Statutory Rules
1980 No. 1

REGULATIONS UNDER THE PAPUA NEW GUINEA INDEPENDENCE ACT 1975*


Dated this Seventeenth day of September 1980.

ZELMAN COWEN
Governor-General

By His Excellency's Command,

Michael MacKellar
Minister of State for Health for and on behalf of the Minister of State for Foreign Affairs.

PAPUA NEW GUINEA INDEPENDENCE (AUSTRALIAN CITIZENSHIP OF YOUNG PERSONS) REGULATIONS

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Papua New Guinea Citation Independence (Australian Citizenship of Young Persons) Regulations.

2. A person who on Independence Day—
   (a) was under 19 years of age;
   (b) was not for the purposes of section 64 of the Constitution of the Independent State of Papua New Guinea a person who was never granted a right (whether revocable or not) to permanent residence in Australia; and
   (c) ceased to be an Australian citizen,
shall be deemed to have re-acquired his Australian citizenship on that day.

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3. On renouncing Australian citizenship and making the Declaration of Loyalty in accordance with the Constitution of the Independent State of Papua New Guinea, a person referred to in regulation 2 ceases to be an Australian citizen.