

THE TERRITORY FOR THE SEAT OF GOVERNMENT.

No. 9 of 1928.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend the Cotter River Ordinance 1914-1919.

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

1.—(1.) This Ordinance may be cited as the *Cotter River Ordinance* Short title and citation.

(2.) The *Cotter River Ordinance* 1914-1919 is in this Ordinance referred to as the Principal Ordinance.

(3.) The Principal Ordinance, as amended by this Ordinance, may be cited as the *Cotter River Ordinance* 1914-1928.

2. Section two of the Principal Ordinance is amended by inserting in sub-section (1.) , before the word " Schedule ", the word " First ". Fishing in Cotter River and tributaries.

3. Section three of the Principal Ordinance is amended by inserting before the word " Schedule ", the word " First ". Camping or picnicking on Cotter River Catchment Area.

4. Section three A of the Principal Ordinance is amended by inserting, before the word " Schedule ", the word " First ". Rights of persons holding land not affected.

5. After section three A of the Principal Ordinance the following section is inserted :—

" 3B.—(1.) No person shall, in the area described in the Second Schedule to this Ordinance, without the consent in writing of the Federal Capital Commission, or an officer of the Federal Capital Commission thereto authorized in writing by the Federal Capital Commission (proof of which consent shall lie upon the person accused)— Prohibition of sales.

(a) sell or offer for sale victuals or liquid refreshments of any kind ; or

(b) in pursuance of any sale made outside the area supply victuals or liquid refreshments of any kind,

to any person who is not *bona fide* resident or camping in the area.

Penalty : Twenty pounds.

“(2.) In any prosecution under the last preceding sub-section the onus of proof that the victuals or liquid refreshments were sold, offered for sale, or supplied to a person *bona fide* resident or camping in the area described in the Second Schedule to this Ordinance shall be upon the person accused.”

First Schedule. 6. The Schedule to the Principal Ordinance is amended by omitting the heading “Schedule” and inserting in its stead the heading “The First Schedule.”

Second Schedule. 7. The Principal Ordinance is amended by adding at the end thereof the following Schedule :—

“ THE SECOND SCHEDULE

All that piece or parcel of land situate in the Territory for the Seat of Government commencing at the intersection of the left bank of the Cotter River with the left bank of the Murrumbidgee River and bounded thence on the south by the left bank of the Cotter River aforesaid upstream about 64 chains to a peg marked ↑ ; thence on the east-southerly by a line bearing 163 degrees 13 minutes for 5 chains 33.2 links ; thence on the south by a line crossing Paddy’s River bearing 272 degrees 46 minutes for 5 chains ; thence on the west by a line bearing 2 degrees 46 minutes for 3 chains ; thence on the south-west by a line bearing 315 degrees for about 34 chains to a ridge thence on the north-west by that ridge and the Cotter River Dam generally north-easterly to the left bank of the Cotter River ; thence on the north by a line bearing 98 degrees to the left bank of the Murrumbidgee River ; thence on the east by that bank of the river aforesaid upstream southerly to point of commencement.”

Dated this twenty-fourth day of April, One thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight.

STONEHAVEN

Governor-General.

By His Excellency’s Command,

NEVILLE HOWSE

Minister of State for Home and Territories.