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THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

SENATE

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY (MARITIME INDUSTRY)
CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENTS BILL 1993

SUPPLEMENTARY EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

Amendment to be Moved on behalf of the Government

(Circulated by authority of the Minister for Transport and
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OUTLINE

The proposed amendment to the Occupational Health and Safety (Maritime Industry) Consequential Amendments Bill 1993 is a technical amendment to clarify the date of commencement of the Bill.

FINANCIAL IMPACT STATEMENT

There will be no financial impact resulting from the proposed amendment.

NOTE ON AMENDMENT

The amendment will insert "Division 4 of Part 1" after "day on which" in clause 2 of the Bill.

As amended, clause 2 will provide for the proposed Act to commence on the day on which Division 4 of Part 1 of the Principal Bill 1993 commences.

Division 4 of Part 1 of the Principal Bill concerns the additional functions conferred on the Seafarers Safety, Rehabilitation and Compensation Authority and Ministerial directions. The Occupational Health and Safety (Maritime Industry) Consequential Amendments Bill amends the *Seafarers Rehabilitation and Compensation Act 1992* to confer the additional functions on the Authority and related matters.