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THE TERRITORY FOR THE SEAT OF GOVERNMENT.

No. 17 of 1927.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend the Timber Protection Ordinance 1919-1923.

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 *Timber Protection Ordinance 1927*. Short title and citation.

(2.) The *Timber Protection Ordinance 1919-1923* is in this Ordinance referred to as the Principal Ordinance.

(3.) The Principal Ordinance, as amended by this Ordinance, may be cited as the *Timber Protection Ordinance 1919-1927*.

2. Section three of the Principal Ordinance is repealed and the following section inserted in its stead :—

“3. Any person who, without the permission in writing of the Federal Capital Commission (proof whereof shall lie upon him), cuts or destroys or steals or damages with intent to steal, or removes the whole or any part of any tree, sapling, shrub, plant or timber on any unleased land, the property of the Commonwealth or the Commission, shall be guilty of an offence. Cutting, damaging, or removing trees or timber.

Penalty : Ten pounds.”

3. Section six of the Principal Ordinance is repealed. Cutting or removing timber an offence.

Dated this twelfth day of August, One thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

STONEHAVEN,
Governor-General.

By His Excellency's Command,

NEVILLE HOWSE,
for Minister of State for Home and Territories.