## THE NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

No. 128 of 1978

## AN ACT

To amend the Explosives Act

[Assented to 21 December 1978]

**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. This Act may be cited as the Explosives Act 1978.

Short title

2.(1) Section 6 of the Explosives Act is amended by omitting paragraph (a) and inserting the following paragraph:

Application

- "(a) is made by, under or in pursuance of the Ports Act or the Fire Brigades Act; and".
- (2) The Explosives Act is amended by inserting after section 6 the following sub-section:
- "(2) This Act does not apply to the use, storage or transportation of explosives where -
  - (a) that use, storage or transportation is on land lawfully occupied for the recovery of minerals; and
  - (b) the explosives are being used, stored or transported, as the case may be, for the purpose of the recovery of minerals."

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