

**House of Assembly—No 194A**

As reported with amendments, report agreed to and passed remaining stages,  
17 November 2021

South Australia

**Holidays (Christmas Day) Amendment Bill 2021**

A BILL FOR

An Act to amend the *Holidays Act 1910*.

---

## Contents

### Part 1—Preliminary

- 1 Short title
- 2 Amendment provisions

### Part 2—Amendment of *Holidays Act 1910*

- 3 Insertion of section 3AA  
3AA Christmas Day
  - 3A Amendment of section 3B—Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve
  - 4 Amendment of section 5—Governor may substitute another day for day appointed
  - 5 Amendment of Schedule 2—Holidays
- 

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

### **Part 1—Preliminary**

#### **1—Short title**

This Act may be cited as the *Holidays (Christmas Day) Amendment Act 2021*.

#### **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 *Holidays Act 1910***

#### **3—Insertion of section 3AA**

10 After section 3 insert:

##### **3AA—Christmas Day**

15 In addition to the days mentioned in Schedule 2, 25 December will be a public holiday and bank holiday but when that day falls on a Saturday or Sunday, that day and the following Monday will be public holidays and bank holidays.

#### **3A—Amendment of section 3B—Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve**

Section 3B—after its present contents (now to be designated as subsection (1)) insert:

- (2) However, subsection (1)(a) does not apply to 24 December in a particular year if that day falls on a Friday.

#### **4—Amendment of section 5—Governor may substitute another day for day appointed**

Section 5(1)—after subsection (2) insert:

- (3) This section does not apply in relation to 25 December.

**5—Amendment of Schedule 2—Holidays**

Schedule 2 Part 2—delete "Christmas Day."