



New South Wales

# Rice Marketing Amendment Bill 2024

## Explanatory note

This explanatory note relates to this Bill as introduced into Parliament.

## Overview of Bill

The objects of this Bill are as follows—

- (a) to initially exclude rice cultivated and harvested in the Northern Rivers region from the operation of the *Rice Marketing Act 1983* (*the Act*),
- (b) to provide that all other rice vests in the Rice Marketing Board for the State of New South Wales (the *Board*) until 30 June 2025 only,
- (c) to provide for the winding up and dissolution of the Board,
- (d) to enable the Governor to repeal the Act by proclamation after the Board is dissolved,
- (e) to provide for consequential and savings and transitional matters.

## Outline of provisions

**Clause 1** sets out the name, also called the short title, of the proposed Act.

**Clause 2** provides for the commencement of the proposed Act on the date of assent to the proposed Act.

## Schedule 1 Amendment of Rice Marketing Act 1983 No 176

Schedule 1 gives effect to the objects set out in the overview.