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IT is notified for general information that Her Majesty The Queen has granted restricted permission for the acceptance and wearing of the following decorations by the undermentioned executive members of David Jones Limited with effect from 24th May, 1956.

Conferred by the President of the Republic of Italy:
COMMENDATORE OF THE ORDINE AL MERITO DELLA
REPUBBLICA.

Sir Charles Lloyd Jones.

UFFICIALE OF THE ORDINE AL MERITO DELLA REPUBBLICA.

Mr. David Lloyd Jones.

CAVALIERE OF THE ORDINE AL MERITO DELLA REPUBBLICA.

Mr. Robert Kidnie.

Mr. Frank Cox.

Mr. Roderick John Charles O'Loan.

Mr. Raymond Vincent Bishop.

Commonwealth of Australia. ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS.

I SIR JOHN NORTHCOTT, the Administrator of the Governadvice of the Federal Executive Council, do hereby order that—

(a) the Conciliation and Arbitration Act 1904-1956 shall,
subject to the next succeeding paragraph, be administered by the Minister of State for Labour and National

(b) the following provisions of the Conciliation and Arbitration Act 1904-1956 shall be administered by the Attorney-General, namely, section 6 (so far as it relates to the appointment of the President and the Deputy Presidents of the Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Commission), sections 7 to 11 (inclusive), sections 89 to 94 (inclusive), sections 98 to 103 (inclusive), Part VII. and section 198 (so far as it relates to prescribing the practice and procedure, and fees payable, in proceedings before the Commonwealth Industrial Court or the Commonwealth Court of Conciliation and Arbitration or prescribing matters for the

purposes of Part VII. of the Act);
(c) the Public Service Arbitration Act 1920-1956 and the Stevedoring Industry Act 1956 shall be administered by the Minister of State for Labour and National Service; and

(d) the Order of the Governor-General relating to Administrative Arrangements dated the twenty-first day of June, One thousand nine hundred and fifty-one, and published in the "Commonwealth of Australia Gazette" on the second day of July, One thousand nine hundred and fifty-one, shall operate subject to this Order and as if the words "Arbitration in relation to employment in the Commonwealth Public Service" appearing in the Second Column of that Order in relation to the Attorney-General's Department were omitted.

Given under my Hand and the Great Seal of the Common-(L.S.) wealth this thirtieth day of August, One thousand nine hundred and fifty-six.

J. NORTHCOTT, Administrator.

By His Excellency's Command,

A. W. FADDEN

for and on behalf of the Prime Minister.

—(Ex. Min. No. 35.)

PROCLAMATION

Commonwealth of Australia to wit.
J. NORTHCOTT Administrator.

By His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Commonwealth of Australia.

WHEREAS by sub-section (4.) of section 76 of the Public Service Act 1922-1955 it is provided that the Governor-General may, by proclamation at any time for any special occasion, appoint any specified day to be observed as a holiday in the public offices of the Commonwealth or in any part thereof.

And whereas it is desired in connexion with the Official Opening of the 1956 Olympic Games that a holiday be observed in the Commonwealth Offices in specified localities in the State of Victoria.

Now therefore I, Sir John Northcott, the Administrator aforesaid, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, do hereby appoint the twenty-second day of November, in the year of our Lord, One thousand nine hundred and fifty six, to be observed as a holiday in the public offices of the Commonwealth in the following specified localities:

Metropolitan Area of Melbourne; Borough of Ringwood; Shires of Bacchus Marsh, Berwick, Broadmeadows, Bulla, Cranbourne. Dandenong. Doncaster and Templestowe,

Metropolitan Area of Melbourne; Borough of Ringwood; Shires of Bacchus Marsh, Berwick, Broadmeadows, Bulla, Cranbourne, Dandenong, Doncaster and Templestowe, Eltham, Ferntree Gully, Frankston and Hastings, Gisborne, Keilor, Lilydale, Melton, Mornington, Mulgrave, Romsey, Werribee, Whittlesea.

Given under my Hand and the Great Seal of the Commonwealth this thirtieth day of August, in the year of our (L.S.) Lord, One thousand nine hundred and fifty six, and in the fifth year of Her Majesty's reign.

By His Excellency's Command,

E. J. HARRISON

acting for and on behalf of the Prime Minister.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

THE NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA.

PROCLAMATION

Commonwealth of Australia to wit.

J. NORTHCOTT
Administrator.

By His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Commonwealth of Australia.

WHEREAS by Proclamation dated the twenty-eighth day of March, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight and published in the South Australian "Government Gazette", dated

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