



Serial 174
Work Health
Amendment
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NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

A BILL for AN ACT

to amend the *Work Health Act*

BE 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 *Work Health Amendment Act 1992*.

2. NEW SECTION

The *Work Health Act* is amended by inserting after section 91B the following:

"91BA. DISPENSING WITH PANEL WHERE INFORMATION OBTAINED

"Where, in respect of an application under section 91B(1), the Authority is satisfied that the further medical information required by the employer has been obtained, the Authority shall -

- (a) notwithstanding section 91B(3), dispense with appointing the members of the Panel for the purposes of the application; or
- (b) if it has appointed the members of the Panel for the purposes of the application, notify the Chairman of the Panel that the further medical information has been obtained, and the Panel, on being so notified, shall cease considering the application."

3. DETERMINATION OF PANEL

Section 91C(2) of the *Work Health Act* is amended by adding after "under this section -" the words "do one or both of the following:".

