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Honey (Export Inspection Charge) Bill 1982

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

(Circulated by authority of the Minister for Primary  
Industry, the Hon. Peter Nixon, MP)

OUTLINE

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This Bill provides for a charge to apply to honey inspected under the provisions of the Exports (Honey) Regulations.

Provision is made for the imposition of charges and for rates of charge to be prescribed subject to a maximum of \$14.00 per tonne. Different rates of charge may be prescribed for different classes of honey. The Bill includes provision for exemptions from the charge to be made in regulations. The Bill also specifies by whom the charge is payable.

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Clause

Explanation

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| 1    | Citation                                                                                         |
| 2    | Date of commencement of 1 July 1982.                                                             |
| 3    | Act to be incorporated with associated Collection Act.                                           |
| 4    | Provides a definition for "charge".                                                              |
| 5(1) | Imposes a charge on honey inspected for export.                                                  |
| (2)  | Provides for prescription of exemptions from the charge.                                         |
| 6(1) | Provides for the rates of charge to be prescribed.                                               |
| (2)  | Provides for prescription of different rates for different classes of honey.                     |
| (3)  | Provides for the maximum rate of charge which can apply to honey.                                |
| 7    | Makes the charge payable by the person who furnishes the export notice.                          |
| 8    | Provides for regulations relating to the charge, exemptions from the charge and rates of charge. |

