

# FISHERIES ORDINANCE 1977

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No. 13 of 1977

## An Ordinance to amend the *Fisheries Ordinance*

[Assented to 29 April 1977]

**B** it ordained by the Legislative Assembly for the Northern Territory of Australia as follows:

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the *Fisheries Ordinance 1977*. Short title
2. The *Fisheries Ordinance* is in this Ordinance referred to as the *Principal Ordinance*. Principal Ordinance
3. Section 15A of the *Principal Ordinance* is amended by omitting from sub-section (7) the words "Where a licence" and substituting the words "Subject to section 17, where a licence".
4. Section 17 of the *Principal Ordinance* is amended by adding the following sub-section:

"(3) Notwithstanding the provisions of sub-section (7) of section 15A, the Chief Inspector may issue an employee's licence to a person whose licence has been cancelled under sub-section (1) or (3) of section 15A if the Chief Inspector is satisfied—

  - (a) that hardship will be occasioned to the employee by the operation of section 15A(7); and
  - (b) that the person has been regularly employed in the fishing industry; and
  - (c) that for the period during which the person would have been debarred from applying for a licence by virtue of section 15A(7) the person will be *bona fide* employed on wages by the holder of a licence under section 15 of this Ordinance."

