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[Assented to 2001]
[Second reading 2001]

The Legislative Assembly of the Northern Territory enacts as follows:

1. Short title

This Act may be cited as the *Marine Amendment Act 2001*.

2. Commencement

This Act comes into operation on the date fixed by the Administrator by notice in the *Gazette*.

3. Introductory

Section 23 of the *Marine Act* is amended –

- (a) by omitting "Unless expressly provided" and substituting "(1) Unless expressly provided";
- (b) by omitting from paragraph (c) "interstate or";
- (c) by inserting after paragraph (c) the following:
 - "(ca) a commercial vessel with a gross tonnage of 500 tons or more that is proceeding on an interstate or intrastate voyage;

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- (cb) a vessel registered in a country other than Australia with a gross tonnage of 500 tons or more that is proceeding on an intrastate voyage;"
- (d) by omitting from paragraph (ca) "(ca) a commercial vessel not more than" and substituting "(cc) a commercial vessel not more than";
- (e) by omitting from paragraph (e) "unit; or" and substituting "unit;"
- (f) by omitting from paragraph (f) "is in force." and substituting "is in force; or";
- (g) by inserting after paragraph (f) the following:
 - "(g) a vessel in respect of which a declaration under section 8AA or 8AB of the *Navigation Act* is in force."; and
- (h) by adding at the end the following:
 - "(2) Unless expressly provided for otherwise, this Part applies to a vessel in respect of which a declaration under section 8AC of the *Navigation Act* is in force."

4. Application of Part IV

Section 75 of the *Marine Act* is amended –

- (a) by omitting from subsection (2)(c) "interstate or";
- (b) by inserting after subsection (2)(c) the following:
 - "(ca) a commercial vessel with a gross tonnage of 500 tons or more that is proceeding on an interstate or intrastate voyage;
 - (cb) a vessel registered in a country other than Australia with a gross tonnage of 500 tons or more that is proceeding on an intrastate voyage;"
- (c) by omitting from subsection (2)(g) "unit; or" and substituting "unit;"
- (d) by omitting from subsection (2)(h) "is in force." and substituting "is in force; or";
- (e) by inserting after subsection (2)(h) the following:
 - "(i) a vessel in respect of which a declaration under section 8AA or 8AB of the *Navigation Act* is in force."; and
- (f) by adding at the end the following:

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"(6) Unless expressly provided for otherwise, this Part applies to a vessel in respect of which a declaration under section 8AC of the *Navigation Act* is in force."

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