

Corporations (Fees) Amendment (Registries Modernisation) Act 2020

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[*Assented to 22 June 2020*]

The Parliament of Australia enacts:

1 Short title

This Act is the *Corporations (Fees) Amendment (Registries Modernisation) Act 2020.*

2 Commencement

(1) Each provision of this Act specified in column 1 of the table commences, or is taken to have commenced, in accordance with column 2 of the table. Any other statement in column 2 has effect according to its terms.

| Commencement information | | |
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| Column 1 | Column 2 | Column 3 |
| Provisions | Commencement | Date/Details |
| 1. Sections 1 to 3 and anything in this Act not elsewhere covered by this table | The day this Act receives the Royal Assent. | 22 June 2020 |
| 2. Schedule 1 | A day or days to be fixed by Proclamation.  However, if any of the provisions do not commence within the period of 24 months beginning on the day this Act receives the Royal Assent, they commence on the day after the end of that period. | 22 June 2022 |

Note: This table relates only to the provisions of this Act as originally enacted. It will not be amended to deal with any later amendments of this Act.

(2) Any information in column 3 of the table is not part of this Act. Information may be inserted in this column, or information in it may be edited, in any published version of this Act.

3 Schedules

Legislation that is specified in a Schedule to this Act is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this Act has effect according to its terms.

Schedule 1—Amendments

Corporations (Fees) Act 2001

1 Subsection 4(1) (paragraph (a) of the definition of *chargeable matter*)

After “lodgment”, insert “with ASIC or the Registrar”.

2 Subsection 4(1) (after paragraph (c) of the definition of *chargeable matter*)

Insert:

(ca) the inspection or search of a record maintained or information held by the Registrar under that Act;

3 Subsection 4(1) (paragraph (d) of the definition of *chargeable matter*)

After “ASIC”, insert “or the Registrar”.

4 Subsection 4(1) (after paragraph (e) of the definition of *chargeable matter*)

Insert:

(ea) the production by the Registrar, under a subpoena, of a record maintained or information held by the Registrar for the purposes of that Act;

5 Subsection 4(1) (paragraph (f) of the definition of *chargeable matter*)

Omit “or ASIC”, substitute “, ASIC or the Registrar”.

6 Subsection 4(1) (paragraph (g) of the definition of *chargeable matter*)

Omit “or ASIC”, substitute “ASIC or the Registrar”.

7 Paragraph 7(1)(c)

After “paragraph (c)”, insert “or (ca)”.

8 Paragraph 7(1)(e)

After “paragraph (e)”, insert “or (ea)”.

9 At the end of subparagraph 7(1)(e)(ii)

Add “or the Registrar”.

[*Minister’s second reading speech made in—*

*House of Representatives on 4 December 2019*

*Senate on 13 February 2020*]

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