NORTHERN TERRITORY (ADMINISTRATION).

**No. 68 of 1961.**

An Act to amend the *Northern Territory* (*Administration*) *Act* 1910–1959.

[Assented to 24th October, 1961.]

[Date of commencement, 21st November, 1961.]

BE it enacted by the Queen’s Most Excellent Majesty, the Senate, and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Australia, as follows:—

**Short title and citation.**

**1.**—(1.) This Act may be cited as the *Northern Territory* (*Administration*) *Act* 1961.

(2.) The *Northern Territory* (*Administration*) *Act* 1910–1959 is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.

(3.) The Principal Act, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the *Northern Territory* (*Administration*) *Act* 1910–1961.

**Oath to be taken by Administrator, &c.**

**2.** Section three d of the Principal Act is amended by omitting from sub-section (2.) the word “Territory” and inserting in its stead the words “Northern Territory of Australia”.

**Application of Commonwealth Electoral Act.**

**3.** Section four e of the Principal Act is amended by inserting in sub-section (3.), after the word “Territory”, the words “of Australia”.

**Disqualifications for membership of Legislative Council.**

**4.** Section four ka of the Principal Act is amended by inserting in sub-section (4.), after the word “Territory”, the words “of Australia”.

**Wards Benefits Trust Fund.**

**5.** Section twenty-one of the Principal Act is amended—

(*a*) by omitting from sub-section (1.) the words “(Benefits from Mining)” and inserting in their stead the word “Benefits”; and

(*b*) by omitting from sub-section (3.) the words “relating to mining” and inserting in their stead the words “,being royalties in respect of mining, or the taking of timber,”.