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**Supreme Court Legislation (Miscellaneous  
Provisions) Act 1993**

**Act No. 20 of 1993**

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**An Act to amend and repeal certain Acts in relation to the  
appointment of Supreme Court Judges, and for other purposes**

*[Assented to 28 May 1993]*

**The Parliament of Queensland enacts—**

## **PART 1—PRELIMINARY**

### **Short title**

1. This Act may be cited as the *Supreme Court Legislation (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1993*.

## **PART 2—AMENDMENT OF SUPREME COURT OF QUEENSLAND ACT 1991**

### **Amended Act**

2. The *Supreme Court of Queensland Act 1991* is amended as set out in this Part.

### **Insertion of new s.12A**

3. After section 12—

*insert—*

### **‘Appointment of Judges**

‘**12A.** The Governor in Council may, by commission, appoint a barrister or solicitor of the Court of at least 5 years’ standing to be a Judge.’.

### **PART 3—AMENDMENT OF SUPREME COURT ACT 1867**

#### **Amended Act**

4. The *Supreme Court Act 1867* is amended as set out in this Part.

#### **Omission of s.8 (Judges may be appointed)**

5. Section 8—  
*omit.*

### **PART 4—REPEAL OF SUPREME COURT JUDGES APPOINTMENT ACT 1983**

#### **Repeal**

6. The *Supreme Court Judges Appointment Act 1983* is repealed.

### **PART 5—MINOR AMENDMENTS OF THE LEGAL PRACTITIONERS ACTS**

#### **Amendment of the Legal Practitioners Act Amendment Act 1938**

7.(1) The *Legal Practitioners Act Amendment Act 1938* is amended as set out in this section.

(2) Section 1 (from ‘and shall be read’ to ‘as the Principal Act’)—  
*omit.*

(3) Section 1—

*omit ‘also’.*

(4) Section 1 (from ‘**Collective title**’ to ‘1938.’)—

*omit.*

### **Amendment of the Legal Practitioners Acts Amendment Act 1954**

**8.(1)** The *Legal Practitioners Acts Amendment Act 1954* is amended as set out in this section.

(2) Section 1(2) and (3)—

*omit.*

### **Amendment of the Legal Practitioners Acts Amendment Act 1968**

**9.(1)** The *Legal Practitioners Acts Amendment Act 1968* is amended as set out in this section.

(2) Section 2—

*omit.*

## **PART 6—REPEAL OF ACTS**

### **Repealed Acts**

**10.** The following Acts are repealed—

- (a) the *Legal Practitioners Act 1881*;
- (b) the *Legal Practitioners Acts Amendment Act 1946*;
- (c) the *Legal Practitioners Acts Amendment Act 1947*;
- (d) the *Legal Practitioners Acts Amendment Act 1961*;
- (e) the *Legal Practitioners Acts Amendment Act 1965*;

- (f) the *Legal Practitioners Acts Amendment Act 1974*;
- (g) the *Legal Practitioners Acts Amendment Act 1977*.