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PROROGUING PARLIAMENT AND FIXING THE TIME FOR HOLDING SECOND SESSION OF
THE FORTY-SIXTH PARLIAMENT OF VICTORIA.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth
of Australia, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by Proclamation dated today I did fix the opening of a Session of the Parliament of Victoria and
in that Proclamation did refer to the forthcoming session of Parliament as the third Session.

AND WHEREAS the forthcoming Session of Parliament is the second and not the third Session of the
Parliament of Victoria.

AND WHEREAS the Parliament of Victoria stands adjourned until such day and hour as may be fixed
by the President of the Legislative Council and the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly respectively : Now I the
Governor of the State of Victoria, in the Commonwealth of Australia, do by this my Proclamation prorogue
the said Parliament of Victoria until Tuesday, the tenth day of September, 1974, and I do hereby fix Tuesday,
the tenth day of September, 1974, aforesaid, at the hour of half-past two o'clock in the afternoon, as the time
for the commencement and holding of the next Session of the said Parliament of Victoria, for the despatch of
business, in the Parliament Houses, situate in Spring Street, in the City of Melbourne : And the Honorable the
Members of Legislative Council and the Members of the Legislative Assembly are hereby required to give their
attendance at the said time and place accordingly.

Given under my hand and seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, the twenty-ninth
day of August, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventy-four, and
in the twenty-third year of the reign of Her Majesty Elizabeth II, Queen of Australia.

(L.S.)

HENRY WINNEKE.

By His Excellency's Command,

R. J. HAMER,
Premier.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN !



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

ETHIOPIA THE MINERAL ACT

Approved July 1, 1961

ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE REGULATION OF THE EXPLORATION, DEVELOPMENT, AND PRODUCTION OF MINERAL RESOURCES IN ETHIOPIA

Enacted by the House of Representatives of the State of Ethiopia on July 1, 1961, and by the Senate of the State of Ethiopia on July 1, 1961.

ARTICLE I

Section 1. The purpose of this Act is to provide for the regulation of the exploration, development, and production of mineral resources in Ethiopia.

Section 2. The terms used in this Act shall have the meanings hereby assigned to them: (a) "Mineral resources" means all natural resources of the earth, including coal, oil, gas, uranium, and other minerals, which are capable of being mined or otherwise extracted from the earth.

(b) "Exploration" means the search for mineral resources, including the acquisition of geological information, the location of mineral deposits, and the determination of the extent and quality of such deposits. (c) "Development" means the construction of mines, the installation of mining equipment, and the commencement of mining operations. (d) "Production" means the extraction of mineral resources from the earth.

Section 3. All mineral resources in Ethiopia are owned by the State.

Section 4. The State shall have the right to regulate the exploration, development, and production of mineral resources in Ethiopia.

Section 5. The State shall have the right to grant licenses for the exploration, development, and production of mineral resources in Ethiopia.

Section 6. The State shall have the right to acquire mineral resources in Ethiopia.

Section 7. The State shall have the right to regulate the export and import of mineral resources in Ethiopia.

Section 8. The State shall have the right to regulate the use of mineral resources in Ethiopia.