ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS c.1901

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# THE PRIME MINISTER

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| Fisheries extra-territorial | Pacific Islands |
| Naturalisation of Aliens | High Commissioner |
| Immigration and Emigration | Communications with States |
| Influx of Criminals | Governor-General and Executive Council Offices |
| External Affairs | Officers of Parliament |

# ATTORNEY–GENERAL OF THE COMMONWEALTH

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| Bills of Exchange | Service of Process |
| Bankruptcy | Recognition of Laws |
| Foreign Corporations | Judiciary and Courts |
| Marriage | Crown Law Offices |
| Divorce | Parliamentary Draftsmen |

# HOME SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH

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| Old-age Pensions | Census and Statistics |
| People of Special Races | Public Works |
| Acquisition of Property | Federal Capital |
| Acquisition of Railways with State Consent | Inter-State Commission |
| Control of Railways with State Consent | Elections |
| Astronomical | Public Service |

# TREASURER OF THE COMMONWEALTH

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| Taxation exclusive of Customs and Excise | Banking |
| Public Loans and taking over of State Loans | Insurance |
| Currency |  |

# TRADE AND CUSTOMS MINISTER OF COMMOWEALTH

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| Trade and Commerce (including Navigation, Shipping and Customs) | Conciliation and Arbitration |
| Commonwealth bounties | Lighthouses |
| Patents | Quarantine |
|  | Weights and Measures |

# DEFENCE MINISTER OF THE COMMONWEALTH

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| Naval and Military Defence | Control of Railway Transport for  Defence |

# POSTMASTER–GENERAL OF THE COMMONWEALTH

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| Posts, Telegraphs, and Telephones |