

NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

No. 26 of 1983

AN ACT

To amend the Medical Practitioners Registration Act

[Assented to 24 June 1983]

B^E 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 Medical Practitioners Registration Amendment Act 1983.

COMMENCEMENT

This Act shall come into operation on a date to be fixed by the Administrator by notice in the Gazette.

3. PRINCIPAL ACT

The Medical Practitioners Registration Act is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.

4. COLLECTION OF FEES

Section 19(1) of the Principal Act is amended by omitting "prescribed" and substituting "determined under section 19A".

5. NEW SECTION

The Principal Act is amended by inserting after section 19 the following:

"19A. DETERMINATION OF FEES

"The Minister may, by notice in the Gazette, determine the fees payable under this Act.".

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REGISTRATION AND PRACTISING CERTIFICATES

Section 29A of the Principal Act is amended -

- (a) by omitting from sub-section (1) "prescribed" and substituting "determined under section 19A for the purposes of this sub-section";
- (b) by omitting from sub-section (5) "prescribed fee" and substituting "fee determined under section 19A for the purposes of this subsection"; and
- (c) by omitting from sub-sections (8) and (12) "prescribed fee" and substituting "fee referred to in sub-section (5)".

CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

Section 42B(1) of the Principal Act is amended by omitting "prescribed fee" and substituting "fee determined under section 19A for the purposes of this sub-section".

8. REGULATIONS

Section 43 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting paragraph (d).

9. SAVINGS

Notwithstanding the amendments effected by this Act, a prescribed fee referred to in section 29A(1), (5), (8), (12) or 42B(1) of the Principal Act as in force immediately before the commencement of this Act shall continue to be payable in respect of the matter referred to in that section as amended by this Act until the Minister makes a determination under section 19A of the Principal Act, as amended by this Act, in relation to that matter, as if the Minister had so determined that fee on the commencement of this Act.