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Comparison Table between Administrative Arrangements Order

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| as approved on 8 February 1975 | Australian Government Gazette No. S 21 | [of] 10 February 1975 |
| amended on 28 February 1975 | Australian Government Gazette No. S 39 | [of] 28 February 1975 |
| amended on 4 March 1975 | Australian Government Gazette No. S 42 | [of] 4 March 1975 |
| amended on 27 March 1975 | Australian Government Gazette No. S 59 | [of] 27 March 1975 |
| amended on 21 April 1975 | Australian Government Gazette No. S 70 | [of] 21 April 1975 |
| and amended on 6 June 1975 | Australian Government Gazette No. S104 | [of] 6 June 1975 |

Indicates additions to principal matters dealt with or enactments administered whose titles have not been set out in full in the previous order.

Indicates matters no longer dealt with or enactments no longer administered by the department.

Indicates change of date in enactments.

| Name of Department | Principal Matters Dealt With | Enactments Administered by Minister | Notes |
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| - CA 1483, Department of Northern Development | <p>- In respect of the part of Australia north of the parallel 26 degrees south latitude -</p> <p>Matters related to the specialised development and utilisation of natural resources, being land, water and minerals</p> <p>Matters related to the production and marketing of sugar and beef, and the production, processing and export of minerals</p> <p>Specialised transport projects, including beef and development roads, mining railways and mineral port facilities</p> | Australian Archives | <p>Department abolished</p> <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> |

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| - CA 1483, Department of Northern Development (cont'd.) | | <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Queensland Grant (Kinchant Dam) Act 1973- Queensland Grant (Maraboon Dam) Act 1968- Queensland Grant (Proserpine Flood Mitigation) Act 1974- Queensland Grant (Ross River Dam) Act 1974- Railway Agreement (Queensland) Act 1961- Railway Agreement (Queensland) Act 1968- States Grants (Beef Cattle Roads) Act 1968-1974- Sugar Agreement Act 1971- Sugar Industry Assistance Act 1967- Sugar Marketing Assistance Agreement Act 1967- Weipa Development Agreement Act 1965- Western Australia Agreement (Ord River Irrigation) Act 1968- Western Australia (Northern Development) Agreement Act 1963 | <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> |
| - CA 1484, Department of the Northern Territory | - Administration of the Northern Territory of Australia and the Territory of Ashmore and Cartier Islands | <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Ashmore and Cartier Islands Acceptance Act 1933-1973- Darwin Lands Acquisition Act 1945 <p>Australian Archives</p> | <p>department abolished</p> <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> |

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| - CA 1484, Department of the Northern Territory (cont'd,) | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Northern Territory Acceptance Act 1910-1973 - Northern Territory (Administration) Act 1910-1974, except section 21 - Petroleum (Ashmore and Cartier Islands) Act 1967 - Petroleum (Submerged Lands) Act 1967-1974, in so far as that Act relates to matters concerning the area adjacent to the Northern Territory of Australia and the area adjacent to the Territory of Ashmore and Cartier Islands - Petroleum (Submerged Lands) (Exploration Permit Fees) Act 1967, in so far as that Act relates to matters concerning the area adjacent to the Northern Territory of Australia and the area adjacent to the Territory of Ashmore and Cartier Islands - Petroleum (Submerged Lands) (Pipeline Licence Fees) Act 1967, in so far as that Act relates to matters concerning the area adjacent to the Northern Territory of Australia and the area adjacent to the Territory of Ashmore and Cartier Islands - Petroleum (Submerged Lands) (Production Licence Fees) Act 1967, in so far as that Act relates to matters concerning the area adjacent to the Northern Territory of Australia and the area adjacent to the Territory of Ashmore and Cartier Islands | <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> |

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| - CA 1484, Department of the Northern Territory (cont'd.) | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Petroleum (Submerged Lands) (Registration Fees) Act 1967, in so far as that Act relates to matters concerning the area adjacent to the Northern Territory of Australia and the area adjacent to the Territory of Ashmore and Cartier Islands - Petroleum (Submerged Lands) (Royalty) Act 1967, in so far as that Act relates to matters concerning the area adjacent to the Northern Territory of Australia and the area adjacent to the Territory of Ashmore and Cartier Islands - Removal of Prisoners (Territories) Act 1923-1973, in relation to prisoners sentenced in the Northern Territory of Australia or the Territory of Ashmore and Cartier Islands | <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> <p>TO CA 1889, NORTHERN AUSTRALIA</p> |
| - CA 1486, Department of Science | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Science and technology, including research, support of research and support of civil space research programs - Meteorology - Ionospheric Prediction Service - Analytical laboratory service - Patents of inventions and designs, and trade marks | Australian Archives | <p>Department re-named</p> <p>TO CA 1888, SCIENCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS</p> <p>TO CA 1888, SCIENCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS</p> <p>TO CA 1888, SCIENCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS</p> <p>TO CA 1888, SCIENCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS</p> |

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| - CA 1486, Department of Science (cont'd.) | - Weights and measures - National standards | - Anglo-Australian Telescope Agreement Act 1970-1973 - Antarctic Treaty Act 1960 - Australian Antarctic Territory Acceptance Act 1933-1973 - Australian Antarctic Territory Act 1954-1973 - Australian Institute of Marine Science Act 1972-1973 - Defence (Transitional Provisions) Act 1946-1973, and Defence Transition (Residual Provisions) Act 1952-1973, in relation to the following Regulations - National Security (Industrial Property) Regulations; National Security (Supplementary) Regulations 62 and 100 - Designs Act 1906-1973 - Heard Island and McDonald Islands Act 1953-1973 Australian Archives | TO CA 1888, SCIENCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO CA 1888, SCIENCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO CA 1888, SCIENCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO CA 1888, SCIENCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO CA 1888, SCIENCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS Enactment no longer appearing TO CA 1888, SCIENCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO CA 1888, SCIENCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO CA 1888, SCIENCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS TO CA 1888, SCIENCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS |

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| <p>- CA 1486, Department of Science (cont'd.)</p> | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Meteorology Act 1955-1973 - Metric Conversion Act 1970-1973 - Mount Stromlo Observatory Act 1956-1973 - Patents Act 1952-1973 - Patents, Trade Marks, Designs and Copyright Act 1939-1973, except to the extent to which that Act is administered by the Attorney-General - Science and Industry Endowment Act 1926-1949 - Science and Industry Research Act 1949-1973 - States Grants (Research) Act 1965-1966 - Trade Marks Act 1955-1973 - Weights and Measures (National Standards) Act 1960-1973 <p>Australian Archives</p> | <p>TO CA 1888, SCIENCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS</p> <p>TO CA 1888, SCIENCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS</p> <p>TO CA 1888, SCIENCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS</p> <p>TO CA 1888, SCIENCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS</p> <p>TO CA 1888, SCIENCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS</p> <p>TO CA 1888, SCIENCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS</p> <p>TO CA 1888, SCIENCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS and CA 1482, MINERALS AND ENERGY, where that Act relates to mineral and solar energy research</p> <p>TO CA 1888, SCIENCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS</p> <p>TO CA 1888, SCIENCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS</p> <p>TO CA 1888, SCIENCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS</p> |

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| CA 1543, Department of Housing and Construction | - [implicit function of the provision of servicemens' homes] | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Defence Services Homes Act 1918-1974, except in so far as it relates to the insurance of dwelling houses under that Act - War Service Homes Agreement Act 1932 - War Service Homes (South Australia) Agreement Act 1934 | <p>TO CA 1493, URBAN AND REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT</p> <p>TO CA 1493, URBAN AND REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT</p> <p>Enactment no longer appearing</p> <p>Enactment no longer appearing</p> |
| CA 1770, Department of Manufacturing Industry | + [implicit function of financing of Industry by the Australian Government] | +d Australian Industry Development Corporation Act 1970-1975 | <p>FROM CA 11, TREASURY</p> <p>FROM CA 11, TREASURY</p> |
| CA 1481, Department of the Media | - Film making and development of the film industry | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Australian Film Development Corporation Act 1970-1973 | <p>TO CA 1401, PRIME MINISTER AND CABINET</p> <p>Enactment no longer appearing [TO CA 1401, PRIME MINISTER AND CABINET on Administrative arrangements 1 July 1975]</p> |
| CA 1482, Department of Minerals and Energy | + Mineral and solar energy research | <p>no change</p> <p>Australian Archives</p> | FROM CA 1486, SCIENCE |

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| CA 1401, Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet | + Film making and development of the film industry | + Australian Film Commission Act 1975 | FROM CA 1481, MEDIA |
| CA 1488, Department of Services and Property | <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Provision, acquisition and leasing of land and property, including office accommodation, in Australia for Australian Government purposes; control, use, management and disposal of such property; advisory services on fire protection thereof+ Control, use and management of land and property, including office accommodation, in Australia, for Australian Government purposes; advisory services on fire protection thereof+ Australian Government purchasing policy | | New enactment |
| | | Australian Archives | TO CA 1493, URBAN AND REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT, the function of the Acquisition, leasing and disposal of land and property, including office accommodation, in Australia for Australian Government purposes |
| | | | Previously provision, acquisition and leasing of land and property, including office accommodation in Australia for Australian Government purposes; control, use, management and disposal of such property; advisory services on fire protection thereof |
| | | | FROM CA 1490, SPECIAL MINISTER OF STATE |

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| CA 1488, Department of Services and Property (cont'd.) | | <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Lands Acquisition Act 1955-1973- Lands Acquisition (Defence) Act 1968 | <p>TO CA 1493, URBAN AND REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT</p> <p>TO CA 1493, URBAN AND REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT</p> |
| CA 1490, Department of the Special Minister of State | <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Australian Government purchasing policy | <p>no change</p> | <p>TO CA 1488, SERVICES AND PROPERTY</p> |
| CA 11, Department of the Treasury | <ul style="list-style-type: none">- [implicit function of financing of industry by the Australian Government | <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Australian Industry Development Corporation Act 1970-1973 | <p>TO CA 1770, MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY</p> <p>TO CA 1770, MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY [with change of date to 1975]</p> |
| CA 1493, Department of Urban and Regional Development | <ul style="list-style-type: none">+ [implicit function of provision of servicemens homes]+ Acquisition, leasing and disposal of land and property, including office accommodation, in Australia for Australian Government purposes | <ul style="list-style-type: none">+ Australian Housing Corporation Act 1975+ Defence Services Homes Act 1918-1974, except in so far as it relates to the insurance of dwelling houses under that Act <p>Australian Archives</p> | <p>FROM CA 1543, HOUSING AND CONSTRUCTION</p> <p>FROM CA 1488, SERVICES AND PROPERTY [previously stated as Provision, acquisition and leasing of land and property (See CA 1488, SERVICES AND PROPERTY)]</p> <p>New enactment</p> <p>FROM CA 1543, HOUSING AND CONSTRUCTION</p> |

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| CA 1493, Department of Urban and Regional Development (cont'd.) | | + Lands Acquisition Act 1955-1973 | FROM CA 1488, SERVICES AND PROPERTY |
| +CA 1889, Department of Northern Australia | | + Lands Acquisition (Defence) Act 1968 | FROM CA 1488, SERVICES AND PROPERTY |
| | | | New department |
| | + Administration of the Northern Territory of Australia and the Territory of Ashmore and Cartier Islands | | FROM CA 1484, NORTHERN TERRITORY |
| | + In respect of the part of Australia north of the parallel 26 degrees south latitude - | | FROM CA 1483, NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT |
| | Matters related to the specialised development and utilisation of natural resources, being land, water and minerals | | |
| | Matters related to the production and marketing of sugar and beef, and the production, processing and export of minerals | | |
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| + CA 1889, Department of Northern Australia (cont'd.) | <p>Specialised transport development projects, including beef and development roads, mining, railways and mineral port facilities</p> <p>+ In relation to the foregoing-</p> <p>The undertaking or support of research</p> <p>The planning or initiation of projects</p> <p>The co-ordination of activities in respect of projects</p> <p>Co-operation with the States and other authorities</p> | <p>+ Ashmore and Cartier Islands Acceptance Act 1933-1973</p> <p>+ Brigalow Lands Agreement Act 1962-1973</p> <p>+ Darwin Lands Acquisition Act 1945</p> <p>+ Darwin Reconstruction Act 1975</p> <p>+ Derby Jetty Agreement Act 1962</p> <p>+ Gladstone Power Station Agreement Act 1970</p> <p>Australian Archives</p> | <p>FROM CA 1483, NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT</p> <p>FROM CA 1484, NORTHERN TERRITORY</p> <p>FROM CA 1483, NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT</p> <p>FROM CA 1484, NORTHERN TERRITORY new enactment</p> <p>FROM CA 1483, NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT</p> <p>FROM CA 1483, NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT</p> |

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| | | + Petroleum (Submerged Lands) (Registration Fees) Act 1967, in so far as that Act relates to matters concerning the area adjacent to the Northern Territory of Australia and the area adjacent to the Territory of Ashmore and Cartier Islands | FROM CA 1484, NORTHERN TERRITORY |
| | | + Petroleum (Submerged Lands) (Royalty) Act 1967, in so far as that Act relates to matters concerning the area adjacent to the Northern Territory of Australia and the area adjacent to the Territory of Ashmore and Cartier Islands | FROM CA 1484, NORTHERN TERRITORY |
| | | + Queensland Beef Cattle Roads Agreement Act 1962-1973 | FROM CA 1483, NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT |
| | | + Queensland Grant (Bundaberg Irrigation Works) Act 1970-1974 | FROM CA 1483, NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT |
| | | + Queensland Grant (Clare Weir) Act 1974 | FROM CA 1483, NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT |
| | | + Queensland Grant (Dawson River Weirs) Act 1973 | FROM CA 1483, NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT |
| | | + Queensland Grant (Kinchant Dam) Act 1973 | FROM CA 1483, NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT |
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No. S 104

Canberra, Friday, 6 June 1975

SPECIAL

ABOLITION AND ESTABLISHMENT OF DEPARTMENTS AND RELATED MATTERS

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased:

- (1) to approve of the abolition, in pursuance of section 64 of the Constitution, of the following Departments of State, namely—
 - (a) The Department of the Northern Territory
 - (b) The Department of Northern Development
- (2) to approve of the abolition, in pursuance of the *Public Service Act 1922-1975*, of the following offices of Permanent Head, namely—
 - (a) The Office of The Secretary to the Department of the Northern Territory
 - (b) The Office of The Secretary to the Department of Northern Development
- (3) to approve of the abolition, in pursuance of the *Public Service Act 1922-1975*, of all Second, Third and Fourth Division offices in the Departments specified in (1) above
- (4) to approve of the establishment, in pursuance of section 64 of the Constitution, of a Department of State namely, The Department of Northern Australia
- (5) to approve of the creation, in pursuance of the *Public Service Act 1922-1975*, of the Office of The Secretary to the Department of Northern Australia to be the Permanent Head of The Department of Northern Australia
- (6) to approve the creation, pursuant to section 29 of the *Public Service Act 1922-1975*, of offices in the Department of Northern Australia, the same in number, designation, classification, salary, Division and location as those existing in the Second, Third and Fourth Divisions of the Department of the Northern Territory and in the Department of Northern Development immediately prior to 6 June 1975.
- (7) to approve of the following change in the name of a Department of State—

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| <i>From</i> | <i>To</i> |
| The Department of Science | The Department of Science and Consumer Affairs |
- (8) to approve of the following change in the name of an office of Permanent Head—

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| <i>From</i> | <i>To</i> |
| The Secretary to the Department of Science | The Secretary to the Department of Science and Consumer Affairs |

E. G. WHITLAM
Prime Minister

(Ex. Min. No. 23)

Government House

CANBERRA

6 June 1975

HIS Excellency the Governor-General directs it to be notified for general information that he has been pleased to accept the resignation of:

The Honourable Jim Cairns, M.P., as Treasurer;
The Honourable Bill Hayden, M.P., as Minister for Social Security;
Senator the Honourable Douglas McClelland, as Minister for the Media;
The Honourable L. H. Barnard, as Minister for Defence;
The Honourable Rex Patterson, M.P., as Minister for Northern Development and Minister for the Northern Territory;
The Honourable Lionel F. Bowen, M.P., as Special Minister of State;
The Honourable Les Johnson, M.P., as Minister for Housing and Construction;
The Honourable Kip Enderby, Q.C., M.P., as Minister for Police and Customs;
Senator the Honourable J. R. McClelland, as Minister for Manufacturing Industry;
The Honourable Mess Cass, M.P., as Minister for Environment;
Senator the Honourable J. L. Cavanagh, as Minister for Aboriginal Affairs;
The Honourable W. L. Morrison, M.P., as Minister for Science

and has determined the appointment of the Honourable Clyde R. Cameron, M.P., as Minister for Labor and Immigration.

By His Excellency's Command

DAVID N. REID
Acting Official Secretary to the Governor-General

Government House

CANBERRA

6 June 1975

HIS Excellency the Governor-General directs it to be notified for general information that he has been pleased to direct and appoint the following Members of the Federal Executive Council to hold the offices mentioned in connection with their respective names, and to administer the Departments of State connected with such offices, namely:

The Honourable Jim Cairns, M.P., Minister for Environment;
The Honourable Bill Hayden, M.P., Treasurer;
Senator the Honourable Douglas McClelland, Special Minister of State;
The Honourable Rex Patterson, M.P., Minister for Northern Australia;
The Honourable Lionel F. Bowen, M.P., Minister for Manufacturing Industry;
Senator the Honourable John Wheeldon, Minister for Social Security;
The Honourable Les Johnson, M.P., Minister for Aboriginal Affairs;
Senator the Honourable J. R. McClelland, Minister for Labor and Immigration;
The Honourable Moss Cass, M.P., Minister for the Media;
Senator the Honourable J. L. Cavanagh, Minister for Police and Customs;
The Honourable W. L. Morrison, M.P., Minister for Defence and Minister for Science and Consumer Affairs;
The Honourable J. M. Riordan, M.P., Minister for Housing and Construction.

By His Excellency's Command

DAVID N. REID

Acting Official Secretary to the Governor-General

AUSTRALIA

ACTS INTERPRETATION ACT 1901-1973

ORDER UNDER SECTION 19B

IN pursuance of section 19B of the *Acts Interpretation Act 1901-1973* and of all other powers me thereunto enabling, I, Sir John Robert Kerr, the Governor-General of Australia, acting with the advice of the Executive Council, hereby order that:

- (a) any reference in any Act, or in any instrument (including regulations) made or issued under any Act, to the Minister of State for Northern Development or to the Minister of State for the Northern Territory shall be read as a reference to the Minister of State for Northern Australia; and
- (b) any reference in any Act, or in any instrument (including regulations) made or issued under any Act, to the Department of Northern Development or to the Department of the Northern Territory shall be read as a reference to the Department of Northern Australia.

GIVEN under my Hand and the Great Seal of Australia on 6 June 1975.

(L.S.)

By His Excellency's Command,

KEP. ENDERBY

Attorney-General

JOHN R. KERR

Governor-General

(Ex. Min. No. 54)

ACTS INTERPRETATION ACT 1901-1973 IN ITS APPLICATION TO
ORDINANCES OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

ORDER UNDER SECTION 19B

IN pursuance of section 19B of the *Acts Interpretation Act 1901-1973* in its application to Ordinances of the Northern Territory of Australia by virtue of section 4 of the Interpretation Ordinance 1931 of that Territory as amended and in force in that Territory, I, Sir John Robert Kerr, the Governor-General of Australia, acting with the advice of the Executive Council, hereby order that any reference in any Ordinance of the Northern Territory of Australia, or in any instrument (including regulations) made or issued under any such Ordinance, to the Minister of State for the Northern Territory or to the Department of the Northern Territory shall be read as a reference to the Minister of State for Northern Australia or to the Department of Northern Australia, as the case may be.

GIVEN under my Hand and the Great Seal of Australia on 6 June 1975.

(L.S.)

By His Excellency's Command,

KEP. ENDERBY

Attorney-General

JOHN R. KERR

Governor-General

(Ex. Min. No. 54)

AUSTRALIA

ACTS INTERPRETATION ACT 1901-1973

ORDER UNDER SECTION 19B

IN pursuance of section 19B of the *Acts Interpretation Act 1901-1973* and of all other powers me thereunto enabling, I, Sir John Robert Kerr, the Governor-General of Australia, acting with the advice of the Executive Council, hereby order that:

- (a) any reference in any Act, or in an instrument (including regulations) made or issued under any Act, to the Minister of State for Science shall be read as a reference to the Minister of State for Science and Consumer Affairs; and
- (b) any reference in any Act, or in any instrument (including regulations) made or issued under any Act, to the Department of Science shall be read as a reference to the Department of Science and Consumer Affairs.

GIVEN under my Hand and the Great Seal of Australia on 6 June 1975.

JOHN R. KERR
Governor-General

(L.S.)

By His Excellency's Command,
KEP. ENDERBY
Attorney-General

(Ex. Min. No. 55)

AUSTRALIA

ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS

ORDER BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL

I, SIR JOHN ROBERT KERR, the Governor-General of Australia, acting with the advice of the Executive Council—

- (a) hereby revoke so much of the Administrative Arrangements Orders made on 8 February 1975, 28 February 1975, 4 March 1975, 27 March 1975 and 21 April 1975 as relates to the Department of Northern Development, the Department of the Northern Territory, the Department of Science and the Department of Services and Property;
- (b) hereby approve the following administrative arrangements:
 - (i) the matters dealt with by a Department of State specified in the first column of the Schedule to this Order include the matters specified in the second column of that Schedule and other matters arising under the enactments administered by the Minister of State administering that Department;
 - (ii) the enactments administered by the Minister of State administering that Department are the enactments specified in the third column of that Schedule and any other enactments, whether passed before or after the date of this Order, that relate to a matter dealt with by that Department (not being an enactment specified in the Administrative Arrangements Orders referred to in paragraph (a) or in this Order in relation to another Department);
 - (iii) the enactments administered by the Minister of State for Housing and Construction no longer include the *Defence Services Homes Act 1918-1974*, the *War Service Homes Agreement Act 1932* and the *War Service Homes (South Australia) Agreement Act 1934* and the matters dealt with by the Department of Housing and Construction no longer include matters arising under those Acts;
 - (iv) the enactments administered by the Minister of State for Manufacturing Industry include the *Australian Industry Development Corporation Act 1970-1973* and the matters dealt with by the Department of Manufacturing Industry include matters arising under that Act;
 - (v) the enactments administered by the Minister of State for the Media no longer include the *Australian Film Development Corporation Act 1970-1973* and the matters dealt with by the Department of the Media no longer include matters arising under that Act or the following matter, namely, Film-making and development of the film industry;
 - (vi) the matters dealt with by the Department of Minerals and Energy include the following matter, namely, Mineral and solar energy research;
 - (vii) the enactments administered by the Prime Minister include the *Australian Film Commission Act 1975* and the matters dealt with by the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet include matters arising under that Act;
 - (viii) the matters dealt with by the Department of the Special Minister of State no longer include the following matter, namely, Australian Government purchasing policy;
 - (ix) the enactments administered by the Treasurer no longer include the *Australian Industry Development Corporation Act 1970-1975* and the matters dealt with by the Department of the Treasury no longer include matters arising under that Act; and

- (x) the enactments administered by the Minister of State for Urban and Regional Development include the *Australian Housing Corporation Act 1975*, so much of the *Defence Services Homes Act 1918-1974* as does not relate to the insurance of dwelling houses under that Act, the *Lands Acquisition Act 1955-1973* and the *Lands Acquisition (Defence) Act 1968* and the matters administered by the Department of Urban and Regional Development include matters arising under the *Australian Housing Corporation Act 1975*, so much of the *Defence Services Homes Act 1918-1974* as does not relate to the insurance of dwelling houses under that Act, the *Lands Acquisition Act 1955-1973* and the *Lands Acquisition (Defence) Act 1968* and the following matter, namely, Acquisition, leasing and disposal of land and property, including office accommodation, in Australia for Australian Government purposes; and
- (c) hereby approve the continuation in force of the administrative arrangements set out in the Administrative Arrangements Orders referred to in paragraph (a), except in relation to the enactments and matters referred to in paragraph (b).

GIVEN under my Hand and the Great Seal of Australia on 6 June 1975.

(L.S.)

JOHN R. KERR
Governor-General

By His Excellency's Command,
E. G. WHITLAM
Prime Minister

(Ex. Min. No. 23)

THE SCHEDULE

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| Name of Department | Principal Matters dealt with | Enactments administered by Minister |
| The Department of Northern Australia | <p>Administration of the Northern Territory of Australia and the Territory of Ashmore and Cartier Islands</p> <p>In respect of the part of Australia north of the parallel 26 degrees south latitude—</p> <p>Matters related to the specialised development and utilisation of natural resources, being land, water and minerals</p> <p>Matters related to the production and marketing of sugar and beef, and the production, processing and export of minerals</p> <p>Specialised transport development projects, including beef and development roads, mining, railways and mineral port facilities</p> <p>In relation to the foregoing—</p> <p>The undertaking or support of research</p> <p>The planning or initiation of projects</p> <p>The co-ordination of activities in respect of projects</p> <p>Co-operation with the States and other authorities</p> | <p><i>Ashmore and Cartier Islands Acceptance Act 1933-1973</i></p> <p><i>Brigalow Lands Agreement Act 1962-1973</i></p> <p><i>Darwin Lands Acquisition Act 1945</i></p> <p><i>Darwin Reconstruction Act 1975</i></p> <p><i>Derby Jetty Agreement Act 1962</i></p> <p><i>Gladstone Power Station Agreement Act 1970</i></p> <p><i>International Sugar Agreement Act 1969</i></p> <p><i>Julius Dam Agreement Act 1974</i></p> <p><i>Northern Territory Acceptance Act 1910-1973</i></p> <p><i>Northern Territory (Administration) Act 1910-1974</i>, except section 21</p> <p><i>Petroleum (Ashmore and Cartier Islands) Act 1967</i></p> <p><i>Petroleum (Submerged Lands) Act 1967-1974</i>, in so far as that Act relates to matters concerning the area adjacent to the Northern Territory of Australia and the area adjacent to the Territory of Ashmore and Cartier Islands</p> <p><i>Petroleum (Submerged Lands) (Exploration Permit Fees) Act 1967</i>, in so far as that Act relates to matters concerning the area adjacent to the Northern Territory of Australia and the area adjacent to the Territory of Ashmore and Cartier Islands</p> <p><i>Petroleum (Submerged Lands) (Pipeline Licence Fees) Act 1967</i>, in so far as that Act relates to matters concerning the area adjacent to the Northern Territory of Australia and the area adjacent to the Territory of Ashmore and Cartier Islands</p> <p><i>Petroleum (Submerged Lands) (Production Licence Fees) Act 1967</i>, in so far as that Act relates to matters concerning the area adjacent to the Northern Territory of Australia and the area adjacent to the Territory of Ashmore and Cartier Islands</p> <p><i>Petroleum (Submerged Lands) (Registration Fees) Act 1967</i>, in so far as that Act relates to matters concerning the area adjacent to the Northern Territory of Australia and the area adjacent to the Territory of Ashmore and Cartier Islands</p> |

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| | | <p><i>Petroleum (Submerged Lands) (Royalty) Act 1967</i>, in so far as that Act relates to matters concerning the area adjacent to the Northern Territory of Australia and the area adjacent to the Territory of Ashmore and Cartier Islands</p> <p><i>Queensland Beef Cattle Roads Agreement Act 1962-1973</i></p> <p><i>Queensland Grant (Bundaberg Irrigation Works) Act 1970-1974</i></p> <p><i>Queensland Grant (Clare Weir) Act 1974</i></p> <p><i>Queensland Grant (Dawson River Weirs) Act 1973</i></p> <p><i>Queensland Grant (Kinchant Dam) Act 1973</i></p> <p><i>Queensland Grant (Maraboon Dam) Act 1968</i></p> <p><i>Queensland Grant (Proserpine Flood Mitigation) Act 1974</i></p> <p><i>Queensland Grant (Ross River Dam) Act 1974</i></p> <p><i>Railway Agreement (Queensland) Act 1961</i></p> <p><i>Railway Agreement (Queensland) Act 1968</i></p> <p><i>Removal of Prisoners (Territories) Act 1923-1973</i>, in relation to prisoners sentenced in the Northern Territory of Australia or the Territory of Ashmore and Cartier Islands</p> <p><i>States Grants (Beef Cattle Roads) Act 1968-1974</i></p> <p><i>Sugar Agreement Act 1971</i></p> <p><i>Sugar Industry Assistance Act 1967</i></p> <p><i>Sugar Marketing Assistance Agreement Act 1967</i></p> <p><i>Weipa Development Agreement Act 1965</i></p> <p><i>Western Australia Agreement (Ord River Irrigation) Act 1968</i></p> <p><i>Western Australia (Northern Development) Agreement Act 1963</i></p> |
| The Department of Science and Consumer Affairs | <p>Science and technology, including research, support of research and support of civil space research programs</p> <p>Meteorology</p> <p>Ionospheric Prediction Service</p> <p>Analytical laboratory service</p> <p>Patents of inventions and designs, and trade marks</p> <p>Weights and measures</p> <p>National standards</p> <p>Consumer affairs</p> | <p><i>Anglo-Australian Telescope Agreement Act 1970-1973</i></p> <p><i>Antarctic Treaty Act 1960</i></p> <p><i>Australian Antarctic Territory Acceptance Act 1933-1973</i></p> <p><i>Australian Institute of Marine Science Act 1972-1973</i></p> <p><i>Defence (Transitional Provisions) Act 1946-1973</i>, and <i>Defence Transition (Residual Provisions) Act 1952-1973</i>, in relation to the following Regulations:</p> <p>National Security (Industrial Property) Regulations</p> <p>National Security (Supplementary) Regulations 62 and 100</p> <p><i>Designs Act 1906-1973</i></p> <p><i>Heard Island and McDonald Islands Act 1953-1973</i></p> <p><i>Meteorology Act 1955-1973</i></p> <p><i>Metric Conversion Act 1970-1973</i></p> <p><i>Mount Stromlo Observatory Act 1956-1973</i></p> <p><i>Patents Act 1952-1973</i></p> <p><i>Patents, Trade Marks, Designs and Copyright Act 1939-1973</i>, except to the extent to which that Act is administered by the Attorney-General</p> <p><i>Science and Industry Endowment Act 1926-1949</i></p> <p><i>Science and Industry Research Act 1949-1973</i>, except in so far as it relates to mineral and solar energy research</p> <p><i>States Grants (Research) Act 1965-1966</i></p> <p><i>Trade Marks Act 1955-1973</i></p> <p><i>Weights and Measures (National Standards) Act 1960-1973</i></p> |
| The Department of Services and Property | <p>Elections and referendums</p> <p>Provision of accommodation, staff and other facilities for members of the Parliament other than in Parliament House</p> | <p><i>Australian Capital Territory Representation (House of Representatives) Acts 1973</i></p> <p><i>Australian Capital Territory Representation (House of Representatives) Act 1974</i></p> <p><i>Australian Electoral Office Acts 1973</i></p> |

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| | Control, use and management of land and property, including office accommodation, in Australia for Australian Government purposes; advisory services on fire protection thereof | <i>Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918-1973</i> <i>Defence (Transitional Provisions) Act 1946-1973</i> and <i>Defence Transition (Residual Provisions) Act 1952-1973</i> , in so far as they relate to National Security (General) Regulations 54, 55AA, 55A, 60A, 60G and 60J-60M |
| | Land, engineering and topographical surveys for Australian Government purposes | <i>Northern Territory Representation Act 1922-1968</i> <i>Referendum (Constitution Alteration) Act 1906-1973</i> |
| | Australian Government purchasing policy | <i>Representation Act 1905-1973</i> <i>Representation Act 1948-1973</i> <i>Senate Elections Act 1903-1948</i> <i>Senate Elections Act 1966</i> <i>Senate (Representation of Territories) Act 1973</i> |