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EP&A Amendment Bill 2012

The Environmental Planning & Assessment Amendment Bill 2012 has recently passed through the NSW Parliament.

The Bill makes a number of changes to reduce red tape, return the status of a Development Control Plan (DCP) to their original purpose as a guideline and strengthen controls on accredited certifiers.

HIA are encouraged by the amendments as they will reduce time, costs and uncertainty associated with the preparation and assessment of applications.

Read more:

<http://www.planning.nsw.gov.au/HousingDelivery/ChangeToAssistHousingSupply/tabid/611/language/en-S/Default.aspx>

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