

No. 33 of 1971

AN ORDINANCE

To amend the *Canberra Community Hospital Ordinance 1938-1967*, as amended by the *Canberra Hospital Ordinance 1971*.

I, THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL in and over the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, hereby make the following Ordinance under the *Seat of Government (Administration) Act 1910-1970*.

Dated this second day of December, 1971.

PAUL HASLUCK
Governor-General.

By His Excellency's Command,

KEN ANDERSON

Minister of State for Health, acting for and on behalf of
the Minister of State for the Interior.

CANBERRA HOSPITAL ORDINANCE (No. 2) 1971

1.—(1.) This Ordinance may be cited as the *Canberra Hospital Ordinance (No. 2) 1971*.^{*} Short title and citation.

(2.) The *Canberra Community Hospital Ordinance 1938-1967*,[†] as amended by the *Canberra Hospital Ordinance 1971*,[‡] is in this Ordinance referred to as the Principal Ordinance.

(3.) Section 1 of the *Canberra Hospital Ordinance 1971* is amended by omitting sub-section (3.).

(4.) The Principal Ordinance, as amended by this Ordinance, may be cited as the *Canberra Hospital Ordinance 1938-1971*.

2. The title to the Principal Ordinance is amended by inserting after the word "Hospital," the words "to make provisions relating to the Woden Valley Hospital," Title.

3. Section 2 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by omitting the words— Part.

"Part III.—Administration of the Hospital (Sections 23A-37)."

and inserting in their stead the words—
"Part III.—Administration of the Hospital and the Woden Valley Hospital (Sections 23A-37)."

^{*} Notified in the *Commonwealth Gazette* on 9 December 1971.

[†] Ordinance No. 20, 1938, as amended by No. 26, 1938; No. 3, 1939; Nos. 5, 10 and 17, 1940; Nos. 4 and 15, 1941; No. 12, 1943; No. 6, 1944; No. 9, 1945; No. 6, 1946; Nos. 7 and 10, 1947; No. 11, 1950; No. 7, 1952; No. 13, 1955; No. 4, 1958; No. 11, 1959; No. 21, 1961; No. 9, 1962; No. 8, 1963; No. 18, 1964; No. 19, 1966; and Nos. 28 and 31, 1967.

[‡] Ordinance No. 26, 1971.

Definitions.

4. Section 5 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by adding at the end thereof the following definition:—

“ ‘ the Woden Valley Hospital ’ means the hospital in the course of completion on the land comprising Block No. 1 Section No. 53 in the Division of Garran, Canberra City District; ”.

5. After section 10 of the Principal Ordinance the following section is inserted:—

Fees and allowances to members.

“ 10A.—(1.) Subject to this section, a member of the Board is entitled to such fees and allowances as are prescribed.

“ (2.) If a member of the Board is a member of, or a candidate for election to, the Parliament of the Commonwealth or of a State, he shall not be paid fees and allowances but shall be reimbursed such expenses as he reasonably incurs by reason of his attendance at meetings of the Board or of his engagement, with the approval of the Board, on the business of the Board.”.

General powers and duties of Board.

6. Section 24 of the Principal Ordinance is amended—

(a) by omitting from paragraph (a) of sub-section (1.) the word “ and ”;

(b) by omitting from paragraph (b) of that sub-section the word “ hospital.” and inserting in its stead the word “ Hospital; ”; and

(c) by adding at the end of that sub-section the following word and paragraph:—

“ ; and (c) be responsible for preparing the Woden Valley Hospital for use and occupation and, in particular without limiting the generality of the foregoing, for—

(i) the purchase of supplies, equipment and all other things that will be required for its efficient operation as a hospital; and

(ii) the training of such nurses, attendants and other employees as will be necessary for its efficient operation as a hospital.”.

Power of Board to appoint staff.

7. Section 25 of the Principal Ordinance is amended—

(a) by adding at the end of sub-section (1.) the words “ and the Woden Valley Hospital ”; and

(b) by inserting, after sub-section (1.), the following sub-section:—

“ (1A.) Without limiting the generality of the last preceding sub-section, the Board may appoint—

(a) a person to be General Superintendent Elect of the Woden Valley Hospital;

(b) a person to be Director of Nursing Elect of that Hospital; and

(c) a person to be Secretary Elect of that Hospital.”.

8. Section 27 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by inserting after paragraph (b) the following paragraph:—

“(ba) such amounts as are appropriated by the Parliament for the purposes of the Woden Valley Hospital.”

Revenue of Board.

9. Section 28 of the Principal Ordinance is amended—

- (a) by omitting from sub-section (1.) the words “in its hands” and inserting in their stead the words “referred to in paragraphs (b), (c) and (d) of the last preceding section”;
- (b) by omitting paragraph (ba) of that sub-section; and
- (c) by inserting in paragraph (e) of that sub-section after the word “employed” the words “at the Hospital”.

Expenditure by Board for purposes of Hospital.

10. After section 28 of the Principal Ordinance the following section is inserted:—

“28A.—(1.) Subject to this section, the moneys referred to in paragraph (ba) of section twenty-seven of this Ordinance shall be applied by the Board only—

- (a) in the payment of the salaries and wages of persons employed in or in connexion with the Woden Valley Hospital; and
- (b) in the discharge of the obligations and liabilities incurred by the Board in preparing the Woden Valley Hospital for use and occupation.

“(2.) Moneys referred to in paragraph (ba) of section twenty-seven of this Ordinance shall not be expended by the Board otherwise than in accordance with estimates of expenditure approved by the Minister.”

Expenditure of moneys appropriated for Woden Valley Hospital.

11. Section 29 of the Principal Ordinance is amended—

- (a) by omitting the words “All revenue” and inserting in their stead the words “Subject to the next succeeding sub-section, all revenue”; and
- (b) by adding at the end thereof the following sub-section:—

“(2.) Revenue received by the Board, being moneys referred to in paragraph (ba) of section 27 of this Ordinance, shall be paid by the Board into a separate account opened, for the purposes of the Woden Valley Hospital, by the Board at the Commonwealth Trading Bank of Australia or the Commonwealth Savings Bank of Australia, and that account shall be operated upon only in the manner directed by the Board by resolution.”

Bank accounts.

12. Section 30 of the Principal Ordinance is amended—

- (a) by adding at the end of sub-section (1.) the words “for the purposes of the Hospital and for the purposes of the Woden Valley Hospital”;

Board to keep accounts and furnish reports to Minister.

(b) by inserting after sub-section (1.) the following sub-section:—

“(1A.) In addition to complying with the requirements of the last preceding sub-section, the Board shall, in keeping its accounts, so keep those accounts that the accounts show—

(a) particulars of the moneys received by it for the purposes of the Woden Valley Hospital; and

(b) particulars of the expenditure of those moneys, separately from particulars relating to other moneys received and expended by the Board.”.

Treatment.

13. Section 32 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by omitting from paragraph (e) the word “ambulance” and inserting in its stead the word “other”.

Charges for treatment.

14. Section 33 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by omitting from sub-section (1.) the words “, other than the provision of ambulance facilities”.

Charges for ambulance facilities.

15. Section 36A of the Principal Ordinance is repealed.

Special powers of Minister.

16. Section 38 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by inserting after the word “Hospital” the words “or the Woden Valley Hospital”.