

# FOOD AND DRUGS ORDINANCE 1968

## No. 5 of 1968

### An Ordinance to amend the *Food and Drugs Ordinance* 1936-1959

[Assented to 20 March, 1968]

**B**E it ordained by the Legislative Council for the Northern Territory of Australia, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Northern Territory (Administration) Act* 1910-1967, as follows:—

Short title  
and citation

1.—(1.) This Ordinance may be cited as the *Food and Drugs Ordinance* 1968.

(2.) The *Food and Drugs Ordinance* 1936-1959 is in this Ordinance referred to as the Principal Ordinance.

(3.) The Principal Ordinance, as amended by this Ordinance, may be cited as the *Food and Drugs Ordinance* 1936-1968.

Dealing in  
absinth  
prohibited

2. Section 109 of the Principal Ordinance is amended—

(a) by omitting from sub-section (1.) the words “Twenty pounds” and inserting in their stead the words “Forty dollars”; and

(b) by omitting from sub-section (1.) the words “Fifty pounds” and inserting in their stead the words “One hundred dollars”.

Penalties

3. Section 110 of the Principal Ordinance is amended—

(a) by omitting the words “Twenty pounds” and inserting in their stead the words “Forty dollars”;

(b) by omitting the words “Five pounds” and inserting in their stead the words “Ten dollars”; and

(c) by omitting the words “One hundred pounds” and inserting in their stead the words “Two hundred dollars”.

Regulations

4. Section 111 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by adding at the end thereof the following words and paragraphs:—  
“and in particular prescribing matters for and in relation to—

- (a) the disposal of waste liquor in any premises or booth in respect of which a person is licensed or authorized to sell liquor under the *Licensing Ordinance* 1939-1967; and
  - (b) penalties for offences against the regulations but so that no penalty shall exceed Forty dollars and where an offence is a continuing offence a penalty for any day during which the offence continues shall not exceed Ten dollars and the total penalty on conviction for an offence which is a continuing offence shall not exceed Two hundred dollars.”.
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