A BILL

entitled

REGISTRAR OF COMPANIES (COMPLIANCE MEASURES) AMENDMENT ACT 2026

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Registrar of Companies (Compliance Measures) Act 2017 to align the offence of further disclosure to the powers of the Registrar as provided in the Beneficial Ownership Act 2025;

Be it enacted by The King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and the House of Assembly of Bermuda, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

Citation

1 This Act may be cited as the Registrar of Companies (Compliance Measures) Amendment Act 2026.

Amends section 15A

2 Section 15A of the Registrar of Companies (Compliance Measures) Act 2017 is amended in subsection (1A) by inserting after "to another person" the words "except with the consent of the Registrar".

Commencement

3 This Act is deemed to have come into operation on 14 September 2026.

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EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Bill seeks to amend the Registrar of Companies (Compliance Measures) Act 2017 to align the offence of further disclosure to the powers of the Registrar as provided in the Beneficial Ownership Act 2025.

Clause 1 provides the citation for the Bill.

Clause 2 amends section 15A(1A) of the Registrar of Companies (Compliance Measures) Act 2017 by aligning the offence of further disclosure of information obtained from the Registrar, to reflect the authority of the Registrar to consent to further disclosure by persons who have a legitimate interest as referenced in section 18(1B) of the Beneficial Ownership Act 2025.

Clause 3 provides that the Bill is deemed to have come into operation on 14 September 2026, the same date as the Beneficial Ownership Amendment Act 2026.