

# WESTERN AUSTRALIAN MARINE.

No. 21 of 1978.

**AN ACT to amend section two hundred and five of  
the Western Australian Marine Act, 1948-1977.**

*[Assented to 18th May, 1978.]*

**BE** it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly of Western Australia, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the *Western Australian Marine Act Amendment Act, 1978.*

Short title  
and citation.

(2) In this Act the Western Australian Marine Act, 1948-1977, is referred to as the principal Act.

(3) The principal Act as amended by this Act may be cited as the Western Australian Marine Act, 1948-1978.

Approved for  
Reprint 13th  
June, 1968.  
Amended by  
Acts Nos. 30  
of 1968, 1 of  
1972, 94 of  
1972 (as  
amended by  
No. 42 of  
1975), 109 of  
1973, 4 and 12  
of 1976, and  
67 of 1977.

Section 205  
amended.

2. Section 205 of the principal Act is amended—

- (a) by inserting after the section designation “205.” the subsection designation “(1)”;
- (b) by deleting the word “reward”, being the last word in the section, and substituting the passage “reward, and any other vessel which the Minister may declare pursuant to subsection (2) of this section to be a vessel to which the provisions of this Division of this Part of this Act apply”; and
- (c) by adding three new subsections as follows—

(2) The Minister may, from time to time, by order under his hand declare that the provisions of this Division of this Part of this Act shall apply to any vessel, or any type of vessel, (not being a vessel required to be licensed pursuant to section one hundred and eighty-five of this Act or the subject of enactment under any other Part of this Act), specified in that order, and thereupon effect shall be given to the order according to its tenor and such provisions shall apply to and in relation to any such vessel.

(3) An order made pursuant to subsection (2) of this section shall be published for general information in the *Government Gazette* as soon as is practicable after it is made, but any failure to comply with the requirement of this subsection shall not affect the validity of the order.

(4) An order made pursuant to subsection (2) of this section may be revoked by the Minister by notice published in the *Government Gazette*.

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