

# Education (Amendment) Bill

## EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

### PART 1

*Clause 1* cites the purpose of this Act.

*Clause 2* contains commencement provisions.

### PART 2

*Clause 3* refers to the *Education Act 1958* as being the Principal Act in Part 2 of this Act.

*Clause 4* amends section 15C of the Principal Act in relation to the calling of public tenders for works by school councils.

*Clause 5* amends sections 15AA of the Principal Act consequential on the passage of the *Youth Affairs Act 1986*.

*Clause 6* substitutes 341A of the Principal act and redefines prescribed subjects for the purposes of section 35 of the Principal Act.

*Clause 7* amends Part IIIA of the Principal Act by substituting one Teacher Registration Board for the existing Primary, Secondary and Technical Registration Boards and the Teacher Registration Council and provides for appeals on matters of registration to be heard by the Teaching Service Appeals Boards. Sections 52H, 52I, 52J, 52K and 52L of the Principal Act are repealed.

*Clause 8* makes consequential amendments to sections 520 and 82 of the Principal Act and repeals section 52P of the Principal Act.

### PART 3

*Clause 9* repeals the *State Schools (Bush Fire Relief) Act 1943*, provides for the transfer of money standing to the credit of the fund referred to in the Act to be paid into the Victorian Natural Disaster Relief Account and discharges trustees of the fund from all obligations, duties and liabilities as trustees of the fund.

### PART 4

*Clause 10* refers to the *Post-Secondary Education Act, 1978* as being the Principal Act in Part 4 of this Act.

*Clause 11* provides a definition of a teaching position.

*Clause 12* amends section 63 of the Principal Act to clarify membership of the technical and further education teaching service.

*Clause 13* amends section 93 of the Principal Act making it applicable to all officers of the technical and further education teaching service.

*Clause 14* validates the creation of offices of principal, vice principal and head of division in the technical and further education teaching service.

*Clause 15* validates notice given by a principal, vice-principal or head of division under section 66 (3) of the Principal Act.