



NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

No. 77 of 1981

AN ACT

To amend the Electricity Commission Act

[Assented to 21 September 1981]

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 Electricity Commission Amendment Act 1981.

2. CHARGES FOR THE SUPPLY OF ELECTRICITY

Section 30 of the Electricity Commission Act is amended by omitting sub-section (3) and substituting the following:

"(3) Where some or all of the electricity supplied by the Commission or a licensee to a person is passed through a meter for the purpose of ascertaining the quantity of electricity so supplied and, during the period between one reading of the meter on behalf of the Commission or a licensee and the next such reading of the meter, a regulation made under this section affecting charges applicable to electricity passed through the meter commences to have effect, the quantity of electricity ascertained, by reference to the meter, as having been supplied by the Commission or a licensee to the person during that period shall be charged for as if the whole of that electricity had been supplied on or after that date."