

Bounty (Bed Sheeting) Amendment Act 1979

No. 79 of 1979

An Act to amend the *Bed Sheeting Bounty Act* 1977.

BE IT ENACTED by the Queen, and the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Australia, as follows:

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the *Bounty (Bed Sheeting) Amendment Act* 1979.¹ Short title,
&c.

(2) The *Bed Sheeting Bounty Act* 1977 is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.

2. (1) Subject to sub-sections (2) and (3), this Act shall come into operation on the date on which it receives the Royal Assent.¹ Commence-
ment

(2) Sections 4 and 6 shall be deemed to have come into operation on 1 September 1977.

(3) Section 5 shall be deemed to have come into operation on 27 September 1978.

3. Section 1 of the Principal Act is repealed and the following section substituted:

“1. This Act may be cited as the *Bounty (Bed Sheeting) Act* 1977.”. Short title

4. Section 4 of the Principal Act is amended—

(a) by omitting sub-section (1) and substituting the following sub-sections: Periods
during which
bounty
payable

“(1) The period of 12 months that commenced on 1 September 1976 is a period to which this Act applies.

“(1A) The period of 2 months commencing on 1 September 1977 is a period to which this Act applies.

“(1B) Subject to sub-section (3), the period of 12 months commencing on 1 November 1977 and each subsequent period of 12 months are periods to which this Act applies.”;

(b) by omitting from sub-section (3) “sub-section (1)” (wherever occurring) and substituting “sub-section (1B)”; and

(c) by omitting from sub-section (3) “31 August” and substituting “31 October”.

Specification
of bounty

5. Section 5 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting paragraph (c) of sub-section (3) and substituting the following paragraph:

“(c) during that period or a later period to which this Act applies, the bed sheeting has been used in the making-up in Australia of bed linen by—

- (i) in the case of bed sheeting the manufacture of which was completed before 27 September 1978—the manufacturer; or
- (ii) in the case of other bed sheeting—the manufacturer or another person.”.

Limit of
available
bounty

6. Section 8 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting sub-section (1) and substituting the following sub-section:

“(1) The amount available for payment of bounty in respect of bountiable bed sheeting in respect of which bounty becomes payable in a period to which this Act applies is—

- (a) in the case of the period that commenced on 1 September 1976—\$500,000;
- (b) in the case of the period commencing on 1 September 1977—\$83,300; and
- (c) in the case of a period other than a period referred to in paragraph (a) or (b)—\$600,000.”.

NOTES

1. Act No. 79, 1979; assented to 25 June 1979.
2. Act No. 29, 1977.