Land Administration Amendment Regulations (No. 3) 2000

Made by the Governor in Executive Council.

1. Citation

These regulations may be cited as the Land Administration Amendment Regulations (No. 3) 2000.

2. Commencement

These regulations come into operation on the day on which section 4 of the Acts Amendment (Australian Datum) Act 2000 comes into operation.

3. Regulation 17A inserted

After regulation 17 of the Land Administration Regulations 1998* the following regulation is inserted in Part 2 —

17A. Prescribed Australian datum for determining Divisions of State

(1) The position on the surface of the Earth of the Divisions referred to in section 6 of the Act are determined by reference to the Australian Geodetic Datum ("the AGD").

(2) For the purposes of subregulation (1), the AGD is defined by an ellipsoid having a semi-major axis (equatorial radius) of 6,378,160 metres and a flattening of 1/298.25 and fixed by the position of the origin being the Johnston Geodetic Station in the Northern Territory of Australia.

(3) The Johnston Geodetic Station is taken to be situated at —

(a) 25° 56' 54.5515" south latitude and 133° 12' 30.0771" east longitude; or
(b) where decimal reckoning is used, 25° 56.90919' south latitude and 133° 12.50129' east longitude, and to have a ground level elevation of 571.2 metres above the ellipsoid referred to in subregulation (2).

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By Command of the Governor,

M. C. WAUCHOPE, Clerk of the Executive Council.