



Western Australia

# **Pearling Amendment Act 1998**

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**No. 55 of 1998**

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**An Act to amend the *Pearling Act 1990*.**

*[Assented to 14 December 1998]*

The Parliament of Western Australia enacts as follows:

**1. Short title**

This Act may be cited as the *Pearling Amendment Act 1998*.

**2. Commencement**

This Act comes into operation on the day on which it receives the Royal Assent.

**3. The Act amended**

The amendments in this Act are to the *Pearling Act 1990*\*.

[\* *Act No. 88 of 1990.*

*For subsequent amendments see 1997 Index to Legislation of Western Australia, Table 1, p. 174.]*

**4. Section 23 amended**

Section 23(1) is amended by inserting after “appropriate annual fee” —

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or, if applicable, the first instalment of the appropriate annual fee,

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**5. Section 27 amended**

After section 27(7) the following subsection is inserted —

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(8) If regulations made under section 60 provide that the payment of an annual fee may be made by instalments, a reference in this section, other than subsections (1) and (3), to the annual fee shall be taken to include a reference to the appropriate instalment or instalments of the annual fee.

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**6. Schedule 2 amended**

Schedule 2 is amended by deleting item 10 and the following item is inserted instead —

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- 10.** Fees for the purposes of this Act, including —
- (a) differential and periodic fees;
  - (b) allowing the payment of fees by instalments; and
  - (c) providing for the payment of a surcharge if the payment of any fee is made by instalments.

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