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## AN ACT

to amend the *Parks and Wildlife Commission Act*

[Assented to 1999]  
[Second reading 1999]

**The Legislative Assembly of the Northern Territory enacts as follows:**

**1. Short title**

This Act may be cited as the *Parks and Wildlife Commission Amendment Act 1999*.

**2. Commencement**

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

**3. Principal Act**

The *Parks and Wildlife Commission Act* is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.

**4. Definitions**

Section 3 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting the definition of "appointed member" and substituting the following:

"'appointed member' means a member of the Commission appointed under section 10(1)(c);".

**5. Membership of Commission**

Section 10 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting subsections (1) and (2) and substituting the following:

"(1) The Commission consists of—

- (a) the Director;
- (b) the chief executive officer of the Northern Territory Tourist Commission established by the *Northern Territory Tourist Commission Act* or the chief executive officer's nominee; and
- (c) not less than 3 other members appointed by the Minister by notice in the *Gazette*."

**6. Appointment of acting member**

Section 15 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting subsection (2).

**7. Chairman and Deputy Chairman**

Section 16 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting subsection (1) and substituting the following:

"(1) The Minister must, by notice in the *Gazette*, appoint a member referred to in section 10(1) to be the Chairman of the Commission."

**8. Existing appointments to cease**

On the commencement of this Act, the following appointments that were in force immediately before the commencement cease to have effect:

- (a) an appointment of a member under section 10(1)(d) of the Principal Act;
  - (b) an appointment of a person to act as an appointed member under section 15(1) of the Principal Act;
  - (c) the appointment of the Chairman under section 16(1) of the Principal Act.
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