



# **PUBLIC WORKS LEVY AMENDMENT ACT 1988**

**Act No. 4 of 1988**

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An Act to amend the *Public Works Levy Act 1976*

**[Assented to 18 May 1988]**

**BE IT ENACTED** by the Legislative Assembly of Norfolk Island as follows —

## **Short title**

1. This Act may be cited as the *Public Works Levy Amendment Act 1988*.

## **Commencement**

2. This Act shall come into operation on a date fixed by the Administrator by notice published in the Gazette.

## **Principal Act**

3. The *Public Works Levy Act 1976* is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.

## **Assessment Notices**

4. Section 11 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting from subsection (1) “The executive member” and substituting “Subject to section 11A, the executive member”.

## **New section**

5. The Principal Act is amended by inserting after section 11 —

### **Persons with low incomes**

“ 11A. (1) Where the executive member considers on reasonable grounds that a prescribed person is unlikely to have received during a levy period an income, after allowing for any reductions applicable under this Act, of more than \$2500, the executive member may, for the purpose of making enquiries

about the income of the person during the levy period, delay service of an Assessment Notice on the person for a period not exceeding 21 days.

(2) Where, after making enquiries under subsection (1), the executive member is satisfied that the income of the person during the levy period is, after allowing for any reductions applicable under this Act, not more than \$2500, the executive member may —

- (a) dispense with the service of an Assessment Notice on the person; and
- (b) direct that the person be exempted from payment of public works levy,

in respect of the levy period.

(3) Where subsection (2) does not apply, the executive member shall as soon as practicable after the end of the period referred to in subsection (1) cause an Assessment Notice to be served on a person referred to in that subsection.”.

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Commenced 19 May 1988 (Gazette No. 24, 19 May 1988).

This enactment amends Act No. 4 of 1976 as previously amended by Act No. 13 of 1979, Act No. 8 of 1980, Act No. 13 of 1981, Act No. 13 of 1983, Act No. 14 of 1983, Act No. 17 of 1984 and Act No. 14 of 1985.

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