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Act No 5, 2019

An Act to amend the *Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999* in relation to behaviour management policies and withdrawable privileges provided to inmates. [Assented to 25 June 2019]

The Legislature of New South Wales enacts:

1 Name of Act

This Act is the *Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Amendment (Inmate Behaviour) Act 2019*.

2 Commencement

This Act commences on the date of assent to this Act.

Schedule 1 Amendment of Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Act 1999 No 93

Section 65A

Insert after section 65:

65A Behaviour management policies

- (1) The Commissioner may adopt policies to manage the behaviour of inmates of correctional centres (*behaviour management policies*).
- (2) A behaviour management policy may:
 - (a) include any matter relating to the management of the behaviour of inmates in accordance with this Act and the regulations, and
 - (b) specify circumstances in which the withdrawable privileges provided to an inmate may be modified either by increasing or depriving the inmate of privileges.
- (3) Despite any other provision of this Division, modifying the withdrawable privileges provided to an inmate in accordance with a behaviour management policy:
 - (a) is authorised even if the circumstances causing the modification relate to an act or omission that is a correctional centre offence or criminal offence, and
 - (b) may be done at any time regardless of any proceedings or process underway or penalty imposed in relation to a correctional centre offence or criminal offence, and
 - (c) does not prevent the commencement or continuation of proceedings for a correctional centre offence or criminal offence.

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