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GARIGAL NATIONAL PARK (EXTENSION) BILL 1992

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Explanatory Note relates to this Bill as introduced into Parliament)

The objects of this Bill are:

- (a) to reserve certain land in the Warringah area as part of the Garigal National Park; and
- (b) to extend national park status to certain Aboriginal land in the area if it is leased to the Director of National Parks and Wildlife.

Clause 1 specifies the short title of the proposed Act.

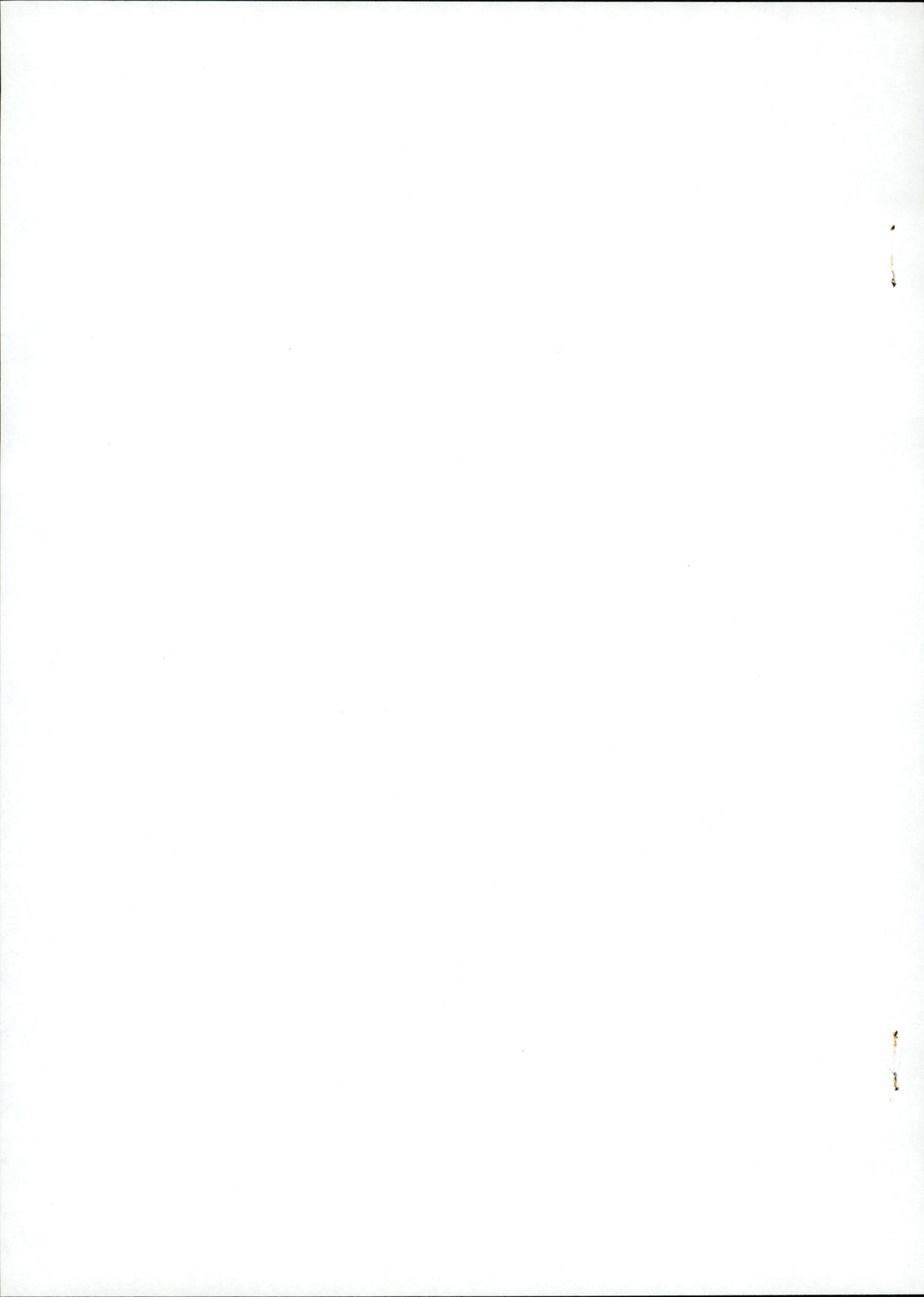
Clause 2 provides for the commencement of the proposed Act on the date of assent.

Clause 3 defines expressions used in the proposed Act. In particular, "the Map" is defined as the map tabled in the Legislative Assembly in conjunction with the introduction of this Bill.

Clause 4 reserves as part of the Garigal National Park the land identified on the Map as land to be added to the Garigal National Park. The reservation takes effect on the date of assent to the proposed Act. This does not apply to certain land ("Aboriginal land") in the area which is vested in an Aboriginal Land Council.

Clause 5 provides that the Director of National Parks and Wildlife may enter into and give effect to an agreement for the leasing to the Crown of the Aboriginal land so that it can be managed, cared for and controlled as a national park. While that land is leased to the Director, it is considered to be part of the Garigal National Park.

Clause 6 provides for matters to assist the implementation of the proposed Act.



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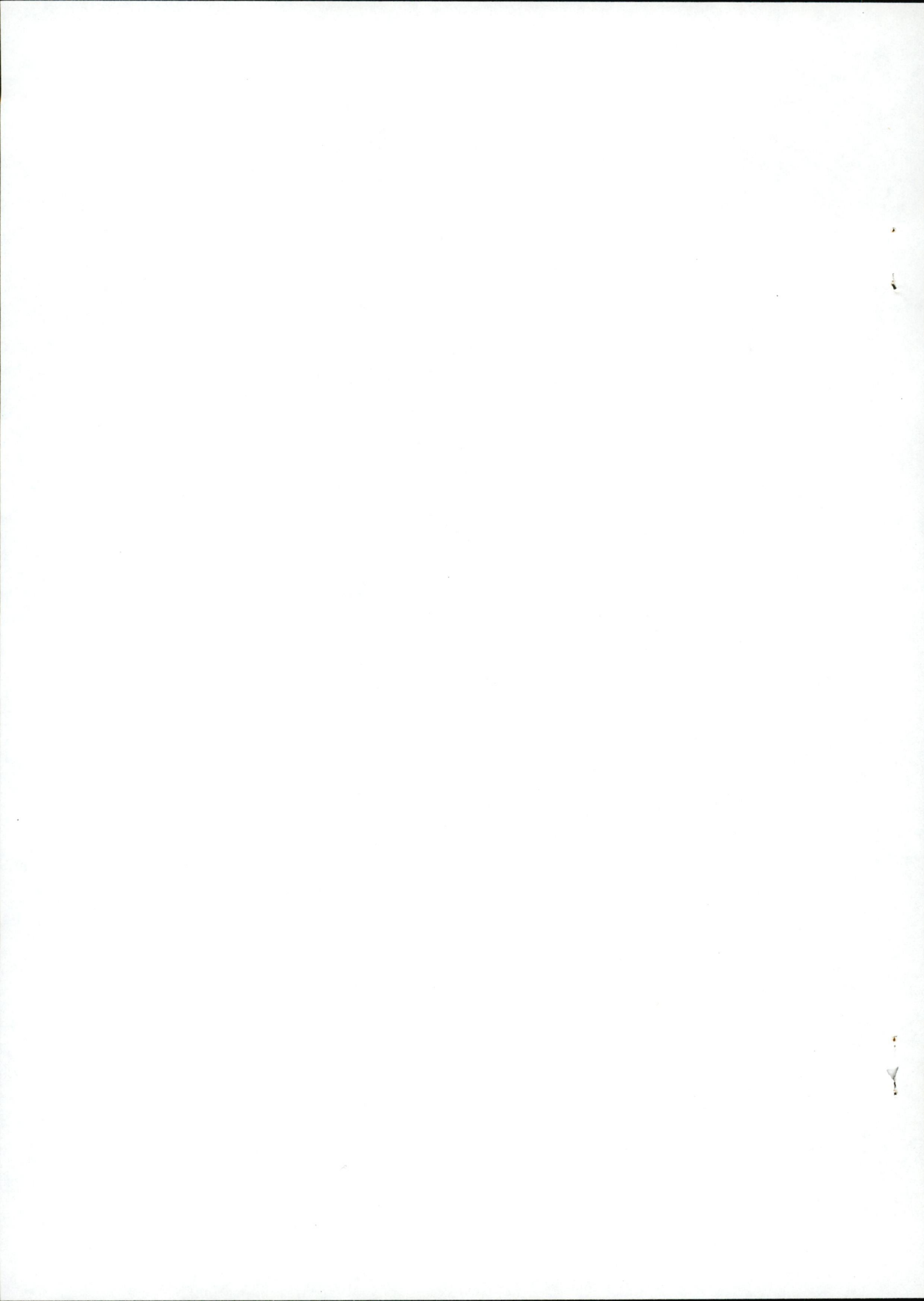
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No. , 1992

A BILL FOR

An Act to protect certain land by reservation as part of the Garigal National Park and to provide national park status for certain Aboriginal land leased to the Crown.

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The Legislature of New South Wales enacts:

Short title

1. This Act may be cited as the Garigal National Park (Extension) Act 1992.

Commencement

2. This Act commences on the date of assent.

Definitions

3. (1) In this Act:

“**Aboriginal land**” means land identified on the Map as Aboriginal land (being land vested in an Aboriginal Land Council);

“**the Map**” means the map marked “Garigal National Park (Extension) Act 1992—Land to be added to Garigal National Park” and tabled (by the member of the Assembly introducing the Bill for this Act) in the Legislative Assembly, when the Bill was introduced into the Assembly.

(2) The expressions “**Director**” and “**national park**” have the same meanings as in the National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974.

Reservation of certain land as part of Garigal National Park

4. (1) The land identified on the Map as land to be added to the Garigal National Park is reserved as part of the Garigal National Park. This does not apply to Aboriginal land.

(2) The reservation takes effect on the date of assent to this Act.

National park status for certain Aboriginal land

5. (1) The Director may on behalf of the Crown enter into and give effect to an agreement for the leasing to the Crown of Aboriginal land for the purpose of ensuring that it is cared for, controlled and managed as a national park.

(2) The Director has the care, control and management of any Aboriginal land so leased and the land is to be considered to be part of the Garigal National Park while the lease is in force.

Ancillary provisions

6. (1) The land reserved as part of a national park by section 4 is, for the purposes of the National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974, taken to have been so reserved by proclamation made under section 33 (3) of that Act.

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(2) A reference in the National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974 to the publication of a proclamation under section 33 (3) of that Act is, in relation to the reservation of land under section 4, taken to be a reference to the enactment of this Act.

(3) Section 35 of the National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974 does not apply in relation to the reservation of land under section 4.
