

THE TERRITORY FOR THE SEAT OF GOVERNMENT.

No. 13 of 1933.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend the Nurses Registration Ordinance 1933.

BE it ordained by the Governor-General in and over the Commonwealth of Australia, acting 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 1910-1931*, as follows:—

1.—(1.) This Ordinance may be cited as the *Nurses Registration Ordinance (No. 2) 1933*. Short title and citation.

(2.) The *Nurses Registration Ordinance 1933* is in this Ordinance referred to as the Principal Ordinance.

(3.) The Principal Ordinance, as amended by this Ordinance, may be cited as the *Nurses Registration Ordinances 1933*.

2. The Principal Ordinance is amended by omitting section 9 and inserting in its stead the following section:— Removal of member from office.

“9. The Governor-General may, if satisfied that any member has been guilty of misbehaviour or is incapacitated, remove such member from office.”

3. Section 30 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by inserting after the word “Justice” in sub-section (4.) the words “whose decision shall be final and conclusive and without appeal.” Cancellation of registration for fraud and on other grounds.

4. The Principal Ordinance is amended by omitting section 41 and inserting in its stead the following section:— Application of Part IV.

“41. Nothing in this Part shall prejudice or affect—

(a) the giving or performance of any medical or surgical service, attendance, operation or advice by a registered medical practitioner; or

(b) the giving or performance in any case of emergency of any nursing service by a nurse registered under the law in force in any State or Territory of the Commonwealth; or

(c) the giving or performance of any nursing service by any pupil nurse in training at any public hospital recognized for the purposes of this section by the Board; or

(d) the giving or performance of any nursing service by a nurse registered in any State or Territory of the Commonwealth when engaged for relieving purposes for any continuous period not exceeding six months at any public hospital recognized for the purposes of this section by the Board."

Power of
Minister to
determine
charges.

5. Section 44 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by inserting after the word "jurisdiction" in sub-section (2.) the words "The amount specified in any such order shall be a debt due to the Crown and may be sued for and recovered by action instituted by any officer authorized in writing by the Director-General in any Court of Petty Sessions as a civil debt recoverable summarily."

Dated this twenty-eighth day of June, 1933.

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Governor-General.

By His Excellency's Command,

C. W. C. MARR

for Minister of State for the Interior.

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