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Gambling and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2009

Erratum to Explanatory Notes

Title of the Bill

Gambling and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2009

Reason for Erratum

As a result of an editing error during the drafting and review process, a minor amendment is required to page 25 of the Explanatory Notes. The wording of the note on clause 12 currently implies a different meaning to what was intended, and is not consistent with the provisions of the *Casino Control Act 1982* to which it applies.

The note states, '*Clause 12 amends section 127 to provide that the chief executive may also make regulations about tournaments for games, the naming of a game or wager, the permissible minimum and maximum wager for a game, and the maximum denomination of currency that may be inserted in a note acceptor in a casino.*'

There is no provision in *Casino Control Act 1982* for the chief executive to make a regulation. Section 127(1) provides that the Governor in Council may make regulations under this Act. It was also never intended that the chief executive may make a regulation under section 127(2) and the provision in the *Gambling and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2009* does not provide for this.

Therefore, the note on clause 12 should state, ‘*Clause 12 amends section 127 to provide that a regulation may also be about tournaments for games, the naming of a game or wager, the permissible minimum and maximum wager for a game, and the maximum denomination of currency that may be inserted in a note acceptor in a casino.*’

Notes on Provisions

The amendment is required to the note on clause 12 on page 25 of the explanatory notes. The note relates to an amendment to section 127 of the *Casino Control Act 1982*.

Omit the note on clause 12 and insert—Clause 12 amends section 127 to provide that a regulation may also be about tournaments for games, the naming of a game or wager, the permissible minimum and maximum wager for a game, and the maximum denomination of currency that may be inserted in a note acceptor in a casino.

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