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**THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA**

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

**EXOTIC ANIMAL DISEASE CONTROL AMENDMENT BILL 1995**

**EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM**

**(Circulated by authority of the Minister for Primary Industries and Energy, Senator the Honourable Bob Collins)**



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**OUTLINE**

1. The purpose of this Bill is to amend the *Exotic Animal Disease Control Act 1989* so as that any unexpended money remaining after the sunset of the *Exotic Animal Disease Control Act 1989* on 30 June 1995 will be returned to the Australian Meat and live-stock Corporation and the Meat Research Corporation to be used for industry's behalf.

**FINANCIAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

2. There is no net effect to revenue in the implementation of this legislation.

## **NOTES ON CLAUSES**

### **Clause 1 - Short Title**

3. Provides for the Act to be called the *Exotic Animal Disease Control Amendment Act 1995* and defines the "**Principal Act**" as the *Exotic Animal Disease Control Act 1989*.

### **Clause 2 - Commencement**

4. Provides for the Act to commence on 1 July 1995.

### **Clause 3 - Amendments**

5. Provides for the *Exotic Animal Disease Control Act 1989* to be amended by the Schedule.

## **SCHEDULE - AMENDMENTS OF THE PRINCIPAL ACT**

### ***Exotic Animal Disease Control Act 1989***

#### **Items 1 and 2: Section 24 - Interpretation**

6. This amendment replaces the references to the *Australian Meat and Live-stock Corporation Act 1977* and the *Meat Research Corporation Act 1985* with references to the *Meat and Live-stock Industry Act 1995* so that any money remaining after the sunset of the *Exotic Animal Disease Control Act 1989* on 30 June 1995 will be returned to the Australian Meat and Live-stock Corporation and the Meat Research Corporation to be used for industry's behalf. This is a consequential amendment arising from the introduction of the *Meat and Live-stock Industry Act 1995*.

