

Port of Melbourne Authority (Amendment) Bill

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

Purposes

Clause 1 provides that the purposes of the Act are—

- (a) to provide that land sold by the Port of Melbourne Authority is no longer subject to trusts under section 45 of the Principal Act, and that the land forms part of the municipal district in which it is situated; and
- (b) to make miscellaneous minor amendments to the Principal Act.

Commencement

Clause 2 provides that the Act comes into operation on proclamation.

Principal Act

Clause 3 provides that the *Port of Melbourne Authority Act 1958* is the Principal Act.

Effect of sale of land

Clause 4 provides that on the sale of land under section 50—

- (a) any trust applying to the land by virtue of section 45 is discharged; and
- (b) the land forms part of the municipal district in which it is situated.

Miscellaneous amendments to Principal Act

Clause 5 makes a number of miscellaneous amendments to the Principal Act consequential on previous amendments to the Principal Act and to other legislation.

