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South Australia

**Classification (Publications, Films and Computer Games) (Parental Guidance) Amendment Bill 2010**

A BILL FOR

An Act to amend the *Classification (Publications, Films and Computer Games) Act 1995*.

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**The Parliament of South Australia enacts as follows:**

### **Part 1—Preliminary**

#### **1—Short title**

This Act may be cited as the *Classification (Publications, Films and Computer Games) (Parental Guidance) Amendment Act 2010*.

#### **5 2—Amendment provisions**

In this Act, a provision under a heading referring to the amendment of a specified Act amends the Act so specified.

### **Part 2—Amendment of *Classification (Publications, Films and Computer Games) Act 1995***

#### **10 3—Amendment of section 4—Interpretation**

Section 4, definition of *determined markings*—delete the definition and substitute:

*determined markings* means—

- (a) markings determined under section 8 of the Commonwealth Act; or
- (b) markings in relation to consumer advice for a publication as—
  - 15 (i) determined by the Council or the Minister under section 21 of this Act; or
  - (ii) prescribed by regulation.

**4—Amendment of section 18—Classification of publications, films and games in accordance with national code and guidelines**

Section 18—after its present contents (now to be designated as subsection (1)) insert:

- 5                   (2) Subsection (1) does not prevent the Minister developing (and the Council and the Minister applying) guidelines to be applied for the purposes of section 21.

**5—Amendment of section 19A—Classification of publication forming part of a series**

Section 19A—after subsection (1) insert:

- 10                   (1a) If the Council or the Minister makes a declaration under this section, other references in this Act to classifying a publication will be taken to include applying a classification to publications in a series of publications within the ambit of the declaration (including with the effect that consumer advice applying to a publication that has been  
15                   classified will also be applied to all publications within the ambit of the declaration).

**6—Amendment of section 21—Consumer advice for publications, films and computer games**

(1) Section 21—after subsection (1) insert:

- 20                   (1a) Consumer advice in relation to a publication may include, but is not limited to, 1 of the following:
- (a) **PG** Parental Guidance—Parental Guidance Recommended for children under 15;
  - (b) **M** Mature—Not recommended for children under 15.

25                   (2) Section 21—after subsection (3) insert:

- (4) The regulations may prescribe determined markings in relation to a consumer advice.