2001

THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY FOR THE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

(As presented)

(Attorney-General)

Electoral Amendment Bill 2001 (No 2)

A Bill for

An Act to amend the *Electoral Act 1992* because of the enactment of the *Electoral (Entrenched Provisions) Amendment Act 2001*

The Legislative Assembly for the Australian Capital Territory enacts as follows:

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1 Name of Act

This Act is the *Electoral Amendment Act 2001 (No 2)*.

2 Commencement

This Act commences on the commencement of the *Electoral* (*Entrenched Provisions*) *Amendment Act 2001*, section 4.

3 Act amended

This Act amends the *Electoral Act 1992*.

4 Place and hour of nomination Section 108 (2)

omit

22nd

substitute

23rd

5 Printing of ballot papers Section 116 (2)

substitute

(2) A ballot paper must not contain more than the relevant number of candidate's names in a column.

20 **Section 116 (3)**

omit everything before paragraph (a), substitute

(3) If there are more than the relevant number of candidates in a group—

7 Section 116 (5)

omit everything before paragraph (a), substitute

(5) If there are no grouped candidates and there are more than the relevant number of ungrouped candidates—

5 **New section 116 (8)**

insert

(8) In this section:

relevant number means—

- (a) for a 5 member electorate—5; or
- (b) for a 7 member electorate—7.

Endnote

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Act amended

1 Republished as in force on 31 March 1999. See also Acts 2000 Nos 50 and 76; 2001 No 3.

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