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PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir ARTHUR EDWARD KENNEDY,
Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Queensland and its Dependencies.

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A. E. KENNEDY,
Governor.

WHEREAS by Proclamation bearing date the fifteenth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, under the hand and seal of His Excellency William Wellington Cairns, Esquire, then Governor of the Colony of Queensland, in pursuance of the power and authority vested in him by an Act passed in the fourth year of Her Majesty's reign, and intituled "*An Act for the Regulation of Gaols Prisons and Houses of Correction in the Colony of New South Wales and its Dependencies and for other purposes relating thereto*," and by and with the advice of the Executive Council, it was thereby notified and proclaimed that a former Proclamation bearing date the fourteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, under the hand and seal of His Excellency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, then Governor of the Colony of Queensland, be rescinded and revoked, and that the Island of St. Helena be declared to be a Public Gaol, Prison, and House of Correction, under the provisions of an Act passed in the fourth year of Her Majesty's reign, and intituled "*An Act for the Regulation of Gaols Prisons and Houses of Correction in the Colony of New South Wales and its Dependencies and for other purposes relating thereto*": And whereas it is now deemed expedient and necessary to rescind and revoke the aforesaid Proclamation, dated the fifteenth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five: Now, therefore, I, Sir ARTHUR EDWARD KENNEDY, the Governor aforesaid, in pursuance of the power and authority vested in me in that behalf, and by and with the advice of the Executive Council, do, by this my Proclamation, rescind and revoke the Proclamation lastly hereinbefore recited.

Given under my Hand and Seal, at Government House, Brisbane, this fourth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, and in the forty-third year of Her Majesty's reign.

By Command,

A. H. PALMER.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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A. E. KENNEDY,
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WHEREAS by an Act passed by the Legislature of Queensland, in the twenty-ninth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and entitled "*An Act for the further improving the Administration of Criminal Justice*," it is amongst other things enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, by any notice to be published by his Order in the *Government Gazette*, to appoint any one or more place or places within the Colony or its Dependencies, or in any river, fort, or harbour thereof, at which offenders convicted therein and under order or sentence of penal servitude, or of hard labour on the roads or other public works of the colony, or under any order or sentence passed in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act, shall be detained; and every such offender shall be liable to be kept to hard labour at such place or places during such period of the sentence or term of punishment as the said Governor, with the advice aforesaid, shall order and direct: And whereas it is deemed advisable to appoint the Island of St. Helena, in Moreton Bay, to be a place where such sentences as aforesaid may be carried out: Now, therefore, I, the Governor aforesaid, in pursuance of the power so vested in me, and by and with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby notify and proclaim that the said Island of St. Helena, in Moreton Bay, within the Colony of Queensland, shall be, and is from the date of this Proclamation, a place whereat offenders under order or sentence of hard labour or penal servitude may be detained as by the said Act directed.

Given under my Hand and Seal, at Government House, Brisbane, this fourth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, and in the forty-third year of Her Majesty's reign.

By Command,

A. H. PALMER.

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