



Serial 168
Business
Franchise
Amendment
Mr Coulter

NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

A BILL for AN ACT

to amend the *Business Franchise 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 *Business Franchise Amendment Act 1992*

2. COMMENCEMENT

This Act shall be deemed to have come into operation on 14 August 1992.

3. PRINCIPAL ACT

The *Business Franchise Act* is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.

4. LICENCE FEES

Section 23(1)(a) of the Principal Act is amended by omitting "equal to 50%" and substituting "equal to 60%".

5. TRANSITIONAL

(1) Notwithstanding section 23(1) of the Principal Act as amended by this Act, the fee to be paid for a licence to sell tobacco in respect of the month of October 1992 is the fixed amount of \$10 plus the sum of 50% of the value of tobacco purchased in or outside the Territory by the applicant for the licence (or, in the case of a group licence, by all the members of the group) during the period 1 to 13, inclusive, of August 1992 and 60% of the value of such purchases during the period 14 to 31, inclusive, of August 1992.

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(2) Subject to subsection (1), section 23 of the Principal Act applies to the interpretation of that subsection.
