

# NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

No. 91 of 1982

# AN ACT

To amend the Legal Practitioners Act

[Assented to 14 December 1982]

**B**<sup>E</sup> 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 Legal Practitioners Amendment Act (No. 2) 1982.

## COMMENCEMENT

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

### 3. DEFINITIONS

Section 6 of the Legal Practitioners Act is amended by omitting "IX, X and XI" and substituting "IX and X".

#### 4. CERTAIN PRACTITIONERS TO HOLD PRACTISING CERTIFICATES

Section 22 of the *Legal Practitioners* Act is amended by inserting after sub-section (3) the following:

"(3A) A legal practitioner, other than the Solicitor-General or the Crown Solicitor within the meaning of the Law Officers Act, who is an employee, within the meaning of the Public Service Act, in the Department of Law, shall not practise in the Territory as a legal practitioner unless he holds, or is, in pursuance of section 30, to be deemed to hold, a current restricted practising certificate.".