1985

*(Brought in by the Honourable D. R. White)*

## A BILL

To amend the *Dental Technicians Act 1972* and for other purposes.

### **Dental Technicians (Licences) Act 1985**

The Parliament of Victoria enacts as follows:

#### **Purpose.**

1. The purpose of this Act is to amend the *Dental Technicians Act 1972*—

- 5           (a) to remove the limits upon the fixing of fees for licences under that Act, and
- (b) to remove the reference to the attainment of a specified age from the qualifications for the issue of an advanced dental technician's licence; and
- 10           (c) to increase the penalties for offences under that Act.

#### **Commencement.**

2. This Act comes into operation on the 28th day after the day on which it receives the Royal Assent.

**Principal Act.**

No. 8366.  
Amended by  
Nos. 8808, 9000,  
9233, 9479,  
9678, 9699, 9784  
and 9863.

3. In this Act the *Dental Technicians Act 1972* is called the Principal Act.

**Removal of provisions relating to maximum licence fees.**

4. In sections 11 (1), 11 (2), 26 (1) and 26 (2) of the Principal Act the expression "which shall not exceed \$15" (wherever occurring) is repealed.

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**Removal of reference to age in qualifications for advanced dental technician's licence.**

5. Section 21 (a) of the Principal Act is repealed.

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**Increase in penalties.**

6. The Principal Act is amended as follows:

- (a) In sections 15 (d) and 32 (d) for the expression "in the case of a first offence \$500 and in the case of a subsequent offence \$1000" (wherever occurring) there is substituted the expression "20 penalty units"; and
- (b) In section 34 (1) for the expression "\$2000" there is substituted the expression "40 penalty units".

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