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REGULATIONS UNDER THE PAPUA NEW GUINEA INDEPENDENCE ACT 1975\*

I, THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL of the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, hereby make the following 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,

(591) 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.

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