

Act No. 6 of 2003

AN ACT

to amend the Trade Measurement Administration Act

[Assented to 18 March 2003] [Second reading 27 November 2002]

The Legislative Assembly of the Northern Territory enacts as follows:

1. Short title

This Act may be cited as the *Trade Measurement Administration Amendment Act 2003*.

2. Secrecy

Section 19 of the *Trade Measurement Administration Act* is amended by omitting "\$5,000" and substituting "200 penalty units or imprisonment for 12 months".

3. Regulations

Section 20 of the Trade Measurement Administration Act is amended –

- (a) by inserting after subsection (2) the following:
 - "(2A) The Regulations may provide for –
 - (a) the payment of a prescribed amount instead of a penalty that may otherwise be imposed for an offence against the Principal Act or the regulations under the Principal Act or this Act; and

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- (b) the service of a notice in respect of payment of a prescribed amount on a person alleged to have committed an offence against the Principal Act or the regulations under the Principal Act or this Act and the particulars to be included in that notice."; and
- (b) by omitting from subsection (3) "\$2,000" and substituting "100 penalty units".