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Vehicles) Bill 2008  
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A Bill for an Act to amend the *Criminal Code Act*

NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

CRIMINAL CODE AMENDMENT (ASSAULTS ON DRIVERS OF  
COMMERCIAL PASSENGER VEHICLES) ACT 2008

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An Act to amend the *Criminal Code Act*

[Assented to [ ] 2008]  
[Second reading [ ] 2008]

The Legislative Assembly of the Northern Territory enacts as follows:

**1 Short title**

This Act may be cited as the *Criminal Code Amendment (Assaults on Drivers of Commercial Passenger Vehicles) Act 2008*.

**2 Commencement**

This Act commences on the date fixed by the Administrator by *Gazette* notice.

**3 Act amended**

This Act amends the *Criminal Code Act*.

**4 Amendment of section 188 (Common assault)**

Section 188(2), after paragraph (f)

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(fa) is working, at the time of the assault, as the driver of a commercial passenger vehicle (as defined in the *Commercial Passengers (Road) Transport Act*) or in work incidental to the driving or operation of the vehicle;