



NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

No. 45 of 1984

AN ACT

To amend the *Mining Act*

[Assented to 25 September 1984]

BE 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 *Mining Amendment Act 1984*.

2. COMMENCEMENT

(1) Subject to sub-section (2), this Act shall come into operation on a date to be fixed by the Administrator by notice in the *Gazette*.

(2) Section 4 shall be deemed to have come into operation on the commencement of the *Mining Act 1980*.

3. APPROVAL OF OWNER REQUIRED IN RESPECT OF CERTAIN AREAS

Section 72 of the *Mining Act* is amended by omitting from paragraph (a) "a yard" and substituting "a residence, yard".

4. SAVINGS AND TRANSITIONAL

Section 191 of the *Mining Act* is amended -

(a) by omitting from sub-section (19) -

(i) "a miner" and substituting "the holder of a miner's right issued under the repealed Act"; and

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- (ii) "he may continue" and substituting "he may, notwithstanding the expiration of the term for which that miner's right was issued, continue";
 - (b) by omitting from sub-section (20) -
 - (i) "a miner" and substituting "the holder of a miner's right issued under the repealed Act"; and
 - (ii) "he shall continue" and substituting "he shall, notwithstanding the expiration of the term for which that miner's right was issued, continue"; and
 - (c) by omitting from sub-section (29) "a miner who, immediately before the commencement of this Act, held land under a miner's right issued under the repealed Act" and substituting "the holder of a miner's right issued under the repealed Act who, immediately before the commencement of this Act, held land under that miner's right".
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