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APPOINTMENT OF GEORGE SHAW KNOWLES, ESQUIRE, C.B.E., AS ACTING-SECRETARY, ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT, AND ACTING PARLIAMENTARY DRAFTSMAN.

THE Governor-General in Council has, in pursuance of the provisions of section eighty-eight of the *Commonwealth Public Service Act 1922-1928*, and all other powers Him thereunto enabling, been pleased to appoint George Shaw Knowles, Esquire, C.B.E., Assistant Secretary, Attorney-General's Department, and Assistant Parliamentary Draftsman, to be (during the absence of the Secretary, Attorney-General's Department, and Parliamentary Draftsman from the Seat of Government commencing on the seventeenth day of July, 1930, and until the return of the said Secretary and Parliamentary Draftsman to the Seat of Government) Acting Secretary of the said Department and Acting Parliamentary Draftsman; and been further pleased to direct the said George Shaw Knowles to perform and execute the duties, obligations, rights and powers of the said Secretary and Parliamentary Draftsman, during the said absence, in the same manner and to the same extent in all respects as they might have been performed or exercised by the said Secretary and Parliamentary Draftsman.

FRANK BRENNAN, Attorney-General.

Commonwealth of Australia.

His Excellency Lieutenant-Colonel the Right Honourable ARTHUR HERBERT TENNYSON, BARON SOMERS, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Companion of the Distinguished Service Order, Military Cross, Deputy of the Governor-General in and over the Commonwealth of Australia:

To

GEORGE SHAW KNOWLES, Esquire, C.B.E., Acting Secretary to the Attorney-General's Department.

Greeting:

ARTHUR HERBERT TENNYSON, BARON SOMERS, the Deputy of the Governor-General aforesaid, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, do hereby appoint you to act as Solicitor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, during the pleasure of the Governor-General, and

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during the absence of the Solicitor-General from the Seat of Government commencing on the seventeenth day of July, 1930, and until the return of the Solicitor-General to the Seat of Government.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Commonwealth of Australia, this eighteenth day of July, in the year (I.S.) of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and thirty.

SOMERS

Deputy of the Governor-General.

By His Excellency's Command,

FRANK BRENNAN

Attorney-General.

Entered on Record by me, in Register of Patents, No. 56, page 363, this twenty-first day of July, One thousand nine hundred and thirty.

J. G. McLAREN.

Commonwealth of Australia.

GEORGE V., by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India:

To Our Trusty and Well-beloved

GEORGE SHAW KNOWLES, Our Acting Solicitor-General of Our Commonwealth of Australia.

Greeting:

WHEREAS by the *Judiciary Act 1903-1927* it is enacted that indictable offences against the laws of the Commonwealth shall be prosecuted by indictment in the name of the Attorney-General of the Commonwealth or of such other person as the Governor-General appoints in that behalf and that any such appointment shall be by Commission in the King's name and may extend to the whole Commonwealth or to any State or part of the Commonwealth: And whereas it is desirable to appoint some person to prosecute, during the absence from the Seat of Government of Our Solicitor-General of Our Commonwealth of Australia, and until his return to the Seat of Government, indictable offences against the laws

