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## ABOLITION OF DEPARTMENT AND ESTABLISHMENT OF DEPARTMENT.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General in council, in pursuance of Section 64 of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Australia, has been pleased to abolish the following Department of State of the Commonwealth, viz. :—

The Department of Works and Housing,

and to establish the following Department of State of the Commonwealth, viz. :—

The Department of Works.

A. FADDEN, Acting Prime Minister.

Government House,  
Canberra, 4th June, 1952.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General directs it to be notified for general information that he has been pleased to accept the resignation of—

The Honorable Wilfred Selwyn Kent Hughes, M.V.O., O.B.E., M.C., E.D., M.P.,  
from the office of Minister of State for Works and Housing.

M. L. TYRRELL  
Official Secretary and Comptroller  
to the Governor-General.

Government House,  
Canberra, 4th June, 1952.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General directs it to be notified for general information that he has been pleased to direct and appoint the following Member of the Executive Council, namely :—

The Honorable Wilfred Selwyn Kent Hughes, M.V.O., O.B.E., M.C., E.D., M.P.,  
to hold the office of Minister of State for Works, and to administer the Department of State connected with such office.

M. L. TYRRELL  
Official Secretary and Comptroller  
to the Governor-General.