

**MAGISTRATES COURT AMENDMENT ACT 1992**

No. 46 of 1992

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AN ACT to amend the *Magistrates Court Act 1987***[Royal Assent 10 December 1992]**

BE it enacted by His Excellency the Governor of Tasmania, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, in Parliament assembled, as follows:—

Short title

1—This Act may be cited as the *Magistrates Court Amendment Act 1992*.

Commencement

2—This Act commences on the day on which it receives the Royal Assent.

Principal Act

3—In this Act, the *Magistrates Court Act 1987** is referred to as the Principal Act.

Section 10A inserted

4—After section 10 of the Principal Act, the following section is inserted:—

Immunities

10A—A magistrate, in performing any function or exercising any power of the office of magistrate, has the same immunities as a puisne judge of the Supreme Court has under section 6 (1) of the *Supreme Court Act 1887*.

* No. 45 of 1987. Subsequently amended by No. 4 of 1988, No. 13 of 1989, No. 5 of 1990 and Nos. 16 and 46 of 1991.