



## NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

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No. 109 of 1981

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### AN ACT

To amend the Justices Act

[Assented to 21 December 1981]

**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 Justices Amendment Act 1981.

2. COMMENCEMENT

This Act shall come into operation on the commencement of the Local Courts Amendment Act 1981.

3. CLERKS OF COURT

Section 42 of the Justices Act is amended by omitting subsection (4).

4. TRANSITIONAL

A person who, immediately before the commencement of this Act, was a deputy of the clerk of a Local Court for the purposes of section 42(4) of the Justices Act shall, on the commencement of this Act, be deemed to be an Assistant Clerk within the meaning of the Local Courts Act in respect of the Local Court to which he was appointed.