## EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

Canberra Community Hospital Ordinance 1963

## AMENDMENTS OF THE CANBERRA COMMUNITY HOSPITAL ORDINANCE 1938 – 1962

No. 8 of 1963

The proposed amendment to sub-section (2) of section 30 of the Ordinance requiring reports to be furnished to the Minister not later than the last day of December instead of during April, has become necessary as proposals for works programming are now required to be submitted to the Department of the Treasury in January.

The re-definition of "services" in section 5 has been necessitated by changes to the Schedules of the National Health (Pharmaceutical Benefits) Regulations.