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**MINING TITLES FREEHOLDING ACT  
AMENDMENT ACT 1983, No. 51**

[Reprinted as at 1 October, 1984]

An Act to amend the Mining Titles Freeholding Act 1980-1982 in certain particulars and for other purposes

[ASSENTED TO 15 DECEMBER, 1983]

BE IT ENACTED by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of Queensland in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

**1. Short title and citation.** (1) This Act may be cited as the *Mining Titles Freeholding Act Amendment Act 1983*.

(2) In this Act, the *Mining Titles Freeholding Act 1980-1982* is referred to as the Principal Act.

(3) The Principal Act as amended by this Act may be cited as the *Mining Titles Freeholding Act 1980-1983*.

**2. Savings and transitional.** (1) Where an application has been made, before the commencement of this Act, under Part III of the Principal Act and, prior to that commencement, the applicant had made an election under section 15 of the Principal Act, the provisions of the Principal Act shall continue to apply as if this Act had not been passed.

(2) Where an application has been made, before the commencement of this Act, under Part III of the Principal Act but, prior to that commencement, the applicant has not made an election under section 15 of the Principal Act—

- (a) the Principal Act as amended by this Act shall apply; and
- (b) the application shall be deemed to be an application made after the commencement of this Act,

and for those purposes—

- (c) an approval by the Minister of an application given before that commencement shall continue to have full force and effect;
- (d) a hearing before a Wardens Court shall not be commenced or shall not be continued;
- (e) a Wardens Court shall not determine the unimproved value of the land;
- (f) a determination of the unimproved value of the land by the Wardens Court (whether made before or after that commencement) shall have no force or effect;
- (g) the hearing of an appeal against the determination of the Wardens Court before the Land Court shall not be commenced or shall not be continued; and

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- (h) a determination of the Land Court, whether made before or after that commencement, on an appeal against the determination of the Wardens Court (other than an order as to costs) shall have no force or effect.

**3-9. Amended Principal Act.**