

NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

A BILL for AN ACT

to amend the Police Administration Act

BE 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. SHORT TITLE

This Act may be cited as the Police Administration Amendment Act 1996.

COMMENCEMENT

This Act shall come into operation on the commencement of the Summary Offences Amendment Act 1996.

3. INTERPRETATION

Section 116(5) of the *Police Administration Act* is amended by omitting all words after "the term" and substituting "'offensive weapon' means a gun, pistol, sword, knife or bludgeon, or any article made or adapted to cause damage to property or to cause injury or fear of injury to the person or by which the person having it intends to cause damage to property or to cause injury or fear of injury to the person.".