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THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Presented and read a first time, 5 May 1993

(Minister for the Environment, Sport and Territories)

A BILL

FOR

An Act to impose a charge on the grant or transfer of certain permissions under the Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Regulations, so far as that charge is neither a duty of customs nor a duty of excise

The Parliament of Australia enacts:

Short title

1. This Act may be cited as the *Great Barrier Reef Marine Park (Environmental Management Charge—General) Act 1993*.

5 Commencement

2. This Act commences, or is taken to have commenced, as the case requires, on the commencement of Part VA of the *Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Act 1975*.

Application of Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Act

3. Section 4 of the *Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Act 1975* applies in relation to this Act in a corresponding way to the way in which it applies in relation to that Act.

Imposition of charge

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4.(1) Charge payable in accordance with section 39B of the *Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Act 1975* is imposed.

(2) This section imposes charge only so far as that charge is neither a duty of customs nor a duty of excise within the meaning of section 55 of the Constitution.

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