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An Act to reconstitute the National Parks Board and to provide for the transfer of the property, rights and liabilities of the Parks and

Recreation Department to the National Parks Board, and for matters connected therewith.

[1 July 1996]

PART 1

PRELIMINARY

Short title

1. This Act is the National Parks Board Act 1996.

Interpretation

2. In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires —

“animal” includes a mammal (other than a human being), a bird, a reptile, an amphibian, a fish, a mollusc, an arthropod, and the young or egg of any animal;

“animal-related services” includes any of the following activities:

- (a) bathing, grooming or clipping of animals;
- (b) treatment, vaccination or inoculation of animals;
- (c) providing accommodation or boarding to or training of animals;
- (d) exhibiting (whether or not for sale) of animals;
- (e) trapping, restraining or immobilising animals;

“animal-related services industry” means an industry consisting of persons carrying out any animal-related services in the course of business;

“Board” means the National Parks Board established under the repealed National Parks Act (Cap. 198A, 1991 Revised Edition) in force before 1 July 1996 and continued by section 3;

“Chairperson” means the Chairperson of the Board and includes any acting Chairperson of the Board;