— PART 1 —

MINERALS AND PETROLEUM

MP301*

Mining Act 1978

Mining Amendment Regulations (No. 3) 2005

Made by the Governor in Executive Council.

1. Citation

These regulations are the *Mining Amendment Regulations* (No. 3) 2005.

2. Commencement

These regulations come into operation on 1 July 2005.

3. The regulations amended

The amendments in these regulations are to the *Mining Regulations 1981**.

[* *Reprint 5 as at 16 July 2004.*]

4. Regulation 86A amended

Regulation 86A(7) is repealed and the following subregulations are inserted instead —

- (7) For the purposes of subregulation (6), a royalty part-payment for a mineral shall be paid within 30 days after the end of the quarter during which a part-payment of the gross invoice value of the mineral was paid by the purchaser of the mineral.
- (7a) The amount of a royalty part-payment shall be calculated using a method approved by the Director General of Mines.

By Command of the Governor,

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