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#### ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS.

ORDERED BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL.

WILLIAM JOHN McKELL, the Governor-General in and over the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, do hereby approve of the Administrative Arrangements specified in the Schedule hereto, and do order that, until further Order herein, all Acts of the Commonwealth Parliament relating to the matters specified in the second column of the Schedule opposite to the name of a Department (including the Acts specified in the third column opposite to the name of a Department) shall, unless the contrary intention appears in the Act, be administered by the Minister of State for the Commonwealth administering that Department.

#### THE SCHEDULE.

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	Loan Council; and all Loan matters Parliamentary Pensions	Financial Agreement Act 1928 Financial Agreement Act 1944
	Pensions and Retiring Allowances under the Con-	Financial Agreements (Commonwealth Liability) Act 1932
	stitution Public Debt and National Debt Sinking Fund	Financial Agreement Validation Act 1929 Funding Arrangements Act 1921
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	Soldier Land Settlement Finance	Income Tax Collection Act 1923–1940 Income Tax and Social Services Contribution Act 1950
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	war Gracuity—Auininistration	Insurance Act 1932-1937
e e Company		International Monetary Agreements Act 1947 Land Tax Act 1910–1941
		Land Tax Assessment Act 1910-1950
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		ment) Act 1950 Loan (Farmers' Debt Adjustment) Act 1935–1950
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•		Taxation of Loans Act 1928 Trading with the Enemy Act 1939-1947—insofar as it
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. :		relates to Part I. of the Treaty of Peace Regulation, being Statutory Rule No. 25 of 1920 as amended
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	as the Joint Intelligence Machinery The Defence aspect of— The Strength and Organization of the Forces Higher Appointments in the Services Honours and Awards Advice on the military aspect of Civil Defence	
The Department of the Navy	Naval Defence	Cockatoo and Schnapper Islands Act 1949 Control of Naval Waters Act 1918 Defence (Transitional Provisions) Act 1946-1950 insofar as it relates to the following Regulations:— National Security (General) Regulation 37 insofar as it relates to the Naval Forces National Security (Supplementary) Regulation 63, insofar as it relates to the Naval Forces Naval Defence Act 1910-1949 War Precautions Act Repeal Act 1920-1934, Section 22 (with the exception of paragraphs (e) and (f)) in relation to the Naval Forces
The Department of the Army	Military Defence	Australian Imperial Force Canteens Funds Act 1920-1950 Defence Act 1903-1950 (in relation to the organization and control of the Military Forces) Defence (Transitional Provisions) Act 1946-1950 insofar as it relates to the following Regulations:— National Security (General) Regulation 37 insofar as it relates to the Military Forces National Security (Supplementary) Regulations 33, 63, insofar as they relate to the Military Forces Services Trust Funds Act 1947-1950 War Precautions Act Repeal Act 1920-1934, Section 22 (with the exception of paragraphs (e) and (f)) in relation to the Military Forces War Service Estates Act 1942-1943
The Department of Air	Air Defence	Air Force Act 1923-1950 Defence Act 1903-1950 (in relation to the organization and control of the Air Force) Defence (Transitional Provisions) Act 1946-1950 insofar as it relates to the following Regulations:— National Security (General) Regulation 37, insofar as it relates to the Air Force National Security (Supplementary) Regulations 58 and 129 National Security (Supplementary) Regulation 63, insofar as it relates to the Air Force Services Trust Funds Act 1947, insofar as it applies to the Air Force War Service Estates Act 1942-1943, insofar as it relates to the Air Force
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The Department of Commerce and Agriculture	Agricultural Production Agricultural Economics Assistance to Primary Producers Australian Agricultural Council Collection and dissemination of commercial intelligence and general information Contact with State Departments of Agriculture regard- ing agricultural production Contact with the following organizations and adminis- tration of any Commonwealth Acts under which they are established:— Australian Apple and Pear Board Australian Apple and Pear Marketing Board Australian Canned Fruits Board Australian Dairy Produce Board Australian Egg Board Australian Hides and Leather Industries Board Australian Meat Board Australian Whaling Commission	Apple and Pear Export Charges Act 1938-1947 Apple and Pear Organization Act 1938-1948 Canned Fruits Export Charges Act 1926-1938 Canned Fruits Export Control Act 1926-1950 Commerce (Trade Descriptions) Act 1905-1950 (insofar as it relates to exports) Dairy Produce Export Charges Act 1924-1937 Dairy Produce Export Control Act 1924-1950 Defence (Transitional Provisions) Act 1946-1950, insofar as it relates to the following Order and Regulations: — Jute Goods Order National Security (Apple and Pear Acquisition) Regulations National Security (Staff of War-time Authorities) Regulations Dried Fruits Export Charges Act 1924-1929 Dried Fruits Export Control Act 1924-1938 Egg Export Charges Act 1947 Egg Export Control Act 1947-1948 Egg Export Control Act 1950

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The Department of the Interior	Accommodation for Commonwealth Departments Agricultural Loans and Allowances under Re-establishment and Employment Act 1945 Astronomy Australian Capital Territory, development planning and administration of, with the exception of Health and Justice Australian Official War History 1939–1945 Australian War Memorial Civil Defence Commonwealth Observatory Conveyance of Members of Parliament and others Elections and Franchise Financial Assistance to States for War Service Land Settlement Forestry and Timber Geodesy Land for Commonwealth purposes, acquisition and leasing of Mapping, Topographical and Geographical, including International and Aeronautical Maps Meteorology National Film Board National Film Board National Mapping Council News and Information Bureau—Publicity, Australia and Overseas Police (Australian Capital Territory) Property, Commonwealth, management of Rural training under Re-establishment and Employment Act 1945 Soil Conservation Supply of information services for overseas posts Surveys, Land, Engineering, Topographical and Geodetic War Graves	Australian Capital Territory Representation Act 1948–1949 Australian War Memorial Act 1925 Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918–1949 Commonwealth Observatory Fund Act 1930–1944 Constitution Alteration (Senate Elections) Act 1906 Defence (Transitional Provisions) Act 1946–1950 insofar as it relates to the following Regulations:— National Security (General) Regulations, 54, 55AA, 55A, 57, 60n, 60a and 60n–60m Darwin Lands Acquisition Act 1945 Forestry and Timber Bureau Act 1930–1946 Jervis Bay Territory Acceptance Act 1915 Lands Acquisition Act 1906–1936 Meteorology Act 1906 Re-establishmant and Employment Act 1945: Divisions 3 and 4 of Part VI. Referendum (Constitution Alteration) Act 1906–1950 Representation Act 1905–1938 Seat of Government Acceptance Act 1909–1938 Seat of Government Acceptance Act 1922 Seat of Government Act 1908 Seat of Government (Administration) Act 1910–1947 Senate Elections Act 1903–1948 War Service Land Settlement Agreements Act 1945
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	Co-ordination of Commonwealth and State regulation of industrial conditions
	Regulation and control of stevedoring operations and industrial matters connected therewith
	Conditions of employment in the maritime industry Supervision of matters arising under the <i>Tradesmen's</i>
	Rights Regulation Act 1946-1947 including the opera-
•	tion of Trade Committees Regulation of matters concerning the Central and Local
	Coal Reference Boards Long service leave in the coal-mining industry Consideration of amendments to New South Wales legislation affecting pensions for coal and oil shale
	mine workers
	Co-ordination of industrial matters affecting Commonwealth departments and agencies
•	Advice and information on awards and industrial matters and production of Industrial Information Bulletin
	Organization and maintenance of the Commonwealth Employment Service (including research and voca- tional guidance facilities)
	Employment re-establishment of discharged servicemen and servicewomen and of the physically handicapped
	Receipt, investigation and payment of claims for unem- ployment and sickness benefit under Part VII. of the
	Social Services Consolidation Act 1947-1949 (as agent for the Department of Social Services)
	Receipt, investigation and payment of claims for re- employment allowance under Division 2 of Part VI.
	of the Re-establishment and Employment Act 1945 (as agent for the Repatriation Commission)
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	contract of Displaced Persons Provision of a reference authority for Commonwealth
	and State departments and agencies and industry in general on good personnel practice
	Provision of a reference authority on standards of physical working conditions for Commonwealth and
	State departments and agencies and industry in general and in relation to buildings in which the
	Commonwealth is interested (not involving detailed planning which is performed by the Department of
	Works and Housing) Technical advice and assistance to factories about the
	setting up or operation of food services, provision of a reference authority on the operation of cafeterias
	and food services in Commonwealth establishments and for State departments and agencies and opera-
	tion of waterfront cafeterias and other Common- wealth food services and hostels
	Control and supervision of vocational training (other
	than University type) of discharged members of the Forces and civilians under the Commonwealth Reconstruction Training Scheme
	Control and supervision of correspondence instruction (other than University type) of members of the
	Forces within the Services Education Scheme
	Control and supervision of pre-vocational and vocational training of physically-handicapped per-
	sons and other persons for whom the Commonwealth has training responsibilities
	Control and supervision of technical training of enlisted personnel for technical units of the Forces
	Provision of a reference authority for State Technical Education authorities, Commonwealth departments
	and agencies, and industry generally on techniques and methods of technical and vocational training
	Provision, operation and maintenance of hostels and
	forms of accommodation for the housing of migrant workers and other dependants
	Administration of the reinstatement in civil employment and the apprenticeship provisions of the Re-establishment and Employment Act 1945
	Liaison with International Labour Organization and
	other international and external authorities in relation to labour, employment and industrial matters
	Investigation and research into problems affecting employer-employee relationships
	Control and administration of Inspectors under the Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Act 1904– 1950
	Provision of information services and technical assis-
	tance to Commonwealth industrial tribunals as

Defence (Transitional Provisions) Act 1946-1950, insofar as it relates to the—
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The Department of Shipping and Transport	Shipping, including the best utilization of the Australian Coastal Elect, the chartering of ships, the operation of Commonwealth-owned and chartered ships Shipbuilding and the repair and maintenance of ships (other than naval vessels) Movement of Commonwealth explosives Provision of facilities at Australian ports for handling Commonwealth explosives Commonwealth Handling Equipment Pool Control and maintenance of coastal lights and other aids to navigation on the sea routes around the Australian coastline Control of marine services, such as surveys of ships, inspection of ships' gear, safe loading of ships, accommodation for ships' crews, engagement and discharge of seamen, examinations of masters, mates and engineers, licensing of ships to engage in coasting trade, wrecks and salvage, Courts of Marine Enquiry, Seamen's Compensation Collection of Colonial Light Dues and remission of collection to United Kingdom Commonwealth Railways Administration of Standardization of Railways agreements Commonwealth aid for roads and works Australian Transport Advisory Council	Beaches, Fishing Grounds and Sea Routes Protection Act 1932 (except Section 3) Brachina to Leigh Creek North Coal-field Railway Act 1950 Colonial Light Dues Collection Act 1932–1936 Colonial Light Dues (Rates) Act 1932–1936 Commonwealth Aid Roads Act 1950 Commonwealth Railways Act 1917–1950 Defence (Transitional Provisions) Act 1946–1950, insofar as it relates to the following Regulations:  National Security (General) Regulations 66 National Security (Medical Benefits for Seamen) Regulations National Security (Shipping Co-ordination) Regulations Grafton to South Brisbane Railway Act 1924–1930 Kalgoorlie to Port Augusta Railway Act 1911–1950 Kalgoorlie to Port Augusta Railway Lands Act 1918–1920 Lighthouses Act 1911–1949 Navigation Act 1912–1950 Northern Territory Railway Extension Act 1923–1950 Oodnadatta to Alice Springs Railway Act 1926–1950 Pine Creek to Katherine River Railway Act 1913–1950 Port Augusta to Alice Springs Railway (Alteration of Route) Act 1950 Port Augusta to Port Pirie Railway Act 1935–1950 Railway Standardization (South Australia) Agreement Act 1949 Sea-Carriage of Goods Act 1924 Seamen's Compensation Act 1911–1949 Seamen's War Pensions and Allowances Act 1940–1950 (except pensions and allowances provisions administered by the Repatriation Department) Seat of Government Railway Act 1928
The Department of Works and Housing	The design, estimate of cost, supervision and execution of all architectural and engineering works (both capital and maintenance) for the Commonwealth Government and such other works as may be requested by a State or an authority of the Commonwealth or of a State  The formulation of town planning proposals in areas controlled by the Commonwealth in collaboration with other responsible Departments  The investigation, planning and development of such works of national importance as are referred to the Department by the Commonwealth Government  The submission to the Defence Services of Works proposals or works plans (other than Defence Works) for which the Commonwealth is wholly or partially responsible, and which the Department considers may have strategic significance  River Murray Commission	River Murray Waters Act 1915-1950
The Department of Civil Aviation	Civil aviation, including— The safety of civil aviation (preparation of rules and regulations for) The licensing of air service operations The licensing of pilots, navigators, radio operators, flight engineers and aircraft maintenance engineers and the supervision of the work of licensed personnel The issue of air worthiness certificates for aircraft and the supervision of operations of airline operators The conclusion and administration of contracts for carriage of mails by air and payments for air transport services The functional design, operation and maintenance of aerodromes The provision, operation and maintenance of aeradio stations for radio aids to navigation, and radio communications between aircraft in flight and the ground, and from point to point The supervision of aircraft maintenance and aircraft design The promotion of civil aviation The promotion of training of pilots and ground staff for civil air transport The licensing and supervision of flying schools The provision of air traffic control organization The keeping of statistics relating to civil aviation	Air Navigation Act 1920-1950 Australian National Air Lines Act 1945-1947 British Commonwealth Pacific Airlines Agreement Act 1947 Carriage by Air Act 1935 Defence (Transitional Provisions) Act 1946-1950, insofar as it relates to National Security (Supplementary) Regulation 58

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The Department of Civil Aviation—contd.	Liaison with international civil aviation organizations and representation thereon The negotiation and administration of international air transport agreements	
The Department of Social Services	Age Pensions Allowance for wives and children of invalid pensioners Child Endowment Compassionate allowances to persons ineligible for Age, Invalid and Widows' Pensions, Child Endowment and Maternity Allowances Compensation or pensions to, or in respect of— (a) Ex-members of the Civil Constructional Corps; (b) Ex-Civil Defence Workers; and (c) Civilians who suffered a war injury Evacuees and ex-internees—reception and after-care of Funeral Benefits for age and invalid pensioners Invalid Pensions Maternity Allowances Payment of— All benefits granted under the Social Services Consolidation Act Allowances to ex-members of Parliament and their dependants Allowances to sufferers from tuberculosis Commonwealth Literary Fund allowances Financial assistance to University students Imperial pensions (other than war pensions) Judiciary pensions Living allowances to ex-members of the Forces undergoing reconstruction training at a University Pensions to retired members of the Commonwealth Defence Forces Pensions and retiring allowances under Section 34 of the Commonwealth Constitution, the Transferred Officers' Allowances Act 1934 Pensions to war widows payable by cheque Special annuities granted by the Commonwealth Superannuation to retired Commonwealth enployees Reciprocity with New Zealand in relation to Age Pensions, Invalid Pensions, Widows' Pensions, Child Endowment, Unemployment Benefits and Sickness Benefits and Age Benefits, Invalids' Benefits, Widows' Benefits, Family Benefits, Unemployment Benefits Rehabilitation of ex-members of the Forces not eligible for Repatriation benefits Rehabilitation of physically handicapped persons Sickness Benefits Social Service proposals and activities generally Social Work and Research Unemployment Benefits Vocational training of physically handicapped persons Sickness Benefits Provision of homes for Australian soldiers who served during the 1914–1918 war and during any war in which His Majesty became engaged on or after 3rd September, 1939; also for female dependants of Australia	Defence (Transitional Provisions) Act 1946–1950 (Section 13) Re-establishment and Employment Act 1945 (Part IV.) Social Services Consolidation Act 1947–1950 War Service Homes Act 1918–1949 War Services Homes Agreement Act 1932 War Service Homes (South Australia) Agreement Act 1934
The Department of Repatriation	Functions—For Members of Forces— Determination of applications for the acceptance of disabilities as war-caused Provision of in-patient and out-patient treatment in general hospitals, special institutions, sanatoria and hostels War pensions and living allowances (including acting as agent for British and Dominion pensions authorities) Artificial replacements and surgical aids for members whose accepted incapacities necessitate the use of such aids Administration of members' trust funds (pensions and war gratuities) Service pensions Funeral benefits in certain circumstances Placement in employment of problem cases Supplementation of apprenticeship wages Repatriation Vocational Training Scheme—Special training of problem cases which cannot be trained by normal methods Issue of books, requisites, equipment to trainees under the Commonwealth Reconstruction Training Scheme by arrangement with Universities Commission	Interim Forces Benefits Act 1947-1950, except sections 5 and 8  Re-establishment and Employment Act 1945: Part I.  Part II.—Division 4, and Sections 43 and 44 of Division 3; Parts III., V., VI., except Divisions 3 and 4 and Part XI.  Repatriation Act 1920-1950  Repatriation Fund (Baillieu Gift) Act 1937  Seamen's War Pensions and Allowances Act 1940-1950  Parts III. and IV. (also Parts II. II. and VI. to the extent to which they apply to Parts III. and IV).

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The Department of Immigration	War Pensions Assessment Appeal Tribunals  The formulation and general application of immigration policy The control and organization in Australia and overseas of all assisted migration, including British Free and Assisted Passages, Child Migration, Empire and Allied Ex-servicemen, Dutch, Eire and Displaced Persons Schemes Assimilation, education and welfare of migrants, liaison with voluntary organizations engaged in assimilation activities Publication of newspapers in foreign languages Issue of landing permits authorizing admission of aliens to Australia Registration of aliens Deportation of aliens Deportation of non-European labour for service in the pearling industry Control, entry and residence in Australia of restricted and prohibited immigrants Emigration of children and aboriginals Registration of Immigration Agents Nationality, Naturalization and Citizenship Passports and travel documents Repatriation of destitute Australians Control and operation of Reception and Training and of Holding Centres for migrants Planning and research into all aspects of immigration, including the absorption of migrants into the Australian community Secretariat, research and statistical services for the Immigration Planning Council and Immigration Advisory Council	Aliens Act 1947 Aliens Deportation Act 1948 Emigration Act 1910 Immigration Act 1901–1949 Immigration (Guardianship af Children) Act 1946–1948 Nationality and Citizenship Act 1948–1950 Nationality and Citizenship (Burmese) Act 1950 Pacific Island Labourers Act 1901–1950 Passports Act 1938–1948 Temple Society Trust Fund Act 1949 War-time Refugees Removal Act 1949
The Department of Health	Administration of any subsidies by the Commonwealth for the assistance of efforts by State Governments or public authorities for the eradication, prevention or control of disease in man and animals Administration of the Nuffield Trust for Crippled Children Administration of pharmaceutical benefits Hospital benefits Therapeutic substances Assistance to the States in relation to tuberculosis Australian Institute of Anatomy, Canberra Collection of sanitary data and the investigation of all factors affecting health in industries	Acoustic Laboratories Act 1948 Australian Institute of Anatomy Agreement Acts 1924–1933 Beaches, Fishing Grounds and Sea Routes Protection Act 1932 (Section 3) Hospital Benefits Act 1945–1948 Medical Research Endowment Act 1937 Mental Institutions Benefits Act 1948 National Fitness Act 1941 National Health Service Act 1948–1949 Pharmaceutical Benefits Act 1947–1950 Quarantine Act 1908–1950 States Grants (Milk for School Children) Act 1950

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The Department of Health—continued.	Commonwealth Acoustic Laboratories and distribution and maintenance of hearing aids Commonwealth Bureau of Dental Standards Commonwealth Serum Laboratories and the commercial distribution of the products manufactured	Therapeutic Substances Act 1937–1938 Tuherculosis Act 1948
	in those laboratories Commonwealth X-ray and Radium Laboratory, Melbourne	
	Conducting of campaigns of prevention of disease in which more than one State is interested Control of Health at Migrant Centres  Discharge of refuse into the sea	
•	Education of the public in matters of health International hygiene matters affecting the Common- wealth	
	Investigation of causes of disease and death, and the establishment and control of laboratories for this purpose	
	Medical examination of migrants under the Immigra- tion Act Medical examinations of seamen and inspection of	
	vessels under the Navigation Act and Seamen's Compensation Act Medical examination under the Invalid and Old-age Pensions Act, Commonwealth Public Service Act,	
٠	Commonwealth Employees Compensation Act and other relevant Acts Medical Research and National Health and Medical Research Council Mental Institutions Benefits	
	Methods of prevention of disease  Munitions Medical Service  National Fitness and Commonwealth Council for	
	National Fitness National Health Campaign and the Lady Gowrie Child	
	Centres for pre-school children Public Health and Medical Services in the Northern Territory	
	Public Health and Animal Health Administration in the Australian Capital Territory Quarantine, including quarantine of animals and plants School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine, Sydney Supervision of broadcast advertising of patent Medi- cines and talks on medical matters	
The Department of Territories	Administration of Territories, viz.:— Ashmore and Cartier Islands Nauru New Guinea Norfolk Island Northern Territory Papua Australian New Guinea Production Control Board Australian School of Pacific Administration British Phosphate Commissioners Christmas Island Phosphate Commission Expropriated Properties (New Guinea) Shipping services to certain Pacific Islands Shipping services within the Territories of Papua and New Guinea Transfer of prisoners from the External Territories and the Northern Territory	Ashmore and Cartier Islands Acceptance Act 1933-1938 Christmas Island Agreement Act 1949 Nauru Island Agreement Act 1919 Nauru Island Agreement Act 1932 Norfolk Island Act 1913-1935 Northern Territory Acceptance Act 1910-1919 Northern Territory (Administration) Act 1910-1949 Northern Territory Representation Act 1922-1949 Papua and New Guinea Act 1949-1950 Removal of Prisoners (Territories) Act 1923-1950 Treaty of Peace (Germany) Act 1919-1920 (Section 2, and Part II., Treaty of Peace Regulations)
Department of Supply	Manufacture, acquisition, provision and supply of services and goods other than "Munitions" (that is to say, foodstuffs, textiles, clothing, fibres, canvas, goods, woodwork, hardware, boots, leatherware and other like supplies) as demanded by the Departments of Navy, Army, Air, Defence Production or other Departments and authorities requiring such goods Research and scientific development in relation to war materiel, including the operation of the joint United Kingdom-Australia Long Range Weapons Organization and Australian research and development through the Electronics Laboratory, the Aeronautical Research Laboratory, Defence Research Laboratory and associated establishments  Design and associated technical development, and inspection as arranged with the Service Departments Planning for, and procurement of, strategic materials Planning for the production of goods other than munitions and the establishment of manufacturing facilities therefor  Formation of Industry Advisory Committees to advise the Minister for Supply in respect of the production	Aluminium Industry Act 1944 Atomic Energy (Control of Materials) Act 1946 Supply and Development Act 1939–1948
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Department of Supply—continued.	Appropriate liaison with the Higher Defence Machinery, the Service Departments, and the Department of Defence Production  Arranging contracts for the performance of services and the supply of goods  Operation and management of Government Clothing Factories  Acquisition, maintenance and disposal of stocks of goods and materials required in connexion with the	
	matters administered by the Department of Supply Sale or disposal of all surplus or unserviceable property (except buildings and land), war material, goods, and things as are approved for disposal by any competent authority  Production in Australia of ingot aluminium by the Australian Aluminium Production Commission Provision of transport facilities for Commonwealth Departments  Control of materials which are or may be used in producing atomic energy  Security Service in respect of matters administered by the Department of Supply and the Department of Defence Production  Arrangements for ascertaining costs and the control and limitation of profits in connexion with the production of goods arranged by the Department  Co-ordinating the estimates, allocation and commitment of resources for Defence Supply needs (including	
Department of National Development	munitions) and liaison with the National Security Resources Board in this connexion  Survey of immediate shortages in basic commodities and planning of improvements by increased production or import  Promotion of decentralization and regional development throughout the Commonwealth and the Territories of the Commonwealth  Surveys of natural resources and development Planning the development of national resources generally, and in particular the development of primary and manufacturing industries and the	Coal Industry Act 1946 (except Part V.) Coal Industry (Tasmania) Act 1949 (except Part V.) Coal Production (War-time) Act 1944 Commonwealth and State Housing Agreement Act 1945 Geophysical Survey Act 1928 Liquid Fuel (Defence Stocks) Act 1949 National Oil Proprietary Limited Agreement Act 1937– 1939 Oil Agreement Act 1920 Oil Agreement Act 1924
	stimulation of housing and building construction Administration of Commonwealth-State Housing Agreements Housing—Finance Development planning in conjunction with the various States and, where necessary, co-ordination of such development planning, including the investigation of such national works as are referred to the Depart- ment by the Government In conjunction with Treasury and other interested Departments, to make agreements with the respective States and other Governmental authorities with regard to the cost and execution of development projects	Oil Agreement Act 1926 Section 63 of the Lands Acquisition Act 1906-1936, insofar as it relates to the disposal to private industry of land acquired or used by the Commonwealth in connexion with the defence of the Commonwealth Re-establishment and Employment Act 1945 (Part VIII.) Snowy Mountains Hydro-Electric Power Act 1949 Wool Use Promotion Act 1945 (Section 14)
	To control funds required for the approved programme of development work Government relations with Commonwealth Oil Refineries Ltd. Production, importation and distribution of coal Importation, sale and use of liquid fuels and petroleum products, including distribution of petroleum products and substitute and synthetic fuels Mining of oil shale and refining and distribution of shale oil products Refining and distribution of locally produced petroleum products	
The Department of Defence Production	Promotion and production of liquid fuels  Manufacture, acquisition, provision and supply of munitions for the defence forces, that is to say, armaments, aircraft, arms, ammunition, weapons, machine tools, war chemicals, radar (and such other items as may be mutually agreed with the Department of Supply as falling within the definition of munitions), including the materials and plant necessary for the production of those things and all matters incidental thereto including:  The receipt from the Service Departments, and other authorities or Departments, of orders and forecasts of requirements of Munitions  Appropriate liaison with the Higher Defence Machinery Service Departments and the Department of Supply to deal with Service Munitions programmes	Supply and Development Act 1939-1948
	Operation and management of factories, work- shops, and undertakings concerned in the production of Munitions	

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The Department of Defence Production—continued.	Arrangements and all action necessary to secure the manufacture, processing and delivery of Munitions Investigations and development of Australian sources of Munitions production including the establishment of annexes or special capacity in industry for that purpose Acquisition by the Commonwealth and the establishment of factories and workshops for the purpose of producing munitions Provision and maintenance of stocks of materials and goods for the purpose of producing munitions Employment and training of technicians, workmen and others for purpose of producing munitions Formation of Industry Advisory Committees to advise the Minister of Defence Production regarding:  The allocation to industry of production programmes of munitions The establishing of additional munitions production facilities, including annexes and undertakings The obtaining of appropriate details of Australian industrial capacity required by the Department of Defence Production in allocating munitions production to industry Any other matters associated with munitions production as specified by the Minister Provision and control of stores, magazine and similar undertakings required in connexion with production of munitions and for other purposes as required Arrangements for ascertaining costs and the control and limitation of profits in connexion with the production of munitions Development of inventions originating in Government factories, in the interests of Defence production	

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Commonwealth of Australia this twenty-first day of June, One thousand nine hundred and fifty-one.

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By His Excellency's Command,

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