MOTOR VEHICLES (MISCELLANEOUS) AMENDMENT ACT 2000

No. 30 of 2000

[Assented to 6 July 2000]

An Act to amend the Motor Vehicles Act 1959.
SUMMARY OF PROVISIONS

1. Short title
2. Commencement
3. Amendment of s. 75A—Learner's permit
4. Amendment of s. 139—Inspection of motor vehicles
The Parliament of South Australia enacts as follows:

Short title
1. (1) This Act may be cited as the Motor Vehicles (Miscellaneous) Amendment Act 2000.

(2) The Motor Vehicles Act 1959 is referred to in this Act as "the principal Act".

Commencement
2. This Act will come into operation on a day to be fixed by proclamation.

Amendment of s. 75A—Learner’s permit
3. Section 75A of the principal Act is amended by striking out subsection (5aa) and substituting the following subsections:

(5aa) The holder of a learner’s permit must not drive a motor vehicle on a road in any part of the State at a speed exceeding that set out below:

(a) in circumstances where—

(i) the vehicle is fitted with a braking system that allows the application of the service brake from the seat in the vehicle next to the driver; and

(ii) the vehicle is, apart from having affixed to it a plate bearing the letter "L", otherwise readily identifiable as a vehicle used for driver instruction; and

(iii) the holder of a motor driving instructor’s licence occupies a seat in the vehicle next to the holder of the learner’s permit,

100 kilometres an hour;

(b) in any other circumstances—80 kilometres an hour.

Maximum penalty: $1 250.

(5ab) In subsection (5aa)—

"service brake" means the brake normally used to decelerate the vehicle.

Amendment of s. 139—Inspection of motor vehicles
4. Section 139 of the principal Act is amended—

(a) by striking out paragraph (a) of subsection (2);

(b) by striking out subsection (3).