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## ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS.

ORDERED BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL.

I, ALEXANDER GORE ARKWRIGHT, BARON GOWRIE, the Governor-General in and over the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, do hereby approve of the Administrative Arrangements specified in the Schedule hereto, and I order that, until further Order herein, all Acts of the Commonwealth Parliament relating to the matters specified in the second column of the Schedule opposite to the name of a Department (including the Acts specified in the third column opposite to the name of a Department) shall, unless the contrary intention appears in the Act, be administered by the Minister of State for the Commonwealth administering that Department.

## THE SCHEDULE.

The names of the Departments of State of the Commonwealth are specified in the first column of the Schedule, and the matters dealt with by each Department and the Acts administered by the Minister administering it are respectively specified in the second and third columns opposite the name of the Department.

First Column. Name of Department.	Second Column. Matters dealt with by each Department.	Third Column. Acts Administered by the Minister of each Department.
The Prime Minister's Department	Auditor-General British Phosphate Commissioners Cabinet and Parliamentary Arrangements Channel of communication for all Departments, with the Governor-General—State, British and Dominion Governments Commonwealth Oil Refineries Limited (relations with) Development Executive Council Matters Gazette (Commonwealth) Historic Memorials Migration Premiers' Conferences Public Service Board Repatriation and Relief of Distressed Australians Abroad Representation of Australia, abroad—High Commissioner, London; Commissioner for Australia in the United States of America; Commercial Agency, Paris Royal Commissions Scientific and Industrial Research Statutes (Commonwealth) Territories— Ashmore and Cartier Islands Nauru New Guinea Norfolk Island Papua Prisoners from Territories outside the Commonwealth Shipping Services	Ashmore and Cartier Islands Acceptance Act 1933 Cockatoo Island Dockyard Agreement Act 1933 Committee of Public Accounts Act 1913-1934 Committee of Public Accounts Act 1932 Commonwealth Grants Commission Act 1933 Commonwealth Public Service Act 1922-1934 Commonwealth Public Works Committee Act 1913-1921 Commonwealth Public Works Committee Act 1932 Commonwealth Salaries Act 1907 Development and Migration Act 1926-1930 Geophysical Survey Act 1928 High Commissioner Act 1909 Migrant Settlement Agreement Act 1933 Ministers of State Act 1935 Nauru Island Agreement Acts 1919, 1932 New Guinea Act 1920-1935 Norfolk Island Act 1913-1935 Northern Australia Survey Act 1934 Officers' Rights Declaration Act 1928-1933 Oil Agreement Acts 1920, 1924, 1926 Papua Act 1905-1934 Parliamentary Allowances Act 1920-1928 Petrol Commission Act 1933 Removal of Prisoners (Territories) Act 1923-1936 Royal Commissions Act 1902-1933 Science and Industry Endowment Act 1926 Science and Industry Research Act 1920-1926 Special Annuity Acts 1923, 1934, 1935 Wheat Commission Act 1935

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The Department of the Treasury	Appropriation and Supply Banking Census and Statistics Clearing Office under Peace Treaties Commonwealth Housing Commonwealth Stores Supply and Tender Board Currency, Coinage and Legal Tender Employees' Compensation Expropriation of Enemy Property Financial Assistance to States Government Printing Imperial Pensions Insurance Invalid and Old-age Pensions Loan Council; and all Loan Matters Maternity Allowances Pensions and Retiring Allowances Public Debt Public Finance and Accounts Soldier Land Settlement Stamp, and Bond Printing States Debts Stores Supply and Purchase—Co-ordination of Superannuation Taxation, other than duties of Customs and of Excise	Appropriation Acts <i>Appropriation (Unemployment Relief) Act 1936</i> <i>Audit Act 1901-1934</i> <i>Bank Notes Tax Act 1919</i> <i>Census and Statistics Act 1905-1930</i> <i>Coinage Act 1909</i> <i>Commonwealth Bank Act 1911-1932</i> <i>Commonwealth Debt Conversion Act 1931</i> <i>Commonwealth Debt Conversion Act (No. 2) 1931</i> <i>Commonwealth Employees' Compensation Act 1930</i> <i>Commonwealth Housing Act 1927-1928</i> <i>Commonwealth Inscribed Stock Act 1911-1933</i> <i>Constitution Alteration (State Debts) 1909, 1928</i> <i>Debt Conversion Agreement Act 1931</i> <i>Debt Conversion Agreement Act (No. 2) 1931</i> <i>Economic Research Act 1929</i> <i>Estate Duty Act 1914</i> <i>Estate Duty Assessment Act 1914-1928</i> <i>Financial Agreement Act 1928</i> <i>Financial Agreements (Commonwealth Liability) Act 1932</i> <i>Financial Agreement Validation Act 1929</i> <i>Financial Emergency Act 1931-1935 (except Parts VI, VII, and VIII.)</i> <i>Financial Relief Acts 1932-1934, 1935</i> <i>Financial Relief Act 1934-1936 (except Parts VI, and VII.)</i> <i>Flour Tax Assessment Acts</i> <i>Flour Tax Acts</i> <i>Funding Arrangements Act 1921</i> <i>Immigration Loan Act 1922</i> <i>Income Tax Acts</i> <i>Income Tax Assessment Act 1936</i> <i>Income Tax Assessment (Bonus Shares) Act 1926</i> <i>Income Tax Collection Act 1923-1934</i> <i>Insurance Acts 1932</i> <i>Invalid and Old-age Pensions Act 1909-1935</i> <i>Land Tax Act 1910-1921</i> <i>Land Tax Assessment Act 1910-1934</i> <i>Life Assurance Companies Act 1905</i> <i>Loan Acts</i> <i>Loan Appropriation (Unemployment Relief) Act 1934-1935</i> <i>Loan Fund Expenditure Act 1933</i> <i>Loan (Unemployment Relief Weeks) Acts 1932</i> <i>Loans Redemption and Conversion Act 1921</i> <i>Loans Securities Act 1919</i> <i>Marine Insurance Act 1909</i> <i>Maternity Allowance Act 1912-1934</i> <i>National Debt Sinking Fund Act 1923-1934</i> <i>Naval Loan Repeal Act 1910</i> <i>Sales Tax Acts</i> <i>Sales Tax Assessment Acts</i> <i>Sales Tax Exemptions Act 1935</i> <i>Sales Tax (Financial Relief) Act 1935</i> <i>Sales Tax Procedure Act 1934-1935</i> <i>Sales Tax (Securities and Exemptions) Act 1935</i> <i>Silver Agreement Act 1933</i> <i>Soldier Settlement Loans (Financial Agreement) Act 1935</i> <i>South Australia Grant Acts</i> <i>State Grants Acts 1927-1934, 1934, 1935</i> <i>States Grants (Local Public Works) Act 1936</i> <i>Statistical Bureau (Tasmania) Act 1924</i> <i>Superannuation Act 1922-1934</i> <i>Supply Acts</i> <i>Surplus Revenue Acts 1903, 1909, 1910</i> <i>Tasmania Grant Acts</i> <i>Tasmania Grant (Flour Tax) Act 1935</i> <i>Tasmania Sinking Fund Agreement Act 1928</i> <i>Tasmanian Loan Redemption Act 1919</i> <i>Taxation of Loans Act 1923</i> <i>Transferred Officers' Pensions Act 1934</i> <i>Trans-Pacific Flight Appropriation Act 1934</i> <i>Treasury Bills Act 1914-1915</i> <i>Treaties of Peace (Austria and Bulgaria) Act 1920</i> <i>Treaty of Peace (Germany) Act 1919-1920</i> <i>Treaty of Peace (Hungary) Act 1921</i> <i>War Gratuity Acts 1920</i> <i>War Precautions Act Repeal Act 1920-1934 (Sections 18 and 20)</i> <i>War-time Profits Tax Act 1917</i> <i>War-time Profits Tax Assessment Acts</i> <i>Western Australia Grant Acts</i> <i>Wool Tax Assessment Act 1933</i> <i>Wool Tax Act 1936</i>
The Attorney-General's Department	Arbitration in relation to employment in the Commonwealth Public Service Bankruptcy and Insolvency	<i>Acts Interpretation Act 1901-1932</i> <i>Acts Interpretation Act 1904-1934</i> <i>Amendments Incorporation Act 1905-1918</i>

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First Column. Name of Department.	Second Column. Matters dealt with by each Department.	Third Column. Acts Administered by the Minister of each Department.
The Attorney-General's Department— <i>contd.</i>	<p>Bills of Exchange and Promissory Notes Conciliation and Arbitration Copyright Crown Law Officers Designs Divorce and Matrimonial Causes Foreign Corporations Judiciary and Courts Marriage Parliamentary Drafting Patents Police (Territory for the Seat of Government) Recognition throughout the Commonwealth and its Territories of the Laws, Records and Judicial Proceedings of the States and the Territories Reporting of proceedings of Commonwealth tribunals Service and execution throughout the Commonwealth of State Process and Judgments Trade Marks Trading and Financial Corporations formed within the limits of the Commonwealth Waterside Employment</p>	<p><i>Arbitration (Public Service) Act 1911</i> <i>Arbitration (Public Service) Act 1920-1934</i> <i>Intellectual Property Act 1913-1-1933</i> <i>Bills of Exchange Act 1908-1932</i> <i>Deq. Seals' Association Act 1924</i> <i>Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Act 1904-1934</i> <i>Copyright Act 1912-1935</i> <i>Crimes Act 1914-1932</i> <i>Designs Act 1906-1934</i> <i>Evidence Act 1905-1934</i> <i>Extradition Act 1903-1934</i> <i>Financial Emergency Act 1931-1935 (Part VII.)</i> <i>High Court Procedure Act 1903-1933</i> <i>Industrial Peace Acts 1920</i> <i>Judiciary Act 1903-1934</i> <i>Jury Exemption Act 1905-1932</i> <i>Legal Proceedings Control Act 1919</i> <i>Parliamentary Papers Act 1908-1935</i> <i>Patents Act 1903-1935</i> <i>Patents, Trade Marks and Designs Act 1910</i> <i>Peace Officers' Act 1926</i> <i>Press Publication Act 1903-1934</i> <i>Seat of Government Supreme Court Act 1933-1935</i> <i>Service and Execution of Process Act 1901-1934</i> <i>Solicitor-General Act 1916</i> <i>State and Territorial Laws and Records Recognition Act 1901-1925</i> <i>Statute Law Revision Act 1934</i> <i>Statutory Declarations Act 1911-1922</i> <i>Trade Marks Act 1905-1934</i> <i>Transport Workers Act 1928-1929</i></p>
The Department of Industry	Industrial Matters	
The Department of External Affairs	<p>Antarctic Australian interests in the New Hebrides Channel of communication for matters other than trade with Australian Trade Commissioners Communication with British diplomatic missions and consulates on political matters Consuls and consular matters Foreign affairs Foreign Press, including publications in a foreign language in Australia Inter-Imperial and Dominion political relations International Conferences International questions affecting policy in respect of mandates, nationality, status of aliens, and immigration League of Nations (including International Labour Organization and Permanent Court of International Justice) Political matters in connexion with Australian representation abroad Territorial waters Treaties and International Agreements</p>	<i>Australian Antarctic Territory Acceptance Act 1933</i>
The Department of Defence	<p>Civil Aviation Naval, Military and Air Defence and cognate questions</p>	<p><i>Air Force Act 1923</i> <i>Air Navigation Act 1920</i> <i>Australian Imperial Force Contingent Funds Act 1920</i> <i>Carriage by Air Act 1935</i> <i>Control of Naval Waters Act 1918</i> <i>Deceased Soldiers' Estates Act 1918-1919</i> <i>Defence Act 1903-1934</i> <i>Defence Equipment Acts 1924, 1925, 1934</i> <i>Financial Emergency Act 1931-1935 (Part II.)</i> <i>London Naval Treaty Act 1930</i> <i>Naval Defence Act 1910-1934</i> <i>Telegraph Act 1909</i> <i>Treaties of Washington Act 1922</i> <i>War Precautions Act Amendment Act 1920-1934 (Section 3)</i></p>
The Postmaster-General's Department	Postal, Telegraphic and Telephonic Services, Wireless Telegraphy and Telephony	<p><i>Australian Broadcasting Commission Act 1932</i> <i>Post and Telegraph Act 1901-1934</i> <i>Post and Telegraph Rates Act 1902-1931</i> <i>Purchase Telephone Lines Acquisition Act 1911</i> <i>Wireless Agreement Acts 1921, 1927</i> <i>Wireless Telegraphy Act 1905-1936</i></p>

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First Column. Name of Department.	Second Column. Matters dealt with by each Department.	Third Column. Acts Administered by the Minister of each Department.
The Department of Trade and Customs	Bounties Customs Excise Film Censorship Restriction of Imports and Exports Sugar Control Tariff Board Trade Treaties	<i>Australian Industries Preservation Act 1906-1930</i> <i>Beer Excise Act 1901-1928</i> <i>Bounties Procedure Act 1907-1934</i> <i>Commerce (Trade Descriptions) Act 1905-1933</i> (except Exports) <i>Customs Act 1901-1933</i> <i>Customs Tariff 1933-1936</i> <i>Customs Tariff (European Preference) 1934-1936</i> <i>Customs Tariff (Exchange Adjustment) Act 1933-1936</i> <i>Customs Tariff (Industries Preservation) Act 1921-1933</i> <i>Customs Tariff (New Zealand Preference) 1933-1934</i> <i>Customs Tariff (New Zealand Preference) Agreement Act 1933</i> <i>Customs Tariff (Papua and New Guinea Preference) 1934</i> <i>Customs Tariff (Privilege Duties) 1934</i> <i>Customs Tariff Validation Acts</i> <i>Distillation Act 1901-1934</i> <i>Excise Act 1901-1934</i> <i>Excise Tariff 1921-1926</i> <i>Excise Tariff Validation Acts</i> <i>Financial Emergency Act 1931-1935</i> (Part VIII.) <i>Flax and Lined Bounties Act 1930-1934</i> <i>Gold Bounty Act 1930-1934</i> <i>Iron and Steel Products Bounty Act 1922-1934</i> <i>New Zealand Re-exports Act 1924</i> <i>Papua and New Guinea Bounties Act 1926</i> <i>Rare Cotton Bounty Act 1934-1935</i> <i>Secret Commissions Act 1905</i> <i>Spirits Act 1906-1935</i> <i>Sugar Agreement Acts 1932, 1935</i> <i>Sulphur Bounty Act 1923-1934</i> <i>Tariff Board Act 1921-1934</i> <i>United Kingdom and Australian Trade Agreement Act 1932</i> <i>Wine Export Bounty Act 1934</i>
The Department of the Interior	Astronomy Australian War Memorial Australian Commonwealth Shipping Board Commonwealth Literary Fund Conveyance of Members of Parliament and others Co-ordination of Australian Transport Services Elections and Franchise Emigration of children and aborigines Forestry Geodesy (International Map of the World, and 129th Meridian) Immigration Indentured Coloured Labour Lands and Surveys Meteorology Naturalization Northern Territory Oil Investigation and Prospecting (encouragement of) Passports Pearl Shelling and Trepang Fisheries in Australian waters beyond Territorial Limits Properties (a) transferred, (b) acquired, (c) rented Prospecting for precious metals (assistance for) Public Works and Services Railways Rivers, roads and bridges Seat of Government Solar Observatory War Service Homes	<i>Australia War Memorial Act 1925</i> <i>Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918-1934</i> <i>Commonwealth Electoral War-time Repeal Act 1920</i> <i>Commonwealth Railways Act 1917-1925</i> <i>Commonwealth Shipping Act 1923</i> <i>Constitution Alteration (Senate Elections) 1906</i> <i>Contract Immigrants Act 1905</i> <i>Emigration Act 1910</i> <i>Federal Aid Roads Acts 1926, 1931</i> <i>Forestry Bureau Act 1930-1932</i> <i>Grafton to South Brisbane Railway Act 1924-1930</i> <i>Immigration Act 1901-1935</i> <i>Jervis Bay Territory Acceptance Act 1915</i> <i>Kalgoorlie to Port Augusta Railway Act 1911-1912</i> <i>Kalgoorlie to Port Augusta Railway Lands Act 1918-1929</i> <i>Lands Acquisition Act 1906-1934</i> <i>Meteorology Act 1906</i> <i>Naturalization Act 1920-1930</i> <i>Northern Territory Acceptance Act 1910-1910</i> <i>Northern Territory (Administration) Act 1910-1933</i> <i>Northern Territory Railway Extension Act 1923</i> <i>Northern Territory Representation Act 1922-1925</i> <i>Opandulla to Alice Springs Railway Act 1926</i> <i>Passports Act 1920</i> <i>Petroleum Oil Search Act 1936</i> <i>Petroleum Prospecting Acts 1926-1927, 1928</i> <i>Pine Creek to Katherine River Railway Act 1913</i> <i>Port Augusta to Port Pirie Railway Act 1935</i> <i>Precious Metals Prospecting Act 1926</i> <i>Referendum (Constitution Alteration) Act 1906-1928</i> <i>Representation Act 1905</i> <i>River Murray Waters Acts 1915-1934, 1923, 1934</i> <i>Seat of Government Acceptance Acts 1909, 1922</i> <i>Seat of Government Act 1908</i> <i>Seat of Government (Administration) Act 1910-1933</i> <i>Seat of Government (Administration) Act 1923</i> <i>Seat of Government (Administration) Act 1930-1935</i> <i>Seat of Government Railway Act 1928</i> <i>Senate Elections Act 1903-1922</i> <i>Solar Observatory Fund Act 1926-1932</i> <i>War Service Homes Act 1918-1935</i> <i>War Service Homes Agreement Act 1932</i> <i>War Service Homes (South Australia) Agreement Act 1934</i>
The Department of Commerce	Advances to settlers for purchase of wire and wire-netting Advisory Committee on Eastern Trade Assistance to Primary Producers (General)	<i>Advances to Settlers Act 1923</i> <i>Apple and Pear Bounty Act 1936</i> <i>Beaches, Fishing Grounds and Sea Routes Protection Act 1932</i> (except Section 3)

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The Department of Commerce—continued.	Assisting the following Organizations :— Australian Agricultural Council Australian Apple and Pear Export Council Australian Dairy Produce Board Australian Meat Board Australian National Travel Association Canned Fruits Control Board Council for the Australian Pig Industry Dairy Produce Interstate Organizations Dried Fruits Control Board Dried Fruits Interstate Organization Egg Producers Council Standing Committee on Agriculture Wine Overseas Marketing Board Collection of Colonial Light Dues on behalf of H.M. Government in the United Kingdom Collection and dissemination of Commercial and Industrial Information Compensation to seamen for injuries suffered in the course of their employment Farmers Debt Adjustment (in conjunction with Treasury Department) Film Publicity Inspection and/or grading of dairy produce, meat, fruit (fresh, dried and canned), jams, honey, vege- tables, &c., exported from the Commonwealth Investigations into overseas trade and collection and dissemination of commercial intelligence Investigations of primary industries and marketing problems Lighthouses, light ships, beacons and buoys Navigation and shipping Organization and direction of Australian Trade Com- missioner's Service overseas Overseas shipping freights Payment of artificial manure subsidy 1932-33 Payment of wheat bounty 1931-32 season Protection of sea routes and fishing grounds beyond territorial limits Representation on International Exhibitions Rural Credits Trade Agreements— Administration of the export aspects of agreements Collaboration with other Departments in negotiations Trade publicity and advertising in the United Kingdom and other overseas countries Trade representation abroad Waterside employment	<i>Canned Fruit Export Charges Act 1925-1925</i> <i>Canned Fruit Export Control Act 1926-1935</i> <i>Colonial Light Dues Collection Act 1932-1934</i> <i>Colonial Light Dues (Rates) Act 1932</i> <i>Commerce (Trade Descriptions) Act 1905-1933 (Exports)</i> <i>Dairy Produce Act 1933-1935</i> <i>Dairy Produce Export Charges Act 1921-1929</i> <i>Dairy Produce Export Control Act 1924-1936</i> <i>Dried Fruits Act 1928-1935</i> <i>Dried Fruits Export Charges Act 1924-1929</i> <i>Dried Fruits Export Control Act 1924-1935</i> <i>Export Guarantee Act 1924-1934</i> <i>Financial Relief Act 1932-1934 (Part VII.)</i> <i>Financial Relief Act 1934-1936 (Parts VI. and VII.)</i> <i>Fruit Growers' Relief Act 1933</i> <i>Lighthouses Act 1911-1916</i> <i>Lona (Farmers Debt Adjustment) Act 1935-1936</i> <i>Mandarin Growers' Relief Act 1934</i> <i>Meat Export Charges Act 1935</i> <i>Meat Export Control Act 1935-1936</i> <i>Navigation Act 1912-1935</i> <i>Orange Bounty Acts 1935, 1936</i> <i>Primary Producers Export Charges Act 1935</i> <i>Primary Producers Export Organization Act 1935</i> <i>Primary Producers Relief Act 1935-1936</i> <i>Pine Bounty Act 1936</i> <i>Queensland Meat Inspection Agreement Act 1932</i> <i>Sea Carriage of Goods Act 1924</i> <i>Seamen's Compensation Act 1911</i> <i>Trade Commissioners Act 1933</i> <i>Whaling Act 1935</i> <i>Wheat Acquisition Act 1933</i> <i>Wheat and Wheat Products Act 1935</i> <i>Wheat Bounty Act 1931-1934</i> <i>Wheat Growers' Relief Acts 1934-1935, 1936</i> <i>Wine Grape Charges Acts 1929</i> <i>Wine Overseas Marketing Act 1929-1934</i> <i>Wire and Wire Netting Act 1927-1932</i> <i>Wool Publicity and Research Act 1936</i>
The Department of Health	Administration of any subsidies by the Commonwealth for the assistance of efforts by State Governments or public authorities for the eradication, prevention, or control of disease Australian Institute of Anatomy, Canberra Collection of sanitary data and the investigation of all factors affecting health in industries Commonwealth Serum Laboratories and the commercial distribution of the products manufactured in these laboratories Conducting of campaigns of prevention of disease in which more than one State is interested Discharge of refuse into the sea Education of the public in matters of health International Hygiene matters affecting the Common- wealth Investigation of causes of disease and death, and the establishment and control of laboratories for this purpose Medical examinations of seamen and inspection of vessels under the Navigation Act and Seamen's Compensation Act Medical examinations under the Invalid and Old-age Pensions, and Public Service Acts Methods of prevention of disease Public Health Administration in the Federal Capital Territory Quarantine, including quarantine of animals and plants School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine, Sydney	<i>Australian Institute of Anatomy Agreement Acts 1924- 1933, 1931</i> <i>Beaches, Fishing Grounds and Sea Routes Protection Act 1932 (Section 3)</i> <i>Quarantine Act 1908-1924</i>
Repatriation Depart- ment	General repatriation, including employment, grants in aid, vocations, training and children's education	<i>Australian Soldiers' Repatriation Act 1920-1935</i> <i>Financial Emergency Act 1931-1935 (War Pensions)</i>

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Repatriation Department—continued..	Medical services, including reciprocal medical treatment for soldiers of the United Kingdom, Canada, South Africa, New Zealand, Newfoundland and the United States of America in Australia, hospitals, sanatoria, and hostels Supply, renewal and repair of artificial limbs and surgical aids War Pensions, including Imperial and Dominion War Pensions War Pensions Assessment Appeal Tribunals War Pensions Entitlement Appeal Tribunals	<i>Financial Relief Act 1932-1934 (War Pensions)</i>

(L.S.) Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Commonwealth of Australia this thirteenth day of August, One thousand nine hundred and thirty-six

GOWRIE,  
Governor-General.

By His Excellency's Command,

J. A. LYONS,  
Prime Minister.