

# COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

## Administrative Arrangements.

### THE PRIME MINISTER.

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3 Fisheries extra-territorial.</li> <li>Naturalization of Aliens.</li> <li>6 Immigration and Emigration.</li> <li>Influx of Criminals.</li> <li>External Affairs.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>10 Pacific Islands.</li> <li>5 High Commissioner.</li> <li>1 Communications with States.</li> <li>4 Governor-General and Executive Council Officers.</li> <li>9 Officers of Parliament.</li> <li>12 <i>Royal Commission</i></li> </ul> |
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### ATTORNEY-GENERAL OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2 Bills of Exchange.</li> <li>1 Bankruptcy.</li> <li>Foreign Corporations.</li> <li>Marriage.</li> <li>Divorce.</li> <li>Service of Process.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>10 Recognition of Laws.</li> <li>7 Judiciary and Courts.</li> <li>4 Crown Law Offices.</li> <li>7 Parliamentary Draftsmen.</li> <li>3 Conciliation and Arbitration.</li> </ul> |
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### HOME AFFAIRS MINISTER OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><del>Old age Pensions.</del></li> <li>People of Special Races.</li> <li>1 Acquisition of Property.</li> <li>Acquisition of Railways with State Consent.</li> <li>Control of Railways with State Consent.</li> <li><del>Astronomical</del> <i>meteorological</i></li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3 Census and Statistics.</li> <li>6 Public Works. +</li> <li>6 Federal Capital.</li> <li>7 Inter-State Commission.</li> <li>5 Elections.</li> <li>9 Public Service. +</li> </ul> |
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### TREASURER OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Control &amp; management of Revenue Expenditure</i></li> <li>Taxation exclusive of Customs and Excise.</li> <li>Public Loans and taking over of State <i>Public Loans Debt</i></li> <li>Currency.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3 <i>Commissioners of Stamps</i></li> <li>2 Banking.</li> <li>5 Insurance.</li> <li>6 <i>Financial matters generally</i></li> <li>7 <i>Pension Pensions</i></li> <li>7 <i>Printing</i></li> </ul> |
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### TRADE AND CUSTOMS MINISTER OF COMMONWEALTH.

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 and Commerce (including Navigation, Shipping, and Customs).</li> <li>Commonwealth Bounties.</li> <li>Weights and Measures.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2 Lighthouses. <i>Lighthouses, Beacons &amp; Harbours</i></li> <li>4 Quarantine.</li> <li>1 Weights and Measures.</li> </ul> |
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### DEFENCE MINISTER OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Naval and Military Defence.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 Control of Railway Transport for Defence.</li> </ul> |
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### POSTMASTER-GENERAL OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

- 2 Posts, Telegraphs, and Telephones.

Melbourne. 3rd February, 1905.

*Astronomical Meteorological & Ocean mail services & ~~Telegraphs~~ <sup>Co-Telegraph</sup>*