Liquor (Rural Hotels Concession) Amendment Bill 2018

Amendments during consideration in detail to be moved by The Honourable the Attorney-General and Minister for Justice

1 After clause 1

Page 4, after line 4—
insert—

1A Commencement

This Act commences on 1 July 2019.

2 Clause 3 (Insertion of new s 202A)

Page 4, lines 10 to 30—omit, insert—

202A Concessional base licence fee for particular licences in very remote Australia

- (1) This section applies in relation to the licence fee payable for a licence for a licence period if—
 - (a) the licence is—
 - (i) a commercial hotel licence; or
 - (ii) a community club licence for a club with 2,000 members or less; and
 - (b) the main premises under the licence are in very remote Australia.
- (2) A fee regulation must provide for the base licence fee to be assessed at the rate of 10% of the base licence fee that would apply if—
 - (a) the main premises under the licence were not in very remote Australia; and
 - (b) for a licence mentioned in subsection (1)(a)(ii)—the licence were a commercial hotel licence.

3 Clause 3 (Insertion of new s 202A)

Page 5, line 1, '(5)'— *omit, insert*—

(3)

4 Clause 3 (Insertion of new s 202A)

Page 5, line 2—
omit, insert—

base licence fee, for a licence—

- (a) means the amount included in the licence fee for the licence under a fee regulation because of the licence type; and
- (b) does not include an amount included in the licence fee for the licence under a fee regulation—
 - (i) because 1 or more detached bottle shops are approved for the licence; or
 - (ii) for any other reason.

Examples of other reasons an amount may be included in a licence fee under a fee regulation—

- the licensee holds an extended trading hours approval for the licensed premises
- the licence authorises the licensee to trade after 12a.m.
- an infringement notice for a particular offence under the Act was served on the licensee

fee regulation means a regulation under section 202(1).

main premises, under a licence, means the licensed premises other than—

- (a) for a commercial hotel licence—a detached bottle shop; or
- (b) for a community club licence—premises mentioned in section 77(2).

very remote Australia, in relation to a licence period, means the area that is, on the first day of the licence period—

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