ENCOURAGEMENT OF PRIMARY PRODUCTION ORDINANCE 1972

No. 43 of 1972

An Ordinance to amend the Encouragement of Primary Production Ordinance 1931 as amended

[Assented to 10 August, 1972]

BE it ordained by the Legislative Council for the Northern Territory of Australia as follows:-

1.—(1.) This Ordinance may be cited as the *Encourage*ment of Primary Production Ordinance 1972.

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- (2.) The Encouragement of Primary Production Ordinance 1931 as amended is in this Ordinance referred to as the Principal Ordinance.
- (3.) The Principal Ordinance as amended by this Ordinance may be cited as the Encouragement of Primary Production Ordinance 1931-1972.
- 2. Section 3 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by omit-interpretting the definition of "Producer" and inserting in its stead the following definition:—

"'producer' means-

- (a) a person residing in the Territory who is engaged in, or satisfies the Board that he is intending to be engaged in, primary production in the Territory;
- (b) a society registered under the Co-operative Societies Ordinance 1945 as amended, being a society of which not less than nine-tenths of its members are engaged in, or the Board is satisfied are intending to engage in, primary production in the Territory;".
- 3. Section 9 of the Principal Ordinance is amended—
 - (a) by omitting from sub-section (1.) all words after the word "necessary" and inserting in their stead advances the words "for those purposes including the

granting of assistance to producers by way of advance or otherwise for capital development, operational expenses or such other purpose in connexion with the promotion of primary production in the Territory as the Board thinks fit"; and

(b) by inserting after sub-section (1.) the following sub-section:—

"(1A.) The Board may impose such conditions on the grant of assistance under this section as it thinks fit.".

Repeal of section 9A 4. Section 9A of the Principal Ordinance is repealed.