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Off-shore Waters (Application of Territory Laws) Amendment Bill 2000

Mr Burke

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for
AN ACT**

to amend the *Off-shore Waters (Application of Territory Laws) Act* consequential
on the passing of the *Crimes at Sea Act 2000*





NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

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[Assented to 2000]
[Second reading 2000]

The Legislative Assembly of the Northern Territory enacts as follows:

1. Short title

This Act may be cited as the *Off-shore Waters (Application of Territory Laws) Amendment Act 2000*.

2. Commencement

This Act comes into operation on the commencement of the *Crimes at Sea Act 2000*.

3. Application of laws of Territory to coastal waters and adjacent area

Section 3 of the *Off-shore Waters (Application of Territory Laws) Act* is amended by omitting subsection (3) and substituting the following:

"(3) This section does not operate to apply laws of the Territory that are substantive criminal laws or laws of criminal investigation, procedure and evidence within the meaning of the cooperative scheme from time to time in force under the *Crimes at Sea Act* –

- (a) in or in relation to the adjacent area specified in respect of the Territory specified in clause 14 of the cooperative scheme within the meaning of that Act; and

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- (b) to or in relation to an act done or omitted to be done within the adjacent area specified in respect of the Territory in clause 14 of the cooperative scheme within the meaning of that Act."
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