

MINING ORDINANCE 1931. ⁽¹⁾

An Ordinance to amend the Mining Ordinance 1928-1930 and for other purposes.

BE it ordained by the Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the *New Guinea Act 1920-1926*, as follows:—

1.—(1.) This Ordinance may be cited as the *Mining Ordinance 1931.*⁽¹⁾ Short title and citation.

(2.) The *Mining Ordinance 1928-1930* is in this Ordinance referred to as the Principal Ordinance.

(3.) The Principal Ordinance, as amended by this Ordinance, may be cited as the *Mining Ordinance 1928-1931.*

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5.—(1.) * * * * * ⁽³⁾

(2.) This section shall be deemed to have commenced on the first day of January, One thousand nine hundred and thirty, and any application for conditional surrender of any lease or leases or rights thereunder purporting to have been made under regulations 111 or 112 of the *Mining Regulations* shall be deemed to have been made under this section and any action taken with respect to any such application shall be as valid and effectual for all purposes as if this section were in force at the time the action was taken.

(1) The *Mining Ordinance 1931* comprises the *Mining Ordinance 1931* as amended by the other Ordinance referred to in the following Table:—

ORDINANCES MADE BY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

Short title, number and year.	Date on which made by Gov.-Gen. in Council.	Date on which notified in <i>Cwlth. Gaz.</i>	Date on which took effect.
<i>Mining Ordinance</i> 1931 (No. 29 of 1931)	23.9.1931	24.9.1931	Sec. 1 on 24.9.1931 (<i>Cwlth. Gaz.</i> of 24.9.1931); Sec. 5 on 1.1.1930 (Sec. 5(2), <i>Mining Ordinance 1931</i>)
<i>Mining Ordinance</i> 1932 (No. 5 of 1932)	13.4.1932	28.4.1932	28.4.1932 (<i>Cwlth. Gaz.</i> of 28.4.1932)

(2) Sections 2-4 and 6-8 amend the *Mining Ordinance 1928-1930*, and the amendments so made are incorporated in the *Mining Ordinance 1928-1940*.

(3) This sub-section inserted Section 46A in the *Mining Ordinance 1928-1930* (now the *Mining Ordinance 1928-1940*).

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Sub-section (3)
added by
No. 5 of 1932,
s. 2.

(3.) Notwithstanding anything contained in the last preceding sub-section, where any application for conditional surrender of any lease or leases or any rights thereunder purporting to have been made under regulation 111 or 112 of the *Mining Regulations* has been refused by the Administrator, the Administrator may revoke his refusal and take such action with respect to the application as he thinks fit.

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