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QUEEN'S REGULATION

TO PROVIDE for the powers of the Attorney General and accordingly to amend the Interpretation and General Clauses Regulation and the Criminal Procedure Code.

MADE BY Her Britannic Majesty's Resident Commissioner in the New Hebrides in pursuance of the powers contained in the New Hebrides Orders. In the name of Her Majesty Elizabeth the Second, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Her other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

Short title and commencement.

1. This Regulation may be cited as the Attorney General's Powers Regulation 1977 and shall come into operation on the date on which it is published by the Resident Commissioner causing a copy thereof to be exhibited at the Public Office of the Resident Commissioner.

Powers of Attorney General.

2. It is hereby declared that for all purposes the expression "Legal Officer", wherever those words occur in any Regulation, or in any subsidiary legislation made under a Regulation, mean the Attorney General and include a person appointed to be a Legal Officer by the Attorney General, or who, whilst a public officer, is a person appointed to be a Legal Officer by the High Commissioner for the purposes of the Criminal Procedure Code.

Amendment of
Interpretation
and General
Clauses
Regulation.
cap. 1.

3. The definition "Legal Officer" in the
Schedule to the Interpretation and General Clauses
Regulation is deleted and replaced as follows -

"Legal Officer" means the Attorney General
and any other person appointed by the
Attorney General to be a Legal Officer for
the purposes of the Criminal Procedure
Code; " .

Amendment of
Criminal
Procedure Code.
cap. 3.

4. Section 2 of the Criminal Procedure Code
amended by deleting the definition "Legal Officer"
and replacing it as follows -

"Legal Officer" means the Attorney General
and any other person appointed by the Attorney
General to be a Legal Officer for the purposes
of this Code; " .

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