



## NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

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No. 14 of 1984

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### AN ACT

To amend the *Motor Vehicles Act*

[Assented to 12 July 1984]

**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 *Motor Vehicles Amendment Act 1984*.

2. REPEAL AND SUBSTITUTION

Section 107B of the *Motor Vehicles Act* is repealed and the following substituted:

"107B. PERSON SHALL NOT DRIVE UNINSURED OR IMPROPERLY REGISTERED VEHICLE

"(1) Subject to sub-section (3), a person shall not drive on a public street a motor vehicle in respect of which a current compensation contribution has not been paid under Part V or a current policy of insurance complying with the provisions of this Act as in force immediately before 1 July 1979 is not in force.

Penalty: \$10,000.

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"(2) Subject to sub-section (3), the owner of a motor vehicle shall not use, or permit to be used, the motor vehicle for a purpose other than the purpose for which it was registered where the amount of compensation contribution payable under Part V would, if the motor vehicle had, on the day on which it was registered, been registered for that first-mentioned purpose, or for a purpose which includes that first-mentioned purpose, have been greater than the amount of compensation contribution actually paid on that day for that motor vehicle.

Penalty: \$2,000.

"(3) Sub-sections (2) and (3) do not apply to or in relation to a motor vehicle which is -

- (a) the property of the Commonwealth or of an authority under the Commonwealth; or
  - (b) deemed under section 107(2) to be registered."
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