DEPARTMENT OF LANDS



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TO ALL CONVEYANCERS

When replying please quote

Re COMMON PLAN FORMAT

The Department of Lands has been working for some time towards the introduction of a Common Plan Format. This is simply the rationalisation of a wide variety of plan forms, drafting standards and plan lodgement procedures that are either prescribed by statute or are requirements of the Registrar-General or the Surveyor-General for all plans lodged in

In effect, a reduction in the number of plan forms presently used and uniformity of

Regulations amending the Real Property Act, as regards division and strata plans, and the Surveyor's Act as regards all certified Surveys, will come into operation on 12th November 1987 simultaneously with other general requirements of the Registrar-General and the Surveyor-General. A comprehensive list of these requirements has been issued to all registered surveyors and survey drafting firms.

There are four prevailing plan types.

Viz.

DP - for all deposited plans which incorporate any proposed dealing to divide, amalgamate or otherwise change the shape of an existing parcel or allotment regardless of whether the subject land is freehold or crown

SP - for Strata Plans. GP - for G.R.O. Plans

FP - for all other Plans.

LODGEMENT OF PLANS

Areas of lodgement for Plans are:-

Road Plans - Roads Group, Surveyor General's Office, 3rd Floor,

Education Department Building

G.R.O. Plans - Amendments Section, 3rd Floor, Registrar-General's

Office, Colonel Light Centre

All other Plans -Plans Section, 5th Floor, Registrar-General's Office, Colonel Light Centre

Other points of significance to Conveyancers are:-

all plan headings and annotations will be contained within a panel on the

included angles will be replaced by bearings on all plans, except G.R.O. Plans and some fixings on Strata Plans.

diagrams on Certificates of Title and Land Grants issuing from CPF plans will show bearings in lieu of included angles.

The new Common Plan Forms can be purchased from "Mapland".

A sample plan of division is included in this notice for your convenience.

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