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Racing Bets Levy Act 2009

Compare between:

[24 Nov 2009, 00-a0-06] and [18 Sep 2019, 00-b0-01]

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An Act to impose a levy on betting operators in respect of gross revenue or turnover.

The Parliament of Western Australia enacts as follows:

1. Short title

This is the *Racing Bets Levy Act 2009*.

2. Commencement

This Act comes into operation as follows —

- (a) sections 1 and 2 — on the day on which this Act receives the Royal Assent;
- (b) the rest of the Act — on the day after that day.

3. Terms used

In this Act —

betting operator, *gross revenue*, *racing bet* and *turnover* have the same respective meanings given to those terms in the *Betting Control Act 1954* section 14A(1).

4. Levy may be prescribed

- (1) The Governor may make regulations prescribing an amount by way of levy that is to be payable under the *Betting Control Act 1954* section 14A(2) in respect of racing bets placed or accepted on or after 1 September 2008.
- (2) The regulations may —
 - (a) provide that the levy is to be calculated by reference to gross revenue or turnover, or either gross revenue or turnover; and
 - (b) if the levy is to be calculated by reference to either gross revenue or turnover, prescribe the basis on which one of the 2 is to or may be selected; and
 - (c) prescribe different amounts by way of levy that are payable in respect of different races, classes of race or dates on which races are held.
- (3) Nothing in this section is to be taken as limiting the operation of the *Interpretation Act 1984* section 43.

5. Racing bets levy imposed

If an amount by way of levy is prescribed under section 4, that levy is imposed on betting operators.

Notes

[†] ~~_____~~ This is a compilation of the *Racing Bets Levy Act 2009*. ~~The following and includes amendments made by other written laws. For provisions that have come into operation see the compilation table~~ ~~contains information about that Act.~~ For provisions that have not yet come into operation see the [uncommenced provisions table](#).

Compilation table

Short title	Number and year	Assent	Commencement
<i>Racing Bets Levy Act 2009</i>	30 of 2009	23 Nov 2009	s. 1 and 2: 23 Nov 2009 (see s. 2(a)); Act other than s. 1 and 2: 24 Nov 2009 (see s. 2(b))

[Uncommenced provisions table](#)

To view the text of the uncommenced provisions see [Acts as passed on the WA Legislation website](#).

<u>Short title</u>	<u>Number and year</u>	<u>Assent</u>	<u>Commencement</u>
<u>TAB (Disposal) Act 2019</u>	<u>21 of 2019</u>	<u>18 Sep 2019</u>	<u>To be proclaimed (see s. 2(1)(b)(xiii))</u>