# Notes

This is a compilation of the *Bail Act 1982* and includes the amendments effected by the other Acts referred to in the following Table  $^{1}a$ .

# **Table of Acts**

Short title	Number and year	Assent	Commencement	Miscellaneous
Bail Act 1982	86 of 1982	18 November 1982	6 February 1989 (see section 2 and <i>Gazette</i> 27 January 1989 p.263)	
Acts Amendment (Abolition of Capital Punishment) Act 1984, Part III	52 of 1984	5 September 1984	3 October 1984	
Bail Amendment Act 1984	74 of 1984	29 November 1984	6 February 1989 (see section 2 and <i>Gazette</i> 27 January 1989 p.263)	Sections 10 and 11 repealed by Bail Amendment Act 1988 (No. 15 of 1988 section 20)
Bail Amendment Act 1988	15 of 1988	6 September 1988	6 February 1989 (see section 2 and <i>Gazette</i> 27 January 1989 p.263)	
Acts Amendment (Children's Court) Act 1988, Part 13	49 of 1988	22 December 1988	1 December 1989 (see section 2 and <i>Gazette</i> 24 November 1989 p.4327)	
Criminal Law Amendment Act 1988, Part 4	70 of 1988	15 December 1988	6 February 1989 (see section 2(2)(b) and <i>Gazette</i> 27 January 1989 p.263)	
Justices Amendment Act 1989, section 18 (item 1 of Schedule)	33 of 1989	22 December 1989	1 June 1991 (see section 2 and <i>Gazette</i> 17 May 1991 p.2455)	
Community Corrections Legislation Amendment Act 1990, Part 2	61 of 1990	17 December 1990	3 April 1991 (see section 2 and <i>Gazette</i> 22 March 1991 p.1209)	

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Child Welfare Amendment Act (No. 2) 1990, section 15	83 of 1990	22 December 1990	1 August 1991 (see section 2 and <i>Gazette</i> 1 August 1991 p.3983)	
Children's Court of Western Australia Amendment Act (No. 2) 1991, section 21	15 of 1991	21 June 1991	9 August 1991 (see section 2(2) and <i>Gazette</i> 9 August 1991 p.4101)	
Acts Amendment (Sexual Offences) Act 1992, Part 3	14 of 1992	17 June 1992	1 August 1992 (see section 2 and Gazette 28 July 1992 p.3671)	
Acts Amendment (Ministry of Justice) Act 1993, Part 3	31 of 1993	15 December 1993	Deemed operative 1 July 1993 (see section 2)	Part 19: transitional <sup>2</sup>
Criminal Procedure Amendment Act 1993, Part 2	45 of 1993	20 December 1993	Sections 7, 8, 9, 10(2)(b): 4 March 1994 (see section 2 and <i>Gazette</i> 4 March 1994 p. 915); balance: 17 January 1994 (see section 2(2))	Section 13: transitional <sup>3</sup>
Criminal Law Amendment Act 1994, section 13(1) and (2)	82 of 1994	23 December 1994	20 January 1995 (see section 2(2))	
Acts Amendment (Fines, Penalties and Infringement Notices) Act 1994, Part 3	92 of 1994	23 December 1994	1 January 1995 (see section 2 and <i>Gazette</i> 30 December 1994 p.7211)	
Sentencing (Consequential Provisions) Act 1995, Part 5	78 of 1995	16 January 1996	4 November 1996 (see section 2 and <i>Gazette</i> 25 October 1996 p.5632)	
Coroners Act 1996, section 61	2 of 1996	24 May 1996	7 April 1997 (see section 2 and <i>Gazette</i> 18 March 1997 p.1529)	
Mental Health (Consequential Provisions) Act 1996, Part 2	69 of 1996	13 November 1996	13 November 1997 (see section 2)	

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Statutes (Repeals and Minor Amendments) Act 1997, section 21	57 of 1997	15 December 1997	15 December 1997 (see section 2)	
Criminal Law Amendment Act (No. 1) 1998, section 4(2)	38 of 1998	25 September 1998	23 October 1998	
Bail Amendment Act 1998, Parts 2, 3, 4, 5 (other than section 12) and 7	54 of 1998	11 January 1999	Parts 4 and 7: 15 May 1999 (see section 2 and Gazette 11 May 1999 p.1905); Parts 2, 3 and 5 (other than section 12): 8 March 2000 (see section 2 and Gazette 7 March 2000 p.1039); balance to be proclaimed	Section 6(2): 4 transitional
Court Security and Custodial Services (Consequential Provisions) Act 1999, Part 3	47 of 1999	8 December 1999	18 December 1999 (see section 2 and <i>Gazette</i> 17 December 1999 pp.6175-6)	

Part 19 of the Acts Amendment (Ministry of Justice) Act 1993 (No. 31 of 1993) reads as follows —

## Part 19 — Savings and transitional

## 68. Savings

If this Act is not passed until after 1 July 1993, anything done after that day but before this Act is passed that would have been in accordance with law if this Act had not come into operation but as a result of the coming into operation of this Act is contrary to law, is deemed to be in accordance with law.

### 69. Transitional

Unless the contrary intention appears, a reference, however expressed, in any law or document to the former Department of Corrective Services or Crown Law Department, the chief executive officer of either of those departments, or an office or organizational unit within either of those departments, is to be read as a reference to the Ministry of Justice, the chief executive officer of the Ministry of Justice, or the corresponding office or unit within the Ministry of Justice, as is appropriate.

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Section 13 of the *Criminal Procedure Amendment Act 1993* (No. 45 of 1993) reads as follows —

13. Transitional

- (1) The amendments to the principal Act effected by a provision of this Part apply in relation to
  - (a) a child arrested for any offence; and
  - (b) a person, other than a child, arrested for a serious offence,

on or after the day on which that provision comes into operation.

(2) In subsection (1) "child" and "serious offence" have the same meanings as in the principal Act.

Section 6(2) of the *Bail Amendment Act 1998* (No. 58 of 1998) reads as follows —

(2) Section 16A inserted by subsection (1) applies to persons arrested for an offence referred to in subsection (2)(a) or (3) of that section on or after the day on which this section comes into operation.

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