

THE TERRITORY FOR THE SEAT OF GOVERNMENT.

No. 7 of 1930.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend the Bills of Sale Act of 1898 of the State of New South Wales in its application to the Territory.

BE it ordained by the Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, pursuant to the powers conferred by the *Seat of Government Acceptance Act* 1909 and the *Seat of Government (Administration) Act* 1910-1930 as follows:—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the *Bills of Sale Ordinance* 1930. Short title and citation.
 2. This Ordinance shall be deemed to have commenced on the first day of October One thousand nine hundred and twenty-five. Commencement.
 3. In this Ordinance, unless the contrary intention appears— Definition.
 - “the Act” means the Bills of Sale Act of 1898 of the State of New South Wales in its application to the Territory;
 - “the Registrar-General” means the Registrar-General for the State of New South Wales;
 - “the Supreme Court” means the Supreme Court of the State of New South Wales and includes the office of Master in Equity or of any other office of such Court.
 4. All instruments of whatsoever kind which are now required by the Act to be registered, enrolled, recorded, filed or deposited in the Supreme Court, and which do not relate exclusively to the business of the Supreme Court or any suit or proceeding in such Court shall be registered, enrolled, recorded, filed or deposited in the office of the Registrar-General in the same manner and form as is required by the Act and all such registrations, enrolments, records, filings, and deposits shall in all respects be as valid and have the same effect respectively to all intents and purposes as if done, had, taken or performed in the Supreme Court and this Ordinance had not been passed. Transfer of records from Supreme Court.
 5. All the duties at the commencement of this Ordinance by law imposed upon, and all the powers and functions vested in the Prothonotary or any other officer of the Supreme Court in relation to the matters referred to in the last preceding section shall be Transfer of duties vested in Prothonotary.
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transferred to and imposed upon and vested in the Registrar-General and such fees may be taken by him for performing such duties as are from time to time prescribed under the law of the State.

Amendment of
the Act in its
application to
the Territory.

6. The Act is amended as follows:—

- (a) by omitting from section four and from sub-section (1.) of section seven the words “Supreme Court” and inserting in their stead the words “Registrar-General”;
- (b) by omitting from sections seven, ten and eleven the word “Prothonotary” (wherever appearing) and inserting in its stead the words “Registrar-General”;
- (c) (i) by omitting from sub-section (1.) of section ten all words from and including the word “numbered”;
- (ii) by omitting from sub-section (2.) of that section the words “The said book and”; and by adding at the end of that sub-section the words “or such other fee as would be payable if the search were being made solely under the law of the State.”;
- (iii) by omitting from sub-section (3.) of that section—
 - (1) the words “In addition to the last mentioned book”;
 - (2) by omitting the word “another” and inserting in its stead the word “a”;
 - (3) by omitting the words “last mentioned” (wherever occurring); and
 - (4) by adding at the end of that sub-section the words “or such other fees as would be payable if the search were being made solely under the law of the State”;
- (d) by omitting from section twelve the words “like rate as for office copies of judgments in the Supreme Court” and inserting in their stead the words “at the rate from time to time prescribed under the law of the State”; and
- (e) by omitting the Second Schedule.

Dated this eleventh day of June, One thousand nine hundred and thirty.

STONEHAVEN

Governor-General.

By His Excellency's Command,

FRANK BRENNAN

for Minister of State for Home Affairs.

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