

PARLIAMENT OF VICTORIA

**Renewable Energy (Jobs and Investment)
Amendment Bill 2019**

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Introduced in the Assembly

Renewable Energy (Jobs and Investment) Amendment Bill 2019

A Bill for an Act to amend the **Renewable Energy (Jobs and Investment) Act 2017** to establish a target of 50% of electricity generated in Victoria to be sourced from renewable energy by 2030 and for other purposes.

The Parliament of Victoria enacts:

1 Purpose

The purpose of this Act is to amend the **Renewable Energy (Jobs and Investment) Act 2017**—

- 5 (a) to establish a renewable energy target of 50% for 2030; and
- 10 (b) to provide for a determination of the minimum amounts of renewable energy generation capacity required to meet the renewable energy target for 2030.

2 Commencement

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- (1) Subject to subsection (2), this Act comes into operation on a day or days to be proclaimed.
 - (2) If a provision of this Act does not come into operation before 13 August 2020, it comes into operation on that day.

3 Renewable energy targets

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- (1) In section 7(b) of the **Renewable Energy (Jobs and Investment) Act 2017**, for "into electricity." substitute "into electricity; and".
 - (2) After section 7(b) of the **Renewable Energy (Jobs and Investment) Act 2017** insert—

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"(c) by 2030, for 50% of electricity generated in Victoria to be generated by means of facilities that generate electricity by utilising renewable energy sources or converting renewable energy sources into electricity."

4 Capacity determinations

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- (1) In section 9(b) of the **Renewable Energy (Jobs and Investment) Act 2017**, for "2019." substitute "2019; and".
 - (2) After section 9(b) of the **Renewable Energy (Jobs and Investment) Act 2017** insert—

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"(c) the renewable energy target for 2030—by 31 December 2025."

5 Repeal of this Act

This Act is **repealed** on 13 August 2021.

Note

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The repeal of this Act does not affect the continuing operation of the amendments made by it (see section 15(1) of the **Interpretation of Legislation Act 1984**).

Endnotes

1 General information

See www.legislation.vic.gov.au for Victorian Bills, Acts and current authorised versions of legislation and up-to-date legislative information.