
Acts of Parliament assented to

It is hereby notified, for general information, that Her Excellency the Governor-General, in the name of Her Majesty, assented to the undermentioned Acts passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives in the Parliament assembled, viz.:

Assented to on 17 November 2012:

No. 154 of 2012—An Act to amend the law relating to family assistance, social security, child support, paid parental leave and Indigenous education, and for related purposes. (*Social Security and Other Legislation Amendment (Further 2012 Budget and Other Measures) Act 2012*).

No. 155 of 2012—An Act to change the law relating to securities issued by the Commonwealth and beneficial interests in such securities, and for related purposes. (*Commonwealth Government Securities Legislation Amendment (Retail Trading) Act 2012*).

No. 156 of 2012—An Act to amend the law relating to higher education, vocational education and training and research funding, and for related purposes. (*Higher Education Support Amendment (Maximum Payment Amounts and Other Measures) Act 2012*).

Assented to on 21 November 2012:

No. 157 of 2012—An Act to amend the *Water Act 2007* in relation to long-term average sustainable diversion limits, and for related purposes. (*Water Amendment (Long-term Average Sustainable Diversion Limit Adjustment) Act 2012*).

B C Wright
Clerk of the House of Representatives