

Adoption of Children Act 1958, Victoria

1959 – 1966

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Details

The Adoption of Children Act 1958 (Act no. 6192) was passed on 30 September 1958 and came into operation on 1 April 1959 (Gov. Gaz. 18 March 1959 p.892). It was “An Act to consolidate the Law relating to the Adoption of Infants.” It was repealed and re-enacted by the Adoption of Children Act 1964 (No.7147) on 1 January 1966. It also extended the rules of succession, which in previous legislation was limited in relation to wider family inheritances and introduced the requirement that the court appoint a person to safeguard the interests of the child in adoption proceedings before the court.

More info

Chronology

- Adoption of Children Act 1928, Victoria (1929 - 1959)
 - **Adoption of Children Act 1958, Victoria (1959 – 1966)**
 - Adoption of Children Act 1964, Victoria (1966 - 1987)
 - Adoption Act 1984, Victoria (1985 - current)

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