

# THE NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

No. 65 of 1978

## AN ORDINANCE

Relating to the remuneration payable to  
members of the Legislative Assembly

[Assented to 5 July 1978]

**B**E it ordained by the Legislative Assembly for the Northern Territory  
of Australia as follows:

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Legislative  
Assembly (Remuneration of Members) Ordinance 1978.

Short  
title

2. In this Ordinance, unless the contrary  
intention appears -

Defini-  
tions

"member" means a member of the Legislative  
Assembly;

"remuneration" means salary, allowances or  
salary and allowances to be paid to a  
member by reason of his membership of  
the Legislative Assembly, or by reason  
of his holding a particular office or  
offices, or performing a particular  
function or functions in, or in  
relation to, the Legislative Assembly;

"Tribunal" means the Remuneration Tribunal  
established by section 4(1) of the  
Remuneration Tribunal Act 1973 of the  
Commonwealth.

3. Subject to this Ordinance, the Executive  
Council may, from time to time, determine the  
remuneration to be paid to members.

Executive  
Council to  
determine  
remuner-  
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of members

4. (1) The Executive Council may, at its  
discretion, by notice in writing given to the  
Tribunal, request that the Tribunal inquire into  
and determine, from time to time, the remuneration  
to be paid to members.

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(2) A request made pursuant to sub-section (1) may be rescinded by the Executive Council by notice in writing given to the Tribunal.

(3) Where a request pursuant to sub-section (1) has been made, the Executive Council shall not determine the remuneration to be paid to members unless it first rescinds that request in accordance with sub-section (2).

Commence-  
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determin-  
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5. A determination of the remuneration to be paid to members shall come into operation, or shall be deemed to have come into operation, on such date as is specified in that determination.

Determin-  
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6. The Minister shall, as soon as practicable after a determination of the remuneration to be paid to members is received by him, cause a copy of that determination to be laid before the Legislative Assembly.

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