



Acts Interpretation Amendment (2020 Measures No. 1) Substituted Reference Order 2020

I, General the Honourable David Hurley AC DSC (Retd), Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, make the following substituted reference order.

Dated 30 January 2020

David Hurley
Governor-General

By His Excellency's Command

Christian Porter
Attorney-General

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1 Name

This instrument is the *Acts Interpretation Amendment (2020 Measures No. 1) Substituted Reference Order 2020*.

2 Commencement

- (1) Each provision of this instrument specified in column 1 of the table commences, or is taken to have commenced, in accordance with column 2 of the table. Any other statement in column 2 has effect according to its terms.

Commencement information		
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Provisions	Commencement	Date/Details
1. The whole of this instrument	The day after this instrument is registered.	1 February 2020

Note: This table relates only to the provisions of this instrument as originally made. It will not be amended to deal with any later amendments of this instrument.

- (2) Any information in column 3 of the table is not part of this instrument. Information may be inserted in this column, or information in it may be edited, in any published version of this instrument.

3 Authority

This instrument is made under section 19B of the *Acts Interpretation Act 1901*.

4 Schedules

Each instrument that is specified in a Schedule to this instrument is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this instrument has effect according to its terms.

Schedule 1—Amendments

Acts Interpretation Substituted Reference Order 2017

1 At the end of Part 3

Add:

3.7 Substitutions having effect on and after 1 February 2020

The following table sets out substitutions having effect on and after 1 February 2020 that affect provisions of a single Act or instrument that refer to Departments.

Substitutions having effect on and after 1 February 2020—references to Departments in a single Act or instrument		
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Affected provisions	Existing reference	Substitute reference
1 <i>A New Tax System (Family Assistance) (Administration) Act 1999</i> , subsection 3(1) (definition of Human Services Department)	the Department administered by the Human Services Minister	Services Australia
2 <i>Anti-Money Laundering and Counter-Terrorism Financing Act 2006</i> , section 5 (definition of Human Services Department)	the Department administered by the Human Services Minister	Services Australia
3 <i>Carbon Credits (Carbon Farming Initiative—Plantation Forestry) Methodology Determination 2017</i> , section 5 (definition of National Plantation Inventory)	Department of Agriculture and Water Resources	Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment
4 <i>Child Support (Registration and Collection) Act 1988</i> , subsection 4(1) (definition of Human Services Department)	the Department administered by the Human Services Minister	Services Australia
5 <i>Data-matching Program (Assistance and Tax) Act 1990</i> , subsection 3(1) (definition of Human Services Department)	the Department administered by the Human Services Minister	Services Australia
6 <i>Dental Benefits Act 2008</i> , section 4 (definition of Human Services Department)	the Department administered by the Human Services Minister	Services Australia
7 <i>Freedom of Information Act 1982</i> , subsection 4(1) (definition of Human Services Department)	the Department administered by the Human Services Minister	Services Australia

Substitutions having effect on and after 1 February 2020—references to Departments in a single Act or instrument

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Affected provisions	Existing reference	Substitute reference
8 <i>Human Services (Centrelink) Act 1997</i> : (a) section 3 (definition of Departmental employee); (b) paragraph 7(2)(a); (c) subsection 7A(1)	the Department	Services Australia
9 <i>Human Services (Medicare) Act 1973</i> : (a) section 3 (definition of Departmental employee); (b) paragraph 4(2)(a); (c) subsection 4A(1); (d) paragraphs 41C(2)(c) and 41CA(5)(b)	the Department, if the reference to the Department would, apart from this item, be read as a reference to the Department of Social Services in accordance with section 19A of the <i>Acts Interpretation Act 1901</i>	Services Australia
10 <i>My Health Records Act 2012</i> , section 5 (definition of Human Services Department)	the Department administered by the Minister administering the <i>Human Services (Medicare) Act 1973</i>	Services Australia
11 <i>National Redress Scheme for Institutional Child Sexual Abuse Act 2018</i> , section 6 (definition of Human Services Department)	the Department administered by the Minister administering the <i>Human Services (Centrelink) Act 1997</i>	Services Australia
12 <i>Paid Parental Leave Act 2010</i> , section 6 (definition of Human Services Department)	the Department administered by the Human Services Minister	Services Australia
13 <i>Safety, Rehabilitation and Compensation (Defence-related Claims) Act 1988</i> , item 3 of the table in subsection 151A(1)	that Department	Services Australia
14 <i>Social Security Act 1991</i> , subsection 23(1) (definition of Human Services Department)	the Department administered by the Human Services Minister	Services Australia
15 <i>Student Assistance Act 1973</i> , subsection 3(1) (definition of Human Services Department)	the Department administered by the Human Services Minister	Services Australia

2 At the end of Part 4

Add:

4.6 Substitutions having effect on and after 1 February 2020

The following table sets out substitutions having effect on and after 1 February 2020 that affect provisions of a single Act or instrument that refer to Secretaries.

Schedule 1 Amendments

Substitutions having effect on and after 1 February 2020—references to Secretaries in a single Act or instrument		
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Affected provisions	Existing reference	Substitute reference
1 <i>A New Tax System (Family Assistance) Act 1999</i> , subsection 3(1) (definition of Human Services Secretary)	Secretary of the Department administered by the Minister administering the <i>Human Services (Centrelink) Act 1997</i>	Chief Executive Officer of Services Australia
2 <i>A New Tax System (Family Assistance) Act 1999</i> , paragraphs 57GM(b) and 57GO(3)(b)	Secretary of the Human Services Department	Chief Executive Officer of Services Australia
3 <i>A New Tax System (Family Assistance) (Administration) Act 1999</i> : (a) subsection 3(1) (paragraph (b) of the definition of head); (b) subsections 109C(2) and 221(3)	Secretary of the Human Services Department	Chief Executive Officer of Services Australia
4 <i>Child Support (Registration and Collection) Act</i> , subsection 4(1) (definition of Human Services Secretary)	Secretary of the Human Services Department	Chief Executive Officer of Services Australia
5 <i>Human Services (Centrelink) Act 1997</i> : (a) section 3 (definition of Secretary); (b) section 8B	Secretary of the Department	Chief Executive Officer of Services Australia
6 <i>Human Services (Medicare) Act 1973</i> : (a) section 3 (definition of Secretary); (b) section 7A	Secretary of the Department	Chief Executive Officer of Services Australia
7 <i>My Health Records Act 2012</i> , paragraph 105(6)(c)	Secretary of the Human Services Department	Chief Executive Officer of Services Australia
8 <i>National Redress Scheme for Institutional Child Sexual Abuse Act 2018</i> , section 67 (heading)	Human Services Secretary	Chief Executive Officer of Services Australia
9 <i>National Redress Scheme for Institutional Child Sexual Abuse Act 2018</i> , paragraphs 67(b) and 70(3)(b)	Secretary of the Human Services Department	Chief Executive Officer of Services Australia
10 <i>Paid Parental Leave Act 2010</i> , section 6 (definition of Human Services Secretary)	Secretary of the Department administered by the Minister administering the <i>Human Services (Centrelink) Act 1997</i>	Chief Executive Officer of Services Australia
11 <i>Paid Parental Leave Act 2010</i> , paragraphs 278F(b) and	Secretary of the Human Services Department	Chief Executive Officer of Services Australia

Substitutions having effect on and after 1 February 2020—references to Secretaries in a single Act or instrument		
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Affected provisions	Existing reference	Substitute reference
278H(3)(b)		
12 <i>Safety, Rehabilitation and Compensation (Defence-related Claims) Act 1988</i> , item 3 of the table in subsection 151A(1)	Secretary of the Department administered by the Minister who administers the <i>Human Services (Centrelink) Act 1997</i>	Chief Executive Officer of Services Australia
13 <i>Social Security Act 1991</i> , subsection 23(1) (definition of Human Services Secretary)	Secretary of the Department administered by the Minister administering the <i>Human Services (Centrelink) Act 1997</i>	Chief Executive Officer of Services Australia
14 <i>Social Security Act 1991</i> , paragraphs 38R(b) and 38T(3)(b)	Secretary of the Human Services Department	Chief Executive Officer of Services Australia