



BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERRITORY

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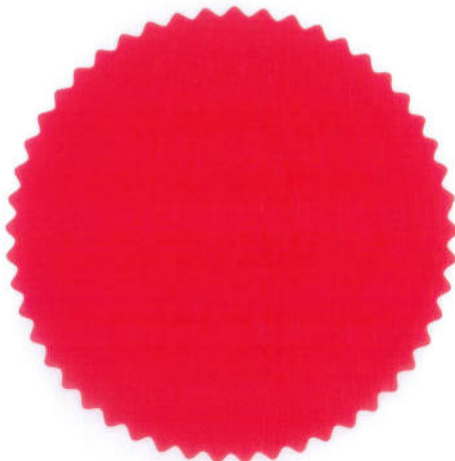
Discharge of Commissioner's functions during vacancy, etc.

1. In pursuance of section 7(1) of the British Antarctic Territory Order 1989, Her Majesty, by instructions given through a Secretary of State, was pleased to direct that:

During any period in which the office of Commissioner is vacant or the holder of that office is for any reason unable to perform the functions thereof, those functions shall be assumed and performed during Her Majesty's pleasure by the person for the time being performing the functions of Deputy Commissioner for the Territory, or

If there is no person for the time being performing the functions of the office of Deputy Commissioner, by the person for the time being performing the functions of the office of Administrator for the Territory.

2. These instructions replace, with immediate effect, all previous instructions given by Her Majesty relating to the performance of the functions of the Commissioner as made pursuant to section 7(1) of the British Antarctic Territory Order 1989, together with the 'Deputy Commissioner' authorisation made pursuant to section 8(1) of the said Order on 14th May 2008.



Peter Hayes
Commissioner
British Antarctic Territory

Dated: 8 December 2015