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It is notified for public information that His Excellency the Governor, acting on the advice of the Premier, has received and accepted the resignation of the following Ministers with effect on and from 3 April 1996—

The Honourable Richard Fairfax Court, BCom, MLA
Premier; Treasurer; Minister for Public Sector Management; Federal Affairs

The Honourable Cheryl Lynn Edwardes, BJuris, LLB, BA, MLA
Minister for Family and Children's Services; Youth; Seniors; Fair Trading; Women's Interests.

It is also notified for public information that His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, has been pleased to designate and declare under Section 43 of the Constitution Acts Amendment Act 1899, that with effect on and from 3 April 1996 there shall be seventeen principal executive offices of the Government for the purposes of the said Act and they shall be as follows—

1. Premier; Treasurer; Minister for Public Sector Management; Youth; Federal Affairs
2. Deputy Premier; Minister for Commerce and Trade; Regional Development; Small Business
3. Minister for Resources Development; Energy; Education; Leader of the House in the Legislative Assembly
4. Minister for Primary Industry; Fisheries
5. Minister for Mines; Lands; Minister assisting the Minister for Public Sector Management; Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council
6. Minister for Transport
7. Minister for Employment and Training; Tourism; Sport and Recreation; Parliamentary and Electoral Affairs
8. Minister for Family and Children's Services; Seniors; Fair Trading; Women's Interests
9. Minister for Finance; Racing and Gaming; Minister assisting the Treasurer
10. Attorney General; Minister for Justice; the Environment; the Arts
11. Minister for Labour Relations; Housing
12. Minister for Water Resources
13. Minister for Works; Services; Disability Services; Minister assisting the Minister for Justice
14. Minister for Planning; Heritage
15. Minister for Police; Emergency Services
16. Minister for Local Government; Multicultural and Ethnic Affairs
17. Minister for Health; Aboriginal Affairs.

It is also notified for public information that His Excellency the Governor has appointed the following persons as Ministers with effect on and from 3 April 1996—

The Honourable Richard Fairfax Court, BCom, MLA
Premier; Treasurer; Minister for Public Sector Management; Youth; Federal Affairs

The Honourable Cheryl Lynn Edwardes, BJuris, LLB, BA, MLA
Minister for Family and Children's Services; Seniors; Fair Trading; Women's Interests.

It is further notified for public information that the full Ministry now constituted comprises the following—

The Honourable Richard Fairfax Court, BCom, MLA
Premier; Treasurer; Minister for Public Sector Management; Youth; Federal Affairs

The Honourable Hendy John Cowan, MLA
Deputy Premier; Minister for Commerce and Trade; Regional Development; Small Business

The Honourable Colin James Barnett, MEc, MLA
Minister for Resources Development; Energy; Education; Leader of the House in the Legislative Assembly