

## NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

#### No. 39 of 1989

# AN ACT

#### to amend the Registration Act

[Assented to 20 September 1989]

**B** it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the Northern Territory of Australia, with the assent as provided by the Northern Territory (Self-Government) Act 1978 of the Commonwealth, as follows:

1. SHORT TITLE

This Act may be cited as the Registration Amendment Act 1989.

2. POWERS AND DUTIES OF REGISTRAR-GENERAL

Section 6 of the *Registration Act* is amended by omitting subsection (2) and substituting the following:

"(2) The Registrar-General may, by writing signed by him, delegate to a person any of his powers and functions under this or any other Act (except this power of delegation), and may do so either generally, or with respect to a matter or class or description of matters specified in the instrument of delegation, or subject to any other limitations, qualifications or conditions so specified.

"(3) A power or function delegated under subsection (2), when exercised or performed by the delegate, shall be deemed for all purposes to have been exercised or performed by the Registrar-General.

"(4) A delegation under subsection (2) does not prevent the exercise of a power or the performance of a function by the Registrar-General in person.

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- "(5) The Registrar-General may give directions -
- (a) to a Deputy Registrar-General with respect to the Deputy Registrar-General's exercise or performance of any power or function by virtue of section 5(2); and
- (b) to the delegate of a power or function under subsection (2) - with respect to the delegate's exercise or performance of that power or function.".

#### 3. FURTHER AMENDMENTS

The Registration Act is further amended as provided in the Schedule.

#### SCHEDULE

Section 3

#### AMENDMENTS

Provision	Amendment	
	omit	substitute
Long title and sections 1 and 2	"Ordinance" (wherever occurring)	"Act"
Section 3	the whole section	
Section 4	all words after "situated"	"in Darwin and at Alice Springs, and at such other places in the Territory as the Minister may from time to time approve."
Section 5(2)	"Northern"	
Section 6(1)	"for the Northern Territory"	
	"Northern" (wherever occurring)	
	"that Territory"	"the Territory"

### SCHEDULE - continued

Provision	Amendment	
	omit	substitute
Section 8	"of the Northern Territory of Australia"	
	"Registration Ordinance"	"Registration Act"
Section 9	"Northern" (second occurring)	
Section 10(1)	"any error or omission on the part of an officer of the Depart- ment administering the Northern Territory or to"	
	"for the Northern Territory" (twice occurring)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
	"Northern" (twice occurring)	
Section 10(2)	"Northern"	
Section 10(3)	"Ordinance"	"Act"
	"Northern"	
Schedule	the whole Schedule	

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