

NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

No. 62 of 1994

AN ACT

to amend the Racing and Betting Act

[Assented to 24 October 1994]

B E it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the Northern Territory of Australia, with the assent as provided by the Northern Territory (Self-Government) Act 1978 of the Commonwealth, as follows:

1. SHORT TITLE

This Act may be cited as the Racing and Betting Amendment Act 1994.

2. COMMENCEMENT

This Act shall come into operation on a date to be fixed by the Administrator by notice in the Gazette.

3. DEFINITIONS

Section 4 of the Racing and Betting Act is amended by inserting after the definition of "approved" the following:

"'approved telephone bookmaking system' means a telephone system for bookmaking approved by the Commission;".

4. SECURITY MAY BE REQUIRED

Section 72(1) of the Racing and Betting Act is amended by omitting "\$25,000" and substituting "the prescribed amount".

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5. RESTRICTIONS ON BETTING BY REGISTERED BOOKMAKERS

Section 101 of the Racing and Betting Act is amended by omitting subsection (3) and substituting the following:

"(3) A registered bookmaker at a meeting may make a bet with a person who is not present at the racing venue at which that meeting is being held where the bet is made through an approved telephone bookmaking system.".