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A Bill

for

An Act to amend the *Mineral Resources Act 1989*

The Parliament of Queensland enacts— 1

Clause 1	Short title	2
	This Act may be cited as the <i>Mineral Resources Amendment Act (No. 2) 2008</i> .	3 4
Clause 2	Commencement	5
	This Act commences on a day to be fixed by proclamation.	6
Clause 3	Act amended	7
	This Act amends the <i>Mineral Resources Act 1989</i> .	8
Clause 4	Amendment of s 234 (Governor in Council may grant mining lease)	9 10
	Section 234(2)—	11
	<i>omit, insert—</i>	12
	‘(2) However, the following can not be specified in a mining lease—	13 14
	(a) coal seam gas;	15
	(b) uranium.	16
	<i>Note—</i>	17
	For the entitlement of a coal mining lease holder or an oil shale mining lease holder to mine coal seam gas, see section 318CM (Limited entitlement to mine coal seam gas).’.	18 19 20
Clause 5	Amendment of s 286A (Decision on application)	21
	Section 286A(1)—	22
	<i>insert—</i>	23
	‘(i) the proposed mining operations under the renewed lease do not include mining for uranium.’.	24 25

Clause 6	Insertion of new pt 19, div 13	1
	Part 19—	2
	<i>insert—</i>	3
‘Division 13	Transitional provisions for Mineral Resources Amendment Act (No. 2) 2008	4
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‘774	Mining leases already granted	7
	‘(1) This section applies to a mining lease granted before the commencement of this section.	8
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	‘(2) Section 234(2) as in force immediately before the commencement continues to apply to the mining lease, as if the amendment of the section under the <i>Mineral Resources Amendment Act (No. 2) 2008</i> had not been enacted.	10
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‘775	Undecided applications	14
	‘Sections 234 and 286A as in force immediately after the commencement of this section apply to an application for, or an application for renewal of, a mining lease made, but not decided, before the commencement of this section.’.	15
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