



**MOTOR VEHICLES (HEAVY VEHICLES REGISTRATION CHARGES)  
AMENDMENT ACT 1997**

**No. 77 of 1997**

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**An Act to amend the Motor Vehicles Act 1959.**

*[Assented to 18 December 1997]*

The Parliament of South Australia enacts as follows:

**Short title**

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the *Motor Vehicles (Heavy Vehicles Registration Charges) Amendment Act 1997*.

(2) The *Motor Vehicles Act 1959* is referred to in this Act as "the principal Act".

**Commencement**

2. This Act will be taken to have come into operation on 1 July 1996 immediately after section 3(c) of the *Motor Vehicles (Miscellaneous No. 2) Amendment Act 1996* came into operation.

**Amendment of s. 5—Interpretation**

3. Section 5 of the principal Act is amended by striking out the definition of "prescribed registration fee" in subsection (1) and substituting the following definition:

"prescribed registration fee" means—

- (a) in relation to a heavy vehicle—
  - (i) for registration for one or more quarters—a fee equal to the product of the number of quarters for which the vehicle is to be registered multiplied by one quarter of the amount that would be the annual registration charge determined in accordance with the Commonwealth Road Transport Charges Act for registration of the vehicle in the Australian Capital Territory; or

- (ii) for registration for any other period—a fee equal to the product of the number of days for which the vehicle is to be registered multiplied by one-three hundred and sixty-fifth of the amount that would be the annual registration charge determined in accordance with the Commonwealth Road Transport Charges Act for registration of the vehicle in the Australian Capital Territory; or
- (b) in relation to any other motor vehicle—the amount of the fee payable in respect of the registration of the vehicle that is specified in the regulations as being the registration fee (rather than, for example, an administration fee);.

In the name and on behalf of Her Majesty, I hereby assent to this Bill.

E. J. NEAL Governor