

3. Interpretation

In this Act unless otherwise provided —

“nuclear waste” means any radioactive substance —

- (a) which is derived from any source including a nuclear reactor, a nuclear weapon, a nuclear weapon facility, a nuclear reprocessing plant or an isotope enrichment plant; and
- (b) for which the Radiological Council is satisfied that no beneficial use is envisaged,

except for any radioactive substance which has been —

- (c) generated in Australia otherwise than from waste radioactive substances imported into Australia; or
- (d) used under a licence, registration, exemption, disposal permit or temporary permit under the *Radiation Safety Act 1975*;

“nuclear waste storage facility” means any installation for the storage or disposal of any nuclear waste;

“public moneys” and **“moneys of a statutory authority”** have the meanings given to them by section 3 of the *Financial Administration and Audit Act 1985*;

“radioactive substance” has the meaning given to it by section 4 of the *Radiation Safety Act 1975*.

“Radiological Council” has the meaning given to it by section 13 of the *Radiation Safety Act 1975*.