

CONSTITUTION (GOVERNOR'S SALARY) AMENDMENT BILL 1988

NEW SOUTH WALES



EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Explanatory Note relates to this Bill as introduced into Parliament)

The object of this Bill is to amend the Constitution Act 1902 so as to make provision for the salary of the Governor, and to repeal the Governor's Salary Act 1901.

Clause 1 specifies the short title of the proposed Act.

Clause 2 inserts a new section 91 into the Constitution Act 1902. Proposed section 91 provides that the annual salary of the Governor is \$80,000 or such *greater* amount as is determined by regulation. Such a regulation can only be made on the advice of a majority of the members present at a meeting of the full Executive Council (with no more than 3 members absent).

Clause 3 repeals the Governor's Salary Act 1901.

Clause 4 provides that the proposed Act does not affect the salary of a Governor holding office at or before the date of assent to the proposed Act.
