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Farm Household Support Amendment Bill 2018

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(Agriculture and Water Resources)

A Bill for an Act to amend the Farm Household Support Act 2014, and for related purposes

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The Parliament of Australia enacts:

1 Short title

This Act is the Farm Household Support Amendment Act 2018.

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				
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.			
2. Schedule 1	The later of:			
	(a) 1 August 2018; and			
	(b) the day after this Act receives the Royal Assent.			
Note:	This table relates only to the provisions of this A enacted. It will not be amended to deal with any 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Legislation that is specified in a Schedule to this Act is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this Act has effect according to its terms.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

Farm Household Support Act 2014

1 Paragraph 3(a)

Omit "3 years", substitute "4 years".

2 Paragraph 4(a)

Omit "3 years", substitute "4 years".

3 Subsection 5(1) (definition of 3 years or less)

Repeal the definition.

4 Subsection 5(1)

Insert:

4 years or less has the meaning given by subsection 6(3).

5 Section 6 (heading)

Omit "3 years or less", substitute "4 years or less".

6 Subsection 6(3) (heading)

Omit "3 years or less", substitute "4 years or less".

7 Subsection 6(3)

Omit "3 years or less", substitute "4 years or less".

8 Subsection 6(3)

Omit "1095 days", substitute "1,460 days".

9 Section 7

Omit "3 years", substitute "4 years".

10 Paragraph 8(h)

Omit "3 years", substitute "4 years".

11 Paragraph 9(j)

Omit "3 years", substitute "4 years".

12 Subsections 96(1) and (2)

Omit "3 years", substitute "4 years".

13 Application of amendments

The amendments made by this Schedule apply in relation to the following:

- (a) a person who made a claim for farm household allowance at any time before the day this Schedule commences (whether or not the claim had been determined before that day);
- (b) a person who makes a claim for farm household allowance on or after the day this Schedule commences.