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A Bill for an Act to amend the Gaming Control Act 1993

NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

GAMING CONTROL AMENDMENT (COMMUNITY BENEFIT FUND) ACT 2025

| Act No. [|] of 2025 |
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An Act to amend the Gaming Control Act 1993

[Assented to [] 2025] [Introduced [] 2025]

The Legislative Assembly of the Northern Territory enacts as follows:

1 Short title

This Act may be cited as the Gaming Control Amendment (Community Benefit Fund) Act 2025.

2 Commencement

- (1) Subject to subsection (2), this Act commences on the day fixed by the Administrator by *Gazette* notice.
- (2) If a provision of this Act does not commence before 26 July 2027, it commences on that day.

3 Act amended

This Act amends the Gaming Control Act 1993.

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4 Section 3 amended (Definitions)

(1) Section 3, definition *major grant*

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major benefit means:

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- (a) a benefit that has a monetary value that is greater than the monetary value of a minor benefit but not more than the amount determined by the Minister under section 68A(4)(a); or
- (b) a benefit that is a motor vehicle.
- (2) Section 3, definition *minor grant*

10 omit, insert

minor benefit means a benefit that has a monetary value that is not more than the amount determined by the Minister under section 68A(4)(b).

5 Section 68A amended (Community Benefit Fund)

15 (1) Section 68A(2)(c)

omit, insert

- (c) funding of the following benefits:
 - (i) grants for community projects and services of benefit to communities throughout the Territory;

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- capital works or improvements to land or a building, structure or erection owned by the Territory that is occupied by a not-for-profit organisation for the purpose of delivering community projects and services of benefit to communities throughout the Territory;
- 25 (2) Section 68A(4)

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purpose

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purposes

(3) Section 68A(4)(a) and (b)

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grant

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benefit

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(4) After section 68A(6)

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(7) In this section:

not-for-profit organisation means a body corporate that is registered, or eligible for registration, under the *Australian Charities* and *Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012* (Cth).

6 Act further amended

The Schedule has effect.

7 Repeal of Act

This Act is repealed on the day after it commences.

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Schedule Act further amended

section 6

| Provision | Amendment | |
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| section 68B(1)(a)(ii) and (4)(a) | grants purpose | benefits purposes |
| section 68C(3)(a) and (b) | grant for the | benefit for a |
| section 68C(4)(b)(i) and (ii) and (5)(a) and (b), after "grant" | | or benefit |