

NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

STATUTE LAW REVISION ACT

No. 29 of 1981

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## AN ACT

To revise and correct the law of the Territory in minor respects

[Assented to 25 March 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 Statute Law Revision Act 1981.

### 2. STATUTE LAW REVISION

The provisions of the Acts specified in Column 1 of Schedule 1 are respectively amended as provided in Column 2 of that Schedule.

### 3. REPEAL

The Acts specified in Schedule 2 are repealed.

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Statute Law Revision

SCHEDULE 1

AMENDMENTS

Section 2

Column 1	Column 2	
Provision of the Principal Act	Amendment	
	Omit	Substitute
<u>Aboriginal Sacred Sites Act</u>		
Section 23(6)	"this Ordinance"	"this Act"
<u>Administration and Probate Act</u>		
Section 3	"First Schedule" (wherever occurring)	"Schedule 1"
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Section 57(1) and (2)	"Fourth Schedule" (wherever occurring)	"Schedule 4"
Section 66	"Sixth Schedule" (wherever occurring)	"Schedule 6"
Section 68(3)(d)	"1,000 dollars"	"\$1,000"
Section 70	"Sixth Schedule" (wherever occurring)	"Schedule 6"

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Column 1	Column 2	
Provision of the Principal Act	Amendment	
	Omit	Substitute
Section 70(5)	"the last 2 preceding sub-sections"	"sub-sections (3) and (4)"
Section 99	"Nothing in the last 3 preceding sections"	"Nothing in section 96, 97 or 98"
Section 103(7)	"sub-section (4) or sub- section (5)"	"sub-section (4) or (5)"
Section 153	"Third Schedule"	"Schedule 3"
Sections 55(1), 87(2), 149(b), (c), 150(1) and (2)	"Ordinance" (wherever occurring)	"Act"
The Schedules	"THE SCHEDULES"	
	"FIRST SCHEDULE"	"SCHEDULE 1"
	"SECOND SCHEDULE"	"SCHEDULE 2"
	"THIRD SCHEDULE"	"SCHEDULE 3"
	"FOURTH SCHEDULE"	"SCHEDULE 4"
	"FIFTH SCHEDULE"	"SCHEDULE 5"
	"SIXTH SCHEDULE" (wherever occurring)	"SCHEDULE 6"
Schedule 6 - item 2	"10,000 dollars" (wherever occurring)	"\$10,000"
Schedule 6 - item 3	"50,000 dollars" (wherever occurring)	"\$50,000"
<u>Adoption of Children Act</u>		
Section 5(2), (3) and (4)	"this Ordinance" (wherever occurring)	"this Act"

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Column 1	Column 2	
Provision of the Principal Act	Amendment	
	Omit	Substitute
Heading to Part III	"THIS ORDINANCE"	"THIS ACT"
Section 46(1)	"this Ordinance"	"this Act"
<u>Age of Majority Act</u>		
Section 5	"5. This section"	"5.(1) This section"
Section 5(3)	"Subject to sections 10 and 11, nothing"	"Nothing"
<u>Associations Incorporation Act</u>		
Section 23C	"section 23D, section 23E and section 23F"	"sections 23D, 23E and 23F"
Sections 8(2), 10 and 17(4)	"Ordinance" (wherever occurring)	"Act"
<u>Auctioneers Act</u>		
Section 4	"this Ordinance" (wherever occurring)	"this Act"
	"400 dollars"	"\$400"
Section 8C(1)	"the sum of 20 dollars"	"\$20"
Section 8C(2)	"the sum of 10 dollars"	"\$10"
Section 8G(1)	"the sum of 10 dollars"	"\$10"
Section 8G(2)	"the sum of 5 dollars"	"\$5"
Section 12	"40 dollars"	"\$40"

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Column 1	Column 2	
Provision of the Principal Act	Amendment	
	Omit	Substitute
Sections 13, 14(3), 15 and 16	"100 dollars" (wherever occurring)	"\$100"
Long title and sections 1, 2(2), 3, 3A(1), 8J, 10, 17, 18 and 19	"Ordinance" (wherever occurring)	"Act"
<u>Brands Act</u>		
Section 10	" <u>Stock Routes and Travelling Stock Ordinance</u> "	" <u>Stock Routes and Travelling Stock Act</u> "
	" <u>Stock Diseases Ordinance</u> "	" <u>Stock Diseases Act</u> "
Section 13	"100 dollars"	"\$100"
Section 15(1)	"sub-section (2) of section 14"	"section 14(2)"
Section 22(2)	"paragraph (a) of sub- section (1)"	"sub-section (1)(a)"
Section 23	"40 dollars"	"\$40"
Section 24(1)	"Supreme Court of the Territory"	"Supreme Court"
	"paragraph (a) of section 22 or under section 22A"	"section 22(1)(a) or 22A"
Section 24(2)(c)	"sub-section (2) of section 22"	"section 22(2)"
Section 25(1)	"paragraph (a) of section 22 or under section 22A"	"section 22(1)(a) or 22A"

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Column 1	Column 2	
Provision of the Principal Act	Amendment	
	Omit	Substitute
Section 26A	" <u>Stock Diseases Ordinance</u> "	" <u>Stock Diseases Act</u> "
Sections 27, 29 and 30(1)	"of the Territory" (wherever occurring)	
Sections 31, 32, 33, 34, 38, 39, 40 and 43	"400 dollars" (wherever occurring)	"\$400"
Sections 35, 36, 36A, 41(1), 42A(2), 42AA(2) and 42B(1)	"200 dollars" (wherever occurring)	"\$200"
Sections 37, 44A, 56A and 59(1)	"100 dollars" (wherever occurring)	"\$100"
Section 42A	" <u>Stock Routes and Travelling Stock Ordinance</u> "	" <u>Stock Routes and Travelling Stock Act</u> "
Section 42AA(1)	"this Ordinance"	"this Act"
	" <u>Stock Routes and Travelling Stock Ordinance</u> "	" <u>Stock Routes and Travelling Stock Act</u> "
Section 42AA(3)(b)	"this Ordinance"	"this Act".
	" <u>Pounds Ordinance</u> "	" <u>Pounds Act</u> "
Section 42AA(4)(b)	" <u>Stock Routes and Travelling Stock Ordinance</u> "	" <u>Stock Routes and Travelling Stock Act</u> "
Section 44	"20 dollars"	"\$20"

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Column 1	Column 2	
Provision of the Principal Act	Amendment	
	Omit	Substitute
Long title and sections 1, 2, 4, 5, 6(2)(b), 7, 12(1), 20, 22(1)(f), 22A, 25(4), 26(2), 29A, 31, 32, 33, 35, 42, 42A(2)(b), 42B(1)(b), 45, 51, 52, 53, 58 and 59	"Ordinance" (wherever occurring)	"Act"
<u>Business Names Act</u>		
Sections 2 and 4(3)	"Ordinance" (wherever occurring)	"Act"
<u>Cemeteries Act</u>		
Section 4		
- definition of "Aboriginal land"	" <u>Aboriginal Land Rights (Northern Territory) Act 1976</u> "	" <u>Aboriginal Land Rights (Northern Territory) Act 1976 of the Commonwealth</u> "
- definition of "legally qualified medical practitioner"	" <u>Medical Practitioners Registration Ordinance</u> "	" <u>Medical Practitioners Registration Act</u> "
Section 6(1A)	" <u>Aboriginal Land Rights (Northern Territory) Act 1976</u> "	" <u>Aboriginal Land Rights (Northern Territory) Act 1976 of the Commonwealth</u> "
Section 6A	" <u>Social Welfare Ordinance</u> (wherever occurring)"	" <u>Social Welfare Act</u> "



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Provision of the Principal Act	Amendment	
	Omit	Substitute
Section 9(5)	"paragraph (b) or (c) of sub-section (1) of section 7"	"section 7(1)(b) or (c)"
Section 9(6)	"any of the 3 preceding sub-sections"	"sub-section (3), (4) or (5)"
Section 15	"this Ordinance"	"this Act"
	"1,000 dollars"	"\$1,000"
Section 17	"400 dollars"	"\$400"
Section 18	"21 years"	"18 years"
Section 20	"this Ordinance"	"this Act"
	"1,000 dollars"	"\$1,000"
Section 21	"200 dollars"	"\$200"
Sections 22 and 26	"100 dollars" (wherever occurring)	"\$100"
Sections 23 and 24	"40 dollars" (wherever occurring)	"\$40"
Section 28	"sub-section (2) of section 27"	"section 27(2)"
	"100 dollars"	"\$100"
Section 29(3)	"paragraph (b) or (c) of sub-section (1) of section 7"	"section 7(1)(b) or (c)"
Section 31	"other servants"	"other persons"
	"this Ordinance"	"this Act"
Section 37	"200 dollars"	"\$200"

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Column 1	Column 2	
Provision of the Principal Act	Amendment	
	Omit	Substitute
Section 38	"this Ordinance"	"this Act"
	"sub-section (2) of section 5"	"section 5(2)"
Section 40(m)	"100 dollars"	"\$100"
Long title and sections 1, 2, 4, 5, 8, 12(1), 13(b), 13A, 16, 26, 30, 32(1), (2), 39(b) and 40	"Ordinance" (wherever occurring)	"Act"
<u>Child Welfare Act</u>		
Section 9(2)(f)	"the last 5 preceding paragraphs"	"paragraphs (a) to (e) inclusive"
Sections 5, 13(1)(d), 17(2), 35(2), 36(1)(b)(iii), 37(1), (2), 37A(3), 40, 62(3)(a)(iii), 73(1), 76C, 80(a), 89(1) and 95(2)(b)	"Ordinance" (wherever occurring)	"Act"
<u>Companies (Unclaimed Assets and Moneys) Act</u>		
Section 5	"this Ordinance"	"this Act"
- definition of "company"	"Companies Ordinance"	"Companies Act"
	"Co-operative Trading Societies Ordinance"	"Co-operative Trading Societies Act"

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Column 1	Column 2	
Provision of the Principal Act	Amendment	
	Omit	Substitute
- definition of "the Registrar"	" <u>Companies Ordinance</u> "	" <u>Companies Act</u> "
Section 9(1)	"this Ordinance"	"this Act"
	"First Schedule"	"Schedule 1"
Section 10	"Second Schedule"	"Schedule 2"
Sections 11 and 13	"4 dollars" (wherever occurring)	"\$4"
Section 14(3)	"200 dollars"	"\$200"
The Schedules	"THE SCHEDULES"	
Schedule 1	"FIRST SCHEDULE"	"SCHEDULE 1"
Schedule 2	"SECOND SCHEDULE"	"SCHEDULE 2"
	" <u>Companies (Unclaimed Assets and Moneys) Ordinance</u> "	" <u>Companies (Unclaimed Assets and Moneys) Act</u> "
	"the Ordinance"	"the Act"
	" <u>Statutory Declarations Act 1959</u> "	" <u>Oaths Act</u> "
Long title and sections 1, 2, 7(3), 8 and 17	"Ordinance" (wherever occurring)	"Act"
<u>Consumer Protection Act</u>		
Section 4	"this Ordinance" (wherever occurring)	"this Act"
- definition of "employee"	" <u>Public Service Ordinance</u> "	" <u>Public Service Act</u> "

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Column 1	Column 2	
Provision of the Principal Act	Amendment	
	Omit	Substitute
Section 19(7)	"500 dollars"	"\$500"
Section 23	"this Ordinance"	"this Act"
	"500 dollars"	"\$500"
Long title and sections 1, 2, 8(2), 12(b), 18(5), (6), 20(3), 21, 22, 24 and 26	"Ordinance" (wherever occurring)	"Act"
<u>Contracts Act</u>		
Section 1	"this Ordinance"	"this Act"
Long title and sections 3, 4, 6, 7(1)(c) and 8	"Ordinance" (wherever occurring)	"Act"
<u>Control of Roads Act</u>		
Section 4	"First Schedule"	"Schedule 1"
Section 5		
- definition of "Registrar-General"	" <u>Registration Ordinance</u> "	" <u>Registration Act</u> "
- definition of "road"	"provisions of the <u>Mining Ordinance</u> "	" <u>Mining Act</u> "
- definition of "Surveyor-General"	" <u>Licensed Surveyors Ordinance</u> "	" <u>Licensed Surveyors Act</u> "

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Column 1	Column 2	
Provision of the Principal Act	Amendment	
	Omit	Substitute
- definition of "the <u>Gazette</u> "	the whole definition	
Section 9(3)	"of the provisions of this Ordinance" (twice occurring)	"this Act"
	"this Ordinance"	"this Act"
Section 11A(3)	"paragraph (b), (c) or (d) of sub-section (1)"	"sub-section (1)(b), (c) or (d)"
Section 14	"the provisions of this Ordinance"	"this Act"
Section 15	"the provisions of"	
	"the provisions of this Ordinance"	"this Act"
Section 15(e) and (f)	"this Ordinance"	"this Act"
Section 15(g)	"the provisions of this Ordinance"	"this Act"
Section 22A(1) and (2)	"sub-section (3) of section 22"	"section 22(3)"
Section 22A(3)	"this Ordinance"	"this Act"
Section 27	"sub-section (1) of section 24"	"section 24(1)"
Section 29(1) and (4)	"this Ordinance"	"this Act"
Section 29(2)	"the provisions of this Ordinance"	"this Act"

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Column 1	Column 2	
Provision of the Principal Act	Amendment	
	Omit	Substitute
Section 29(3)	"the provisions of"	
	"400 dollars"	"\$400"
Section 30	"the provisions of this Ordinance"	"this Act"
	"the provisions of section 29"	"section 29"
Section 32	"any other provision of this Ordinance"	"anything contained in this Act"
Section 36	" <u>Crown Lands Ordinance</u> "	" <u>Crown Lands Act</u> "
Sections 38(1), 39, 40 and 41	"200 dollars" (wherever occurring)	"\$200"
Section 42	"Third Schedule" (twice occurring)	"Schedule 3"
Sections 42 and 43	"200 dollars"	"\$200"
Section 43(c)	"Fourth Schedule"	"Schedule 4"
	"Third Schedule"	"Schedule 3"
Section 45(1)	"400 dollars"	"\$400"
Section 45(3)	"paragraph (a), (b), (c), (e) or (f) of sub-section (1)"	"sub-section (1)(a), (b), (c), (e) or (f)"
Section 47	"of the provisions of"	"sections"
Section 48	"a provision of"	
	"of that provision"	"this Part"

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Column 1	Column 2	
Provision of the Principal Act	Amendment	
	Omit	Substitute
Section 49(c)	"Ordinance"	"Act"
Section 49(f)	"the provisions of" (twice occurring)	
Section 50	"Ordinance"	"Act"
	"200 dollars"	"\$200"
Section 50A(1)	"Ordinance"	"Act"
Section 50A(3)(a)	"paragraph (a) of sub-section (2)"	"sub-section (2)(a)"
Section 50A(3)(b)	"paragraph (b) of sub-section (2)"	"sub-section (2)(b)"
Section 50F(1)	"Ordinance"	"Act"
Section 50F(2)(a) and (f)	<u>"Weights and Measures Ordinance"</u>	<u>"Weights and Measures Act"</u>
Section 50G	"a provision of this Ordinance"	"this Act"
	"sub-paragraph (i), (ii), (iii), or (iv) of paragraph (f) of sub-section (2)"	"sub-section (2)(f)(i), (ii) (iii) or (iv)"
Section 50H	"a provision of this Ordinance"	"this Act"
Section 50H(b)	"this Ordinance"	"this Act"
Section 50H(d)	<u>"Weights and Measures Ordinance"</u>	<u>"Weights and Measures Act"</u>
Sections 51 and 52	"400 dollars"	"\$400"

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Column 1	Column 2	
Provision of the Principal Act	Amendment	
	Omit	Substitute
Section 53	"the provisions of"	
Section 54	"400 dollars"	"\$400"
Sections 55 and 56	"100 dollars"	"\$100"
Section 57	"400 dollars"	"\$400"
Sections 58 and 59	"100 dollars"	"\$100"
Section 60	"of the provisions"	
	"50 dollars"	"\$50"
Section 60A	"100 dollars"	"\$100"
Section 61(1)	"a provision of this Ordinance"	"this Act"
	"in that provision"	
Section 61(3)(a)	" <u>Motor Vehicles Ordinance</u> "	" <u>Motor Vehicles Act</u> "
Section 61(3)(b)	"that Ordinance"	"that Act"
Long title and sections 1, 2, 7A, 7B, 23, 24, 26, 33, 34, 35, 38A(11), 44 and 62	"Ordinance" (wherever occurring)	"Act"
<u>Pay-roll Tax Act</u>		
Sections 6(2)(a) and 15	"Ordinance"	"Act"
Section 17D(3)(e)	"if persons"	"persons"



Statute Law Revision

Column 1		Column 2
Provision of the Principal Act		Amendment
	Omit	Substitute
<u>Traffic Act</u>		
Section 5 - definition of "authorized analyst"	"8P"	"8N"
Section 8D(1A)	" <u>Traffic Act 1979</u> "	" <u>Traffic Act (No. 2) 1979</u> "

SCHEDULE 2

Section 3

ACTS REPEALED

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Leases Validation Ordinance 1958 (No. 13 of 1958)

Licensing Court Proceedings Validating Ordinance 1950  
(No. 13 of 1950)

Trade Union Ordinance 1922 (No. 13 of 1922)

