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[Assented to 24 December 1998]

The Parliament of Australia enacts:

1 Short title

This Act may be cited as the Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety (Licence Charges) Act 1998.

2 Commencement

This Act commences on the same day as the *Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Act 1998*.

3 Definitions

facility licence means a facility licence issued under the Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Act 1998.

source licence means a source licence issued under the *Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Act 1998*.

4 Facility licence—annual charge

- (1) A person who is the holder of a facility licence at any time during a financial year is liable to pay a charge for the licence for that year.
- (2) The amount of the charge for a year is such amount as is prescribed by the regulations.

5 Source licence—annual charge

- (1) A person who is the holder of a source licence at any time during a financial year is liable to pay a charge for the licence for that year.
- (2) The amount of the charge for a year is such amount as is prescribed by the regulations.

6 Regulations

The Governor-General may make regulations prescribing matters:

- (a) required or permitted by this Act to be prescribed; or
- (b) necessary or convenient to be prescribed for carrying out or giving effect to this Act.

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