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**INTERPRETATION AND  
GENERAL PROVISIONS  
(VALIDATION AND INDEMNITY)  
BILL 2009**

**(NO. 5 of 2009)**



**INTERPRETATION AND GENERAL  
PROVISIONS (VALIDATION AND  
INDEMNITY) BILL 2009**

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**BILL**

**Entitled**

**AN ACT** TO VALIDATE ALL SUBSIDIARY LEGISLATION MADE AFTER THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE INTERPRETATION AND GENERAL PROVISIONS (VALIDATION AND INDEMNITY) ACT 2005.

**ENACTED** by the National Parliament of Solomon Islands.

## INTERPRETATION AND GENERAL PROVISIONS (VALIDATION AND INDEMNITY) BILL 2009

Short title and  
commencement

1. This Act may be cited as the Interpretation and General Provisions (Validation and Indemnity) Act 2009, and commences on the date it is published in the *Gazette*.

Validation of  
subsidiary  
legislation

Cap. 85

2. (1) This section validates any subsidiary legislation made between the commencement of the Interpretation and General Provisions (Validation and Indemnity) Act 2005 and this Act but is not published in the *Gazette* or laid in Parliament pursuant to section 61 or 62 of the Interpretation and General Provisions Act.

(2) For the purposes of subsection (1), any such subsidiary legislation is deemed to have been published in the *Gazette* or laid before and approved by Parliament, pursuant to this subsection.

Validation of  
acts

Cap 85

3. For the purposes of section 2, any act done under such subsidiary legislation is validated, despite any non-compliance with section 61 or 62 of the Interpretation and General Provisions Act.

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**OBJECTS AND REASONS**

The Bill seeks to validate any subsidiary legislation that has not been published in the Gazette or laid in Parliament as required by section 61 or 62 of the Interpretation and General Provisions Act (Cap. 85).

PRIME MINISTER