

# **Beer Prices Regulation (Temporary Provisions) Bill 1983**

## **NOTES ON CLAUSES**

*Clause 1* contains the short title and commencement provisions.

*Clause 2* provides that the "Commissioner" shall be the Prices Commissioner appointed under the *Fuel Prices Regulation Act 1981*.

*Clause 3* provides that the Commissioner may by order published in the *Government Gazette* fix the maximum brewery price for beer.

*Clause 4* makes it an offence for any person to sell beer at a price greater than the maximum price.

*Clause 5* provides for the reading together of the Bill and the *Fuel Prices Regulation Act 1981*.

*Clause 6* provides that the Act will cease to apply on 30 June 1984 or on such earlier date as is specified in a resolution passed by each House of Parliament and makes section 7 (2) of the *Acts Interpretation Act 1958* applicable on the expiry of the Bill.

