NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

Regulations 1993, No. 42*

Rules under the Legal Practitioners Act

WE, the undersigned Judges of the Supreme Court of the Northern Territory of Australia, in pursuance of section 11 of the *Legal Practitioners Act*, hereby make the following Rules.

Dated 1 November 1993.

Brian Martin CJ

D.N. Angel J

D. Mildren J

S.G. Thomas J

Judges of the Supreme Court of the Northern Territory of Australia

AMENDMENTS OF LEGAL PRACTITIONERS RULES

1. ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS OF LOCAL APPLICANTS

Rule 10(a) of the Legal Practitioners Rules is amended by inserting after "completion of a" the words "degree of Bachelor of Laws at the Northern Territory University or another".

2. ENTRY INTO ARTICLES OF CLERKSHIP

Rule 22(3) of the Legal Practitioners Rules is amended by inserting after "applicant has" the words ", or is entitled to,".

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3. DOCUMENTS TO ACCOMPANY APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL

Rule 23(1) of the Legal Practitioners Rules is amended -

(a) by omitting from paragraph (a) "Part 3; and" and substituting "Part 3;"; 1

- (b) by omitting from paragraph (b) "2 persons." and substituting "2 persons; and"; and
- (c) by inserting after paragraph (b) the following:
- "(c) a copy of the articles of clerkship or the proposed articles of clerkship.".

4. TRANSITIONAL

Rule 31 of the Legal Practitioners Rules is amended by adding at the end the following:

"(3) A person who considers that he or she has suffered special prejudice as a result of the commencement of these Rules may apply to the Court, or in relation to Part 4 may apply to the Admission Board, for relief of the special prejudice.

"(4) The Court, or the Admission Board, on receiving an application under subrule (3), may in its discretion make such orders in relation to the application as it thinks fit.".

5. FURTHER AMENDMENTS

The Legal Practitioners Rules are further amended as set out in the Schedule.

	SCHEDULE Rule 5				
	Provision	Amendment		t	
		omit		substitute	
Rule	3(2)	"is a Counsel"		"is to practise as Counsel"	
Rule	11(3)	"the applicant	an"	"the applicant such"	
11(4) 13(1)	11(3),), 12(2)(f),), 13(2)(a)(i),)(a)(iv)	"practise"		"practice"	

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	Rule 12(3)(a)	"matter"	"matters"
l	Rule 12(3)(b)	"practise" (first occurring)	"practice"
	Rule 16(4)(b)	"referred to his"	"referred to in his"
	Rule 17(2)	"in rules 10"	"in rules 10(b)"
	Schedule 1	"practise" (wherever occurring)	"practice"