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SOIL AND LAND CONSERVATION ACT 1945
SOIL AND LAND CONSERVATION (CLEARING CONTROL) REGULATIONS
1991

Made by His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council.

PART 1—PRELIMINARY

Citation

1. These regulations may be cited as the *Soil and Land Conservation (Clearing Control) Regulations 1991*.

Interpretation

2. In these regulations unless the contrary intention appears—

“to clear” in relation to any land means to cut down, destroy or otherwise damage trees, shrubs, grass or other plants on that land but does not include the cutting of trees for firewood or posts for timber.

PART 2—BRUCE ROCK LAND CONSERVATION DISTRICT

Definitions

3. In this Part, unless the contrary intention appears—

“district” means the Bruce Rock Land Conservation District constituted under clause 4 of the *Soil and Land Conservation (Bruce Rock Land Conservation District) Order 1984**;

“remnant native vegetation” means native flora and also means regrowth of native flora which has occurred following clearing but does not include native species planted for harvesting.

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Clearing of remnant native vegetation prohibited

4. Subject to regulation 5 the clearing of remnant native vegetation in the district is prohibited.

Commissioner may grant exemption

5. (1) The Commissioner may exempt an owner or occupier from the operation of regulation 4.

(2) The Commissioner shall only grant an exemption referred to in subregulation (1) where the Commissioner is satisfied that the land degradation caused by the removal of remnant native vegetation is not or will not be detrimental to the present or future use of land.

By His Excellency's Command,

L. M. AULD, Clerk of the Council.
