NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

Regulations 1996, No. 14*

Regulations under the Business Franchise Act

I, KEITH JOHN AUSTIN ASCHE, the Administrator of the Northern Territory of Australia, acting with the advice of the Executive Council, hereby make the following Regulations under the Business Franchise Act.

Dated 29 March 1996.

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K.J.A. ASCHE Administrator

AMENDMENT OF BUSINESS FRANCHISE REGULATIONS

1. REMISSION

Regulation 4 of the Business Franchise Regulations is amended -

- (a) by omitting "or intends to sell";
- (b) by omitting "used or capable of use" and substituting "capable of use";
- (c) by omitting from paragraph (a) "are not used or are not intended" and substituting "were not"; and
- (d) by omitting from paragraph (b) "are used or intended" and substituting "were".

2. NEW REGULATION

The Business Franchise Regulations are amended by inserting after regulation 4 the following:

"4AA. REMISSION REGARDING OPERATIONS IN ZONE OF COOPERATION

"(1) In this regulation -

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- 'Commonwealth Act' means the Petroleum (Australia-Indonesia Zone of Cooperation) Act 1990 of the Commonwealth of Australia;
- 'Zone of Cooperation' means Areas A, B and C of the Zone of Cooperation described in Annexure A to the Treaty between Australia and the Republic of Indonesia as set out in the Schedule to the Commonwealth Act.

"(2) Notwithstanding regulation 4, where the Commissioner is satisfied that -

- (a) a licensee who is carrying on the business of selling petroleum products has sold petroleum products capable of use in a diesel engine; and
- (b) the whole or a substantial portion of the petroleum products sold were to be used within the Zone of Cooperation by or on behalf of a person approved, or acting under and in accordance with a product sharing contract, to prospect for petroleum or to undertake petroleum operations under section 7 or 8 of the Commonwealth Act,

the Commissioner may, in his absolute discretion, remit a licence fee otherwise payable by the licensee under the Act".