



Foreign States Immunities Amendment Regulations 2009 (No. 1)¹

Select Legislative Instrument 2009 No. 249

I, QUENTIN BRYCE, Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, make the following Regulations under the *Foreign States Immunities Act 1985*.

Dated 29 September 2009

QUENTIN BRYCE
Governor-General

By Her Excellency's Command

ROBERT McCLELLAND
Attorney-General

1 Name of Regulations

These Regulations are the *Foreign States Immunities Amendment Regulations 2009 (No. 1)*.

2 Commencement

These Regulations commence on the day after they are registered.

3 Amendment of *Foreign States Immunities Regulations 1987*

Schedule 1 amends the *Foreign States Immunities Regulations 1987*.

Schedule 1 Amendment

(regulation 3)

[1] After regulation 2

insert

2A Emergency prevention and management — bushfires

Section 13 of the Act does not apply to acts or omissions of the United States of America (or a separate entity of the United States of America) if those acts or omissions are carried out:

- (a) in the course of providing facilities or assistance to the Government of Australia, or the Government of an Australian State or Territory; and
- (b) for the purpose of preparing for, preventing or managing bushfires in Australia.

Note

- 1. All legislative instruments and compilations are registered on the Federal Register of Legislative Instruments kept under the *Legislative Instruments Act 2003*. See <http://www.frli.gov.au>.