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**An Act to amend —**

- *The Criminal Code*; and
  - *the Road Traffic Act 1974*,
- and for related purposes.**

*[Assented to 30 November 2011]*

The Parliament of Western Australia enacts as follows:

## **Part 1 — Preliminary**

### **1. Short title**

This is the *Manslaughter Legislation Amendment Act 2011*.

### **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 a day fixed by proclamation, and different days may be fixed for different provisions.

**Part 2 — *The Criminal Code* amended**

**3. Act amended**

This Part amends *The Criminal Code*.

**4. Section 280 amended**

In section 280 delete “20 years.” and insert:

life.

**Part 3 — Road Traffic Act 1974 amended**

**5. Act amended**

This Part amends the *Road Traffic Act 1974*.

**6. Section 59 amended**

- (1) In section 59(1) in the Summary conviction penalty delete “penalty:” and insert:

penalty in a case in which the incident does not occasion the death of another person:

- (2) After section 59(1) insert:

- (2A) For an offence against this section that was committed before the day on which the *Manslaughter Legislation Amendment Act 2011* section 6(1) came into operation amending subsection (1), subsection (1) applies as if that amendment had not been made.

**7. Section 67 amended**

- (1) In section 67(3a) in the Summary conviction penalty delete “penalty:” and insert:

penalty in a case in which the incident does not occasion the death of another person:

(2) After section 67(3a) insert:

(3B) For an offence against this section that was committed before the day on which the *Manslaughter Legislation Amendment Act 2011* section 7(1) came into operation amending subsection (3a), subsection (3a) applies as if that amendment had not been made.

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