

Exhibit C

Part 2

(TimeBase's U.S. Patent No. 7,293,228 B1,
"System for Electronic Publishing")

to

TimeBase's Response to Defendants'
Motion for Summary Judgment

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<!ENTITY % common PUBLIC
    "-//SGMLSE//ELEMENTS 3.0 Common Elements//EN">
%common;
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REVISION History

- 141096 TH Added p* to definition of schedule
- 151096 TH Added %reqid; %reqibl; attributes to RULE,
ORDER, DIVISION, SUB-DIVISION
Added P+ and SUB+ to rule definition
- 251096 TH Added ststus entity for amendment information
- 291096 TH Changed definition for ORDER
- 141196 TH Added <ALTERED> element
- 261196 TH Too many changes to mention - Designated Version 2
- 150197 TH Too many changes to mention -
Designated Version 3
- 190197 TH Changed contents of SECTION and SCHEDULE to (title, (%unstruct-
cont;))
- TH Since RULE, REG and SECTION are all equivalent, renamed all to SECTION
and added attribute TYPE to designate which type of section they are
- TH Added entity SUBJECT to allow each element to belong to 1 or more subjects
- TH Added entity CONSOL which is invoked in the consolidation DTD using marked

sections

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<!-- ISO Character Entity Set Declarations and References -->

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<!ENTITY % ISOnum PUBLIC "ISO 8879:1986//ENTITIES Numeric and
    Special Graphic//EN"
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<!ENTITY % ISOpub PUBLIC "ISO 8879:1986//ENTITIES
    Publishing//EN"
```

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<!ENTITY % ISOTech PUBLIC "ISO 8879:1986//ENTITIES
    General Technical//EN"
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<!ENTITY % ISOlat1 PUBLIC "ISO 8879:1986//ENTITIES
    Added Latin 1//EN"
<!ENTITY % ISOgrk3 PUBLIC "ISO 8879:1986//ENTITIES
    Greek Symbols//EN"
%ISOnum;
%ISOPub;
%ISOTech;
%ISOlat1;
%ISOgrk3;
<!-- ***** End Character entities ***** -->
<!-- ***** Parameter Entities ***** -->

<!ENTITY % consol "">
<![ %CONSOL [
<!ENTITY % consol "cai NAMES #IMPLIED
    -- Creating amending act ID (IDs) --
    eai NAMES #IMPLIED
    -- Ending amending act ID (IDs) --
    "
>
]]>
<!ENTITY % status
    "insert-date NUMBER #IMPLIED -- insert date --
    insert-leg IDREF #IMPLIED -- link to the inserting legislation --
    repeal-date NUMBER #IMPLIED -- repeal date --
    repeal-leg IDREF #IMPLIED -- link to the repealing legislation --
    amend-date NUMBER #IMPLIED -- amended date --
    amend-leg IDREF #IMPLIED -- link to the amending legislation --
    "
>
<!ENTITY % reqid "id ID #REQUIRED"
    -- required id --
>
<!ENTITY % reqlbl "lbl CDATA #REQUIRED"
    -- required label --
>
<!ENTITY % emph "bold | ital"
    -- emphasised text --
>

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<!ENTITY % refs "xref | rngref | tempref | noteref"
    -- references --
>
<!ENTITY % inline "quote | ileqn | %emph; | %refs; | super | subscr"
    -- inline text elements --
>
<!ENTITY % text "#PCDATA | %inline;"
    -- inline text elements plus character data --
>
<!ENTITY % ref-cont "#PCDATA"
    -- content of references --
>
<!ENTITY % plevel "p | dpeqn | tblblk | list | blockquote | form"
    -- paragraph level (block) elements --
>
<!ENTITY % tblcon "p | dpeqn | list"
    -- content of table cells --
>
<!ENTITY % para-cont "(%plevel;)+"
    -- content of long-title or section level elements --
>

<!ENTITY % unstruct-cont "((%plevel;) |article|chapter|part|notes)*">

<!ENTITY % subject "subject NAMES #IMPLIED"
    -- optional subject --
>
<!-- ***** End Parameter Entities ***** -->

<!-- ***** Include Maths and Table elements ***** -->

<!ENTITY % atimath PUBLIC "-//SGMLSE//ELEMENTS Math Equation
Structures//EN">
%atimath;

<!ENTITY % atitbl PUBLIC "-//SGMLSE//ELEMENTS Table Structures//EN">
%atitbl;

<!-- ***** End Maths and Table elements ***** -->

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    <!-- Main elements -->
<!ELEMENT part -- (title, (%plevel;)*, (chapter+|division+|section+)*, notes?)
>
<!ATTLIST part %reqid;
    %reqlbl;
        %status;
        %subject;
        %consol;
>
<!ELEMENT order -- (title, (division|section|part|schedule)+
    -- in numregs --
>
<!ATTLIST order %reqid;
    %reqlbl;
        %status;
        %subject;
        %consol;
>
<!ELEMENT division -- (title, (sub-division+|section+))
    -- in numregs --
>
<!ATTLIST division %reqid;
    %reqlbl;
        %status;
        %subject;
        %consol;
>
<!ELEMENT sub-division -- (title, section+)
    -- in numregs --
>
<!ATTLIST sub-division %reqid;
    %reqlbl;
        %status;
        %subject;
        %consol;
>
<!ELEMENT chapter -- (title, (%plevel;)*, (part+|section+|article+)?
    -- part+ and section+ for numacts --
>

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<!ATTLIST chapter %reqid;
    %reqlbl;
        %status;
        %subject;
        %consol;
>
<!ELEMENT article - - (title, (%plevel)*, notes?)
>
<!ATTLIST article %reqid;
    %reqlbl;
        %status;
        %subject;
>
<!ELEMENT section - - (title, (%unstruct-cont;))>
<!ATTLIST section
%reqid;
    %reqlbl;
        %status;
    astprov NAMES #IMPLIED
        type (section|rule|reg) section
        %subject;
        %consol;
>
<!ELEMENT schedule - - (title?, (%unstruct-cont;))
    -- Schedule of an Act --
>
<!ATTLIST schedule %reqid;
    %reqlbl;
        %status;
        %subject;
        %consol;
>
<!-- ***** -->
<!ELEMENT provisions - - (title, tblblk+)
    -- provisions --
>
<!ATTLIST provisions
    %subject;
>
<!ELEMENT form - - (title, formreg, front, back?)>

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<!ATTLIST form %reqid
    %reqlbl;
    %status;
    parastyle CDATA #IMPLIED
    %subject;
>
<!ELEMENT formreg -- (#PCDATA)
-- Regulation --
>
<!ATTLIST formreg
    %subject;
>
<!ELEMENT front -- (asis)
-- front of form --
>
<!ATTLIST front
    %subject;
>
<!ELEMENT back -- (asis)
-- back of form --
>
<!ATTLIST back
    %subject;
>
<!ELEMENT asis -- (#PCDATA)
--text as is --
>
<!ATTLIST asis
    %subject;
>
<!-- ***** Header elements ***** -->
<!ELEMENT header -- (scope?, updated?)>
<!ATTLIST header
    %subject;
>
<!ELEMENT scope -- (%text;)+>
<!ATTLIST scope

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    %subject;
  >
<!ELEMENT updated -- (%text;)+>
<!ATTLIST updated
    %subject;
  >
<!ELEMENT notes - o (note+)>
<!ATTLIST notes
    %subject;
  >
<!ELEMENT note -- (%plevel;)+
  >
<!ATTLIST note id ID #REQUIRED
    %subject;
  >
<!-- ***** End Header elements ***** -->

<!-- ***** structural elements ***** -->

<!ELEMENT title -- (%text;)+
    -- Generic title --
  >
<!-- ***** End structural elements ***** -->

<!-- ***** plevel elements ***** -->
<!ELEMENT blockquote -- (%unstruct-cont;)+
  >
<!ATTLIST blockquote parastyle CDATA #IMPLIED
    %subject;
  >
<!ELEMENT p -- (%text;)+
    -- paragraph - a line of text terminated by a carriage return in the hardcopy --
  >
<!ATTLIST p parastyle CDATA #IMPLIED
    %subject;
  >
<!ELEMENT list -- (li)+
  >
<!ATTLIST list parastyle CDATA #IMPLIED
    %subject;

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>
<!ELEMENT li -- (p | blockquote | tblblk | list)+
    -- item in a list --
>
<!ATTLIST li lbl CDATA #REQUIRED
    %status;
    %subject;
>
<!ELEMENT tblblk -- (title?, (table|#PCDATA))
    -- table block --
>
<!ATTLIST tblblk parastyle CDATA #IMPLIED
    %subject;
>
<!ELEMENT dpeqn -- (fd)
    -- display equation --
>
<!ATTLIST dpeqn parastyle CDATA #IMPLIED>

<!-- ***** End level elements ***** -->

<!-- ***** inline elements ***** -->
<!ELEMENT xref -- (%ref-cont;)+
    -- cross reference to a single target point --
>
<!ATTLIST xref ref IDREF #REQUIRED
>
<!ELEMENT noteref - 0 EMPTY
    -- cross reference to a note --
>
<!ATTLIST noteref ref IDREF #REQUIRED
>
<!ELEMENT rngref -- (%ref-cont;)+
    -- cross reference to a sequential range of target points --
>
<!ATTLIST rngref startref NAME #REQUIRED
    endref NAME #REQUIRED
>
<!ELEMENT tempref -- (%ref-cont;)+

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-- cross reference to a single target point where the idstring is unknown --
>
<!ELEMENT ileqn -- (f)
-- inline equation --
>
<!ELEMENT super -- (%text;)+ -(super,subscr)
-- superscript --
>
<!ELEMENT subscr -- (%text;)+ -(super,subscr)
--subscript --
>
<!ELEMENT quote -- (%text;)+
>
<!ELEMENT bold -- (%text;)+ -(bold)
-- text set in bold which is not a title or a label --
>
<!ELEMENT ital -- (%text;)+ -(ital)
-- text set in italic which is not a title or a label --
>
<!ELEMENT altered - 0 EMPTY>
<!ATTLIST altered by CDATA #REQUIRED>

<!-- ***** End inline elements ***** -->
<!ELEMENT long-title -- (%para-cont;)>
<!ELEMENT preamble -- (%para-cont;)>

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CONSOL.DTD

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<!-- *****
Document Type Definition for the consolidation
Typical invocation:
<!DOCTYPE consol PUBLIC "-//SGMLSE//DTD 1.0
Consolidation//EN">
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REVISION History
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***** -->
<!ENTITY % CONSOL "INCLUDE">
<!-- ***** End common element and entity definitions ***** -->

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<!ELEMENT consol      -- (act|reg)+
>
<!-- ***** Include common element and entity definitions ***** -->
<ENTITY % common
    PUBLIC "-//SGMLSE//ELEMENTS 2.0 Common Elements//EN"> %common;
<ENTITY % reg PUBLIC "-//SGMLSE//DTD 1.0 Regulation//EN"> %reg;
<ENTITY % act PUBLIC "-//SGMLSE//DTD 1.0 Act//EN">
%act;
```

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COMMONWEALTH PROJECT

CHAPTER XX - Database Tables Entry Procedure**[A] GENERAL****[A 01] Introduction**

- This Chapter is divided into three topics:
 - [A] This General topic,
 - [B] The Master Table of the Data Base; and
 - [C] The Textblock Table of the Data Base.
- All text like this in 10pt Arial font size is "explanatory text and notes" on the data base.
- All text in Courier 9pt font size with a rule on the left hand side is the text used for examples, the text is taken from the Commonwealth data where possible to make it look like the real thing, however, some examples have been created for the purposes of explanation and do not exist in the data itself.
- References in capitals to ACT(S) or REGULATION(S) are references to the whole Acts or Regulations. The word regulation when written with a lower case "r" will refer to a numbered regulation (eg: regulation 2). **Note:** this does not apply to the text of examples which have been left as they appear in the data.
- The word Section written with a capital "S" will refer to the numbered section of an ACT (eg: Section 2). **Note:** this does not apply to the text of examples which have been left as they appear in the data.
- The word Part written with a capital "P" will refer to the means of dividing an ACT known as a Part (eg: Part 2 or Part II). **Note:** this does not apply to the text of examples which have been left as they appear in the data.
- **Note:** the reference to Sections in Commonwealth ACTS and regulations in Commonwealth REGULATIONS is by way of the lowest piece of text first, eg: 8(8)(a) would be written "paragraph 8(8)(a)" not "Section 8(8)(a)".

Note: Fields are out of database structure order in the examples because they appear at different places in the legislation to the structure used in the database tables.

[A 02] General Purpose and Structure of the Database*Purpose*

To provide a means of managing, monitoring and checking the content of the Commonwealth Legislation Consolidation.

To allow the time based (versioning) capacity of the DTD and SGML coding being under taken to be realised.

Basic Structure

The database is to consist of two tables.

These Tables will be known as MASTER and TEXTBLOCK.

The specific purpose of each Table will be as follows:-

MASTER will focus on fields that collect data about an ACT or REGULATION as a whole.

TEXTBLOCK will focus on specific sub-elements of the whole of an ACT or REGULATION.

[A 03] General Note about Dates Required for Fields in Database Tables

Dates in the Database will be used primarily to identify two things:

- the beginning of a whole or part of an ACT or REGULATION, or
- the end of the whole or part of an ACT or REGULATION

Entries for dates will all be in the dd/mm/yy formula.

There are 3 ways dates will be appear in the legislation:

- *specific* - are stated in the legislation itself (for example, Date of Assent)
- *to be advised* - are to be published or advised elsewhere (for example, proclaimed in Gazette)
- *conditional* - are based on something else happening (for example, the commencement of another ACT or REGULATION, the creation of or termination of an organisation, the happening of an event)

[B] MASTER TABLE**[B 01] ID FIELD**

This is the most important field in the database as it ties all the remaining fields and their information together.

For the example used here, that is, the Social Security Act this will be **Act-19910046**. This is arrived at by combining,

- (i) the *type of legislation*, in this case an ACT - see (a) below, then
- (ii) the *year of enactment/creation*, in this case 1991 - see (b) below, and finally,
- (iii) the *ACT'S Number*- see (c) below.

All three parts of the ID are important. Inputting the right type, that is, Act for ACTS and Reg for REGULATION etc., and the right year and number is critical as only the correct combination of all three will give the required accuracy.

In the ID field the year and number are separated by a hyphen. Also four digits **must** be used for the year number, thus 0046 and **not** 46 is used for the ACT'S number in this example.

An important point to note is that it is possible for an ACT or REGULATION to be known as say the Federal Law Act 1996 but to be Act No 2 of 1997, so that its ID then will be Act-19970002

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SOCIAL SECURITY (a) ACT 1991

- Updated as at 10 July 1995

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1 The Social Security Act 1991 as shown in this reprint comprises Act No. (c)46, (b)1991 amended as indicated in the Tables below.<

[B 02] Date of Assent/Date of Notification Field

This will appear in different places according to the style and type of information.

For ACTS use the Table of Acts at the column Date of Assent. The entry for Act No 46, 1991 being the entry for the principal ACT, that is the Social Security Act, is the place to look and the second column shows the date of assent as 23 Apr. 1991(see (d) below).

Table of Acts<

Act Number and year	Date of assent	Date of commencement	Application< saving or< transitional< provisions<
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Social Security Act 1991<

46, 1991 (d)23 Apr 1991 1 July 1991<

For REGULATIONS use the Table of Statutory Rules at the column Date of Notification. The entry for REGULATION No 36, 1990 being the entry for the principal REGULATIONS, that is the Cash Transactions Reports Regulations, is the place to look and the second column shows the date of notification as 27 Feb 1990 (see (e) below).

1 The Cash Transaction Reports Regulations (in force under the Cash Transaction Reports Act 1988) as shown in this reprint comprise Statutory Rules 1990 No. 36 amended as indicated in the Tables below.

Table of Statutory Rules

Year and Number	Date of notification in Gazette	Date of commencement	Application, saving or transitional provisions
1990 No. 36	(e)27 Feb 1990	27 Feb 1990	

[B 03] Short Title Field

This usually appears in Section 1 of an ACT or regulation 1 of a REGULATION. This is the best place to take the name from as it is the legislated/official way that the ACT, REGULATION etc., is to be referred to etc. See (f) below.

The name should be entered in full (no abbreviations).

You should include the year even though it is part of the ID and also the words ACT or REGULATION. This will firstly, provide a cross check as normally these should match. It will also indicate those ACTS or REGULATIONS where the Short Title Year is different to the Year and Number in the ID field.

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\$\$T

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT 1991 - SECT 1<

Short title

\$\$T

\$\$NSECT

1. This Act may be cited as the (f) Social Security Act 1991. *1* \$\$\$

[B 04] Date of Commencement Field

This information usually appears in Section 2 for an ACT and regulation 2 for a REGULATION.

This is the best place to take the date of commencement from as here it is part of the legislation/the law and therefore always correct (even if its wrong). If taken from the Table of Acts or Table of Regulations an error would not be correct even if not made by us because technically; Tables, Title Pages and even side/margin notes are not considered part of legislation.

See (g) below for an example.

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SOCIAL SECURITY ACT 1991 - SECT 2<

Commencement

\$\$T

\$\$NSECT

2. This Act commences on (g) 1 July 1991.

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[B 04.1] Other forms of commencement or notification

The example given at (g) above is a simple form of commencement in that one date is stated in Section 2.

There are other forms of commencement as follows:-

24. ACTS or REGULATIONS *where no date of commencement is specified* enacted on or before 31/12/1937 (that is, there is no Section 2 and no other section dealing with commencement) commence on the day on which the ACT was assented to for ACTS (for example, the Acts Interpretation Act 1901 assented to on 12/7/1901). These Acts require **no** entry in the MASTER TABLE as the Date of Commencement and Date of Assent are the same.

25. ACTS or REGULATIONS *where no date of commencement is specified* enacted on or after 1/1/1938 (that is, there is no Section 2 and no other section dealing with commencement) then the Act by default commences on 28th day after the Date of Assent. These Acts **do** require an entry in the MASTER TABLE as the Date of Commencement and Date of Assent are not the same.

26. ACTS or REGULATIONS where various Parts, Sections, regulations etc., commence on different dates or on dates to be proclaimed or notified in Gazette.

27. ACTS or REGULATIONS where various Parts, Sections, regulations etc., commence the commencement of another ACT, REGULATION or Part or Section of another ACT or REGULATION etc.

Note: With respect to the calculation of time (as for example, in the case of commencement 28 days after assent) Section 36 of the Acts Interpretation Act affects how this is done. Section 36 provides:

28. Where in an ACT any period of time, dating from a given day, act, or event, is prescribed or allowed for any purpose, the time shall, unless the contrary intention appears, be reckoned exclusive of such day or of the day of such act or event.

29. Where the last day of any period prescribed or allowed by an ACT for the doing of anything falls on a Saturday, on a Sunday or on a day which is a public holiday or a bank holiday in the place in which the thing is to be or may be done, the thing may be done on the first day following which is not a Saturday, a Sunday or a public holiday or bank holiday in that place.

The above will be handled in Australia with respect of those ACTS or REGULATIONS to which this applies.

[B 05] Date of Expiry Field

This is the opposite of commencement; that is, it indicates when the whole of an ACT or REGULATION or some Part, Section or regulation in an ACT or REGULATION ceases to have effect.

Note: because the expiry is provided for in the ACT or REGULATION itself, this is different to a repeal. The effect is however, the same.

Sections or Regulations relevant to this field are headed "Sunset clause" or "Sunset provision" see **(h)** below.

Note: the use of the words "unless sooner repealed" in the examples below. This means entries will need to be checked or reviewed to ensure that ACT or REGULATION has not been sooner repealed.

The date or timing of expiry is indicated/expressed in a few different ways: by a specific date, see **(i)** below.

by a period of years, see **(j)** below.

30. Examples of expiry of the whole ACT by a specific date.

AUSTRALIAN MEAT AND LIVE-STOCK (QUOTAS) ACT 1990 - Updated as at 18 July 1995

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SECT 9

Sunset clause **(h)**

9. This Act, unless sooner repealed, shall cease to be in force at the **(i)** end of 30 June 1998.

Note: the example above uses the words "cease to be in force" and the one below the words "ceases to have effect". The result is still the same for our purpose.

MEAT AND LIVE -STOCK INDUSTRY ACT 1995 No. 67 of 1995 –

Assented to 30 June 1995

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SECT 227

Sunset clause

227. This Act, unless sooner repealed, ceases to have effect at the end of 30 June 1998.

31. Example of expiry of Part, Division, Subdivision or Section of ACT after a specified period of years.

NATIVE TITLE ACT 1993

Updated as at 30 June 1995

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SECT 207

Sunset provision

207. This Part ceases to be in force at the (j)end of 5 years after the Parliamentary Joint Committee is first appointed.

32. Examples of expiry of a portion of a REGULATION

FEDERAL COURT RULES

Updated as at 22 March 1996

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ORDER 75 NATIVE TITLE RULES

NATIVE TITLE ACT 1993

.....

ORDER 75

RULE 21

Sunset provision

21. Order 75 ceases to be in force on 1 March 1997.

MIGRATION (1993) REGULATIONS - Updated as at 25 July 1994

.....

REG 2A

10A

Sunset provision

2A.10A. No application may be made under this Division on or after 1 July 1993.

[B 06] Type Field

This Field provides more specific information about the type of legislation. It is different to the ID Field described above which gives the legislation a unique ID. This Field uses three single character codes to describe the legislation.

These are as follows:

P = *Principal* ACTS or REGULATIONS.

It indicates that this is the main or Principal ACT or REGULATION.

OR In other words the ACT or REGULATION which gets amended.

Principal ACTS or REGULATIONS can be either in existence (enacted in previous years) or newly enacted (created in the current year).

There is nothing specifically unique or different in a principal ACT or REGULATION that makes it easy to identify. By elimination it is however, possible to say what is not a Principal ACT or REGULATION. This is done by looking at the ACT or REGULATION'S title information.

Amending Acts or Regulations (which are dealt with next) usually contain the word's "Amending", "Amendment", "Repeal" or "Statute Law Revision" in their Short Title. Another indicator in the case of ACTS is that the Long Title will also contain the word's "Amending", "Amendment", "Repeal" or "Statute Law Revision" (REGULATIONS however, do not have a Long Title).

The example marked (K) and (J) *below* shows the Long and Short Titles for a Principal Act known as the Trade Practices Act. (Compare these examples with the ones marked (L) and 20 (M) *below*).

LONG TITLE(K)

An Act relating to certain Trade Practices

PART I-PRELIMINARY

SECT 1

Short title(J)

1. This Act may be cited as the Trade Practices Act 1974.*1*

SEE NOTES TO FIRST ARTICLE OF THIS CHAPTER .

Note: A principal ACT or REGULATION can contain amendments to other ACTS or REGULATIONS. It therefore, still needs to be considered for its effect on other ACTS.

A = *Amending* ACTS or REGULATIONS.

It indicates that this is a changing or Amending ACT or REGULATION.

OR In other words the ACT or REGULATION which does the amending.

Amending ACTS or REGULATIONS will not generally exist in their own right in the consolidated information for which we are creating the data base. The changes they effect will nearly always become part of the Principal ACT or REGULATION.

There are some rare exceptions to the above point however, which will need to be identified (the way to do this most effectively will be to identify them in Australia and provide a list or table of what these ACTS and REGULATIONS are).

As already stated the best ways to identify an Amending ACT or REGULATION are:

Amending ACTS or REGULATIONS will nearly always contain the word's "Amending", "Amendment", "Repeal" or "Statute Law Revision" in their Short Title.

For Acts (but not Regulations) there is also a Long Title at the very beginning of the Act (usually before Section 1) which will also contain the word's "Amending" "Amendment", "Repeal" or "Statute Law Revision".

The example marked (L) and (M) *below* shows the Long and Short Titles for the Amending ACT known as the Trade Practices (Secondary Boycotts) Amendment Act 1979.

LONG TITLE(L)

An Act to amend the Trade Practices Act 1974 with respect Secondary Boycotts and other industrial practices.

PART I-PRELIMINARY

SECT 1

Short title(M)

1. This Act may be cited as the Trade Practices (Secondary Boycotts) Amendment Act 1979.*1*

SEE NOTES TO FIRST ARTICLE OF THIS CHAPTER .

Note: An Amending ACT or REGULATION can be amended itself by a further amending ACT or REGULATION.

More Examples of Amending ACTS and REGULATIONS

Following are some more examples of Amending ACTS and REGULATIONS and what to look for.

Statute Law Revision Acts

Below are two examples of these. Usually, this is clean up legislation which makes many changes and often effects a larger number of ACTS. They can be specific as in the case of the Decimal Currency example or they can be general as in the case of the 1973 example.

They can both change (amend Parts, Divisions and Sections of ACTS and REGULATIONS) and/or delete (repeal) whole ACTS and REGULATION or Parts, Divisions and Sections.

Statute Law Revision (Decimal Currency) Act 1966

Statute Law Revision Act 1973

There are other form of Amending ACT similar to the Statute Law Revision Acts as follows:

A.C.T. Self-Government (Consequential Provisions) Regulations 1989 No. 3

Defence Legislation Amendment Act 1984

Fringe Benefits Tax (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1986

Statute Law (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act (No. 1) 1986

Taxation Laws Amendment Act (No. 3) 1986

The above can usually be spotted by the use of words such as "Consequential Provisions" "Laws Amendment", "Legislation Amendment", "Miscellaneous Provisions" in their Short Titles.

Repeal Acts

Below are two examples of these. One where the term Legislation is used in the title indicating that more many ACTS are being repealed. Again this is often clean up legislation which repeals many ACTS whose purpose or reason for being has lapsed. Alternatively, as the second example indicates Repeal ACTS can be specific, effecting the repeal of only one ACT.

Egg Export Legislation Repeal Act 1984

National Welfare Fund Repeal Act

N = Not known

Indicates that the type of the ACT or REGULATION is not known or cannot be determined. These records will be handled in Australia.

[B 07] Reprint No Field

The information required for this field does not appear in the Commonwealth Data as presently supplied to/held by us. It will need initially to be obtained in the form of a list of existing reprints and their numbers and be added to both the Commonwealth data and the data base as a once only job. It will then need to be maintained on a monthly basis using the two AGPS Pamphlet Publications known as ACTS TABLES for Acts and STATUTORY RULES TABLES for Regulations, the last page in each contains this information for the current year. **Note:** where the Pamphlets are not available or the reprint number is not known or unavailable then the number 999 should be used to indicate this.

Each of the two tables from the Pamphlets contains the name of the Reprinted ACT or REGULATION in alphabetical order (but see Statutory Rules example below) followed by the date of reprint, then followed by the words "Reprint No." and a number. It is this last number that needs to be entered.

ACTS TABLE entry example

National Health Act 1935 (20 September 1996) Reprint No. 5

STATUTORY RULES TABLE entry example

Note: Statutory Rules are listed by their parent Act (the Act under which they are made appearing in *Italic* as shown in the example below).

Banks (Shareholdings) Act 1972 –

Banks (Shareholdings) Regulations (2 August 1995) Reprint No. 2

[B 08] Reprint Date Field

Like the Reprint Number discussed in **[B 07]** above the information required for this field does not appear in the Commonwealth Data as presently supplied to/held by us. It too will need initially to be obtained in the form of a list of existing reprints and be added to both the Commonwealth data and the data base as a once only job. It will then need to be maintained on a monthly basis using the two AGPS Pamphlet Publications known as ACTS TABLES for ACTS and STATUTORY

RULES TABLES for Regulations, the last page in each contains this information for the current year.

Each of the two tables contains the name of the Reprinted ACT or REGULATION in alphabetical order (but see Statutory Rules example below) followed by the date of reprint, then followed by the words "Reprint No." and a number.

For this field it is the Date preceding the Reprint Number that needs to be entered. For examples see the examples at **[B 07]** above.

Note: Again where the Pamphlets are not available or the reprint date is not known or unavailable then the date 00/00/00 should be used to indicate this.

[C] TEXTBLOCK TABLE

[C 01] When the should it be used?

TEXTBLOCK entries will not normally be required for ACTS or REGULATIONS which are either Principal *or* Reprinted ACTS or REGULATIONS. But **note** that in the case of Principal ACTS there are exceptions, namely; where the Principal ACT or REGULATION also amends or repeals other ACTS or REGULATIONS.

[C 02] ID FIELD

This field simply repeats the information obtained in **[B 01]** above. Its purpose is to link this Table with the MASTER TABLE by way of the same ID. For the example, in **[B 01]** for the Social Security Act the ID was **Act-19910046**. This ID would be repeated in this field.

[C 03] Textblock ID1

This field is for the ID of the specific Part, Section or regulation in an Amending ACT or REGULATION that causes a change (amendment) to happen.

Textblock ID2 (see **[C 04]** below) on the other hand records the ID of the specific Part, Section or regulation in an Amending Act or Regulation that is changed (amended).

EXAMPLE 1

Following is an example of an amendment to the Social Security Act which shows how the information required for this field is obtained.

Please note there are several ways in which Amending ACTS and REGULATIONS are presented. However, the information required for this ID field is present in all cases. This first example shows the things to look for and the next example show some of the variations possible.

- (N) The first thing required is an indication as to type. The example is an Amending Act.
- (O) The second thing required is the relevant year. In the example this is 1995.
- (P) The third thing required is the Act or Reg Number. In this example this is 104.
- (Q) The fourth thing required is the specific Part, Section or regulation doing the amending. In this example this is SCH1 (ie: Schedule 1).

The ID entry for this example would then be as follows:

ACT-19950104-SCH-1

SOCIAL SECURITY LEGISLATION (N)AMENDMENT ACT (No. 1) (O)1995 No. (P)104 of 1995

.....

(Q)SCHEDULE 1 Section 4<

AMENDMENT OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT 1991 RELATING TO<

THE DEFINITION OF INCOME<

1. After Paragraph 8 (8) (zf) :<

Insert:<

"(zfa) a payment of financial supplement made to the person<
under the Student Financial Supplement Scheme;"<

EXAMPLE 2

This example shows a different style of amendment to Example 1.

The ID entry for this example would be as follows: **ACT-19950105-SEC-4**

It would be made up of the following:

- (R) Indication of Amending Act. (This would be Reg if we were dealing with a Regulation).
- (S) Year of Act is 1995.
- (T) Act or Reg Number is 105.
- (U) Specific Part, Section or regulation doing the amending is SEC4. **Note:** there is no reference to a Schedule (SCH) because Section 4 is doing the amending.

SOCIAL SECURITY (NON-BUDGET MEASURES) LEGISLATION (R)AMENDMENT ACT (S)1995
No. (T)105 of 1995

\$\$NSECT

(U)4. Section 198 of the Principal Act is amended by inserting after subsection (1A) :

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<

"(1B) Subject to subsection (1C), if:<

(a) a person; (the 'carer') is personally providing constant care for a severely handicapped person;
and<

(b) the handicapped person is temporarily absent from Australia for a period of not more than 3
months; and<

(c) the carer accompanies the handicapped person on his or her absence from Australia;<
the carer does not cease to be qualified for a carer pension merely because of that absence from Australia.

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"(1C) If, during a calendar year, the carer has accompanied the handicapped person outside Australia
on more than one occasion, the carer ceases to be qualified for carer pension under subsection (1B) in that
calendar year after he or she has, during that calendar year, qualified for carer pension under that subsection
for periods that together add up to 3 months."

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[C 04] Textblock 102

This field is for the ID of the specific Part, Section or regulation in an Amending ACT or
REGULATION that is changed (amended).

Textblock ID1 (see [C 03] above) on the other hand records the ID of the specific Part, Section or
regulation in an Amending ACT or REGULATION that causes a change (amendment) to happen.

EXAMPLE 1

Following is an example of an amendment to the Social Security Act which shows how the
information required for this field is obtained.

Please note, as with Textblock ID1, there are several ways in which Amending ACTS and
REGULATIONS are presented. However, the information required for this ID field is present in all
cases. This first example shows the things to look for and the next example shows some of the
variations possible.

(V) Again the first thing is an indication as to type. The example is an Amending Act.

- (W) The second thing required is the relevant year. In the example this is 1991.
- (X) The third thing required is the Act or Reg Number. In this example this is 46.
- (Y) The fourth thing required is the specific Part, Section or Regulation that is being amended. In this example this is SEC8.

The ID entry for this example would then be as follows:

ACT-19910046-SEC-8

SOCIAL SECURITY LEGISLATION AMENDMENT ACT (No. 1) 1995 No. 104 of 1995 -

SCHEDULE 1

Section 4<

AMENDMENT OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY (V)ACT (W)1991

(X) [If not available/reproduced in the Amendment text can be obtained from the main ID field in

MASTER TABLE]

RELATING TO<

THE DEFINITION OF INCOME<

1. After Paragraph (Y)8 (8) (zf) :

Insert:<

"(zfa) a payment of financial supplement made to the person under the Student Financial Supplement Scheme;"<

EXAMPLE 2

This example shows a different style of amendment to Example 1.

The ID entry for this example would be as follows: **ACT-19950105-SEC-198**

It would be made up of the following:

- (Z) Indication of Amending ACT. (This would be Reg if we were dealing with a REGULATION).
- (AA) Year of ACT is 1991.
- (BB) The third thing required is the ACT or REGULATION Number. In this example this is 46.
- (CC) Specific Part, Section or regulation being amended is SEC 198.

SOCIAL SECURITY (NON-BUDGET MEASURES) LEGISLATION AMENDMENT ACT 1995 No. 105 of 1995

(Z) (AA) (BB) [if not available/reproduced in the Amendment text can be obtained from the main ID field in **MASTER TABLE]**

\$\$NSECT

4. Section (CC)198 of the Principal Act is amended by inserting after subsection (1A) :

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"(1B) Subject to subsection (1C), if:<

(a) a person (the 'carer') is personally providing constant care for a severely handicapped person; and <

(b) the handicapped person is temporarily absent from Australia for a period of not more than 3 months; and<

(c) the carer accompanies the handicapped person on his or her absence from Australia;< the carer does not cease to be qualified for a carer pension merely because of that absence from Australia.

\$\$\$

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"(1C) If, during a calendar year, the carer has accompanied the handicapped person outside Australia on more than one occasion, the carer ceases to be qualified for carer pension under subsection (1B) in that calendar year after he or she has, during that calendar year, qualified for carer pension under that subsection for periods that together add up to 3 months."

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[C 05] Date of Commencement Field

This field is for the date an amendment or repeal of a specific Part, Section or regulation commenced. See also [B 04] for information on commencement.

EXAMPLE

Below is an example of a commencement provision from an amending ACT. Note how various sections of the amending ACT are allocated a date of commencement. Using the Section identified in TEXTBLOCK ID1 the date of commencement can be identified and entered in this field.

Thus if the TEXTBLOCK ID1 field were **ACT-19950105-SEC-8** then the date information required for this field would be 1 July 1995. See (DD) below.

SOCIAL SECURITY (NON-BUDGET MEASURES) LEGISLATION AMENDMENT ACT 1995 No. 105 of 1995 - SECT 2<

Commencement<

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\$\$NSECT

2. (1) Subject to this section, this Act commences on the day on which it receives the Royal Assent.

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(2) Subdivision A of Division 2 of Part 2 is taken to have commenced on 1 July 1993.

\$\$P

<

(3) Section 8 and 9 are taken to have commenced on (DD)1 July 1995.

\$\$P

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(4) Section 10 is taken to have commenced on 1 April 1993.

\$\$P

[C 06] Date of Expiry Field

This field provides for amendments that are enacted for a period of time, for example; during a special event such as the Olympics.

Note: Expiry provisions are rare and should only be added if clearly specified in the data as in the example below.

EXAMPLE

See (EE) below.

OLYMPIC SECURITY (NON-BUDGET MEASURES) LEGISLATION AMENDMENT ACT 1997 No.
109 of 1995

\$\$NSECT

4. Section 298 of the Principal Act is amended for the period commencing at midnight on 1 July 1997 and ending on midnight (EE)25 July 1997 by inserting after subsection (2A) :

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"(2B) Subject to subsection (2C) , if:<

(a) a person (the 'carer') is personality providing constant care for a severely handicapped person;

and<

(b) the handicapped person is temporarily absent from Australia for a period of not more than 3 months; and <

(c) the carer accompanies the handicapped person on his or her absence from Australia;<
the carer does not cease to be qualified for a carer pension merely because of that absence from Australia.

\$\$\$

<

"(2C) If, during a calendar year, the carer has accompanied the handicapped person outside Australia on more than one occasion, the carer ceases to be qualified for carer pension under subsection (1B) in that calendar year after he or she has, during that calendar year, qualified for carer pension under that subsection for periods that together add up to 3 months. "

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APPENDIX D**Keying Guide for Australian
Legislation Documents****General****Validation**

All files produced must be parsed against the relevant DTD and each table should be viewed using a suitable Table renderer to make sure that they have been coded correctly.

DTD modifications

No local modifications must be made to the supplied DTD's. If there are any situations in which it is thought that a change to a DTD is required then the requested change and the reasons for it must be submitted to SGMLSE. If a change is deemed necessary, then the DTD will be changed in the UK and resupplied. This is necessary to maintain consistency in the DTD's being used at both ends in the process.

Files

The SGML files that will be supplied have already been partially processed but will be invalid according to the DTD (especially the tables).

Each file should omit the document type declaration and begin directly with the root element.

Carriage return characters

Carriage return characters must not appear in any element which has #PCDATA within its content model. If it is wished to use carriage return characters to shorten line lengths, then they must be placed in positions where they will be ignored by an SGML parser e.g. in places where #PCDATA is not allowed, or within start and end tags in places where separator characters are allowed.

Case

Element and attribute names are case-insensitive. They may be entered in either uppercase, lowercase or a mixture.

Attribute values are usually case-insensitive. The only time that they are case-sensitive is when they have a declared type of CDATA, in which case the string values should be entered directly as they appear in the text.

Markup minimisation

No non-empty elements have omissible start or end tags, but the empty end tag `</>` can be used to end the currently open element. A carriage return character can not occur within an empty end tag.

DTD structure

There are four DTDs and a common element declaration that are used to define the structure of the legislation.

REGS.DTD

This DTD has the public identifier "-//SGMLSE/DTD 1.0 Regulations//EN" and contains the declaration for the regulations. It has two parameter entity references which include "-//SGMLSE/DTD 1.0 Act//EN" and "-//SGMLSE/DTD 1.0 Regulation//EN".

The file *regs.sgm* produced by the Perl script *regs.pl* conforms to *regs.dtd* and calls in all acts as parameter entities.

ACTS.DTD

This DTD has the public identifier "-//SGMLSE/DTD 1.0 Acts//EN" and contains the declaration for the acts. It has a parameter entity references which includes "-//SGMLSE/DTD 1.0 Act//EN".

The file *acts.sgm* produced by the Perl script *acts.pl* conforms to *acts.dtd* and calls in all acts as parameter entities.

ACT.DTD

This DTD has the public identifier "-//SGMLSE/DTD 1.0 Act//EN" and contains the declaration of an act.

REG.DTD

This DTD has the public identifier "-//SGMLSE/DTD 1.0 Regulation//EN" and contains the declaration of a regulation.

COMMON.ELT

This list of elements has the public identifier "-//SGMLSE/ELEMENTS 1.0 Common Elements//EN" and includes element and entity definitions common to all document types.

Character entities

The character entities allowed have been selected from the ISO public sets *isogr1*, *isogr3*, *isolat1*, *isonum*, *isopub* and *isotech*.

These characters are translated one-to-one to the equivalent character in the Times New Roman True Type font.

The <quote> or <blockquote> elements should be used instead to surround any quoted text.

Use Quotes (") at the beginning and at the end of these elements.

Labels and identifiers

The major structural elements - act, reg, part, schedule, section, sub, s-sub, ss-sub,

...

all have a required label attribute (*lbl*). Unique identifiers should be generated for these elements.

The label for these elements is the preceding number or letter WITHOUT any punctuation or parentheses. For example:

1979 No. 141 The charge to income tax - REG 1

Income Tax

1. Fred ...

1. (1) This is ...

```
<section type="reg" lbl="1" ID="CWACT-19790141-SEC-1">
```

```
<title>Income Tax</>
```

```
<list>
```

```
<li lbl="1"><p>Fred ...</p>
```



```

</list>
<li lbl="1"><p>This is ...</p>
</li>
</list>
</section>

```

Convert list and li items back to the original look in Folio Views, ie to

1. Fred ...

1. (1) This is ...

Cross references

All cross references point directly to a target by providing the id of the target as the value of an attribute of the xref element. For details of the format of cross reference identifier strings, see the description of the xref element below.

All ID's are marked unchanged as Jump Destinations (JD's).

```
<SECTION ID="CWACT-19950104-SEC-1" LBL="1">
```

becomes:

```
<JD:"="CWACT-19950104-SEC-1 ">
```

REGS DTD ELEMENT

REGS

This is the root element of the Regulations. Its definition is :

```
<! ELEMENT regs -- (title, header?, reg+) >
```

That is, it contains a required title element, followed by an optional header element followed by 1 or more act element.

Not translated

ACTS DTD ELEMENT

ACTS

This is the root element of the Acts. Its definition is

```
<! (ELEMENT acts -- (title, header?, act+) >
```

That is, it contains a required title element, followed by an optional header element followed by 1 or more act element.

Not translated

REG DTD ELEMENTS

REG

This is the root element of the dtd for a Regulation. Its definition is:

```
<! ELEMENT reg -- (title, notes?, provisions?, (preamble | long-title)?,
((order+ | (section | schedule)+ | chapter+ | part+), schedule*)) >
```

```

<! ATTLIST reg id ID #REQUIRED
          1b1          CDATA          #REQUIRED
          insert-date  NUMBER          #IMPLIED
          insert-leg   IDREF           #IMPLIED
          repeal-date  NUMBER          #IMPLIED
          repeal-leg   IDREF           #IMPLIED
          amend-date   NUMBER          #IMPLIED
          amend-leg    IDREF           #IMPLIED

```

The insert-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the REG was inserted. The insert-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that inserted the REG. The repeal-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the REG was repealed. The repeal-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that repealed the REG. The amend-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the REG was amended. The amend-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that amended the REG.

The title gets marked up as Level "Heading Level 1". The period between the insert-date and the repeal-date or amend-date (that is the period during which the above element was in force) gets marked up as follows:

The Folio Views markup used is Groups. See the manual for explanations. We will use three kinds of groups: Inforce-yyyy, Inforce-yyyy-mm and Inforce-yyyy-mm-dd (yyyy can be any year, mm can be any month from 1 - 12 and dd can be any day from 1 - 31). If the element was valid throughout a year yyyy, the element becomes a member of the Inforce-yyyy group. If the element was valid only for some months within a year, it becomes a member of the relevant Inforce-yyyy-mm groups. If the element was only valid for some days within a month, the element becomes a member of the relevant Inforce-yyyy-mm-dd groups. Example:

If the element was valid from 1/7/94 to 7/4/96, then the element belongs to the following groups: Inforce-94-07, Inforce-94-08, Inforce-94-09, Inforce-94-10, Inforce-94-11, Inforce-94-12, Inforce-95, Inforce-96-01, Inforce-96-02, Inforce-96-03, Inforce-96-04-01, Inforce-96-04-02, Inforce-96-04-03, Inforce-96-04-04, Inforce-96-04-05, Inforce-96-04-06 and Inforce-96-04-07.

Note that the element is not part of the Inforce-94 group because the element wasn't in force throughout of 1994. Nor is the element part of the Inforce-96-04 group because the element wasn't in force throughout April 1996.

If the enduser wants to search for all elements that are valid as of a particular date then the enduser can enter that date in a Query Template in the form DD/MM/YYYY. The Query Template then searches the Folio Views infobase for all elements that belong to the groups Inforce-yyyy, Inforce-yyyy-mm and Inforce-yyyy-mm-dd.

ACT DTD ELEMENTS

ACT

This is the root element of the dtd for an Act. Its definition is :

```
<! ELEMENT act -- (title, notes?, provisions?, (preamble | long- title)?, (section+ | chapter+ |part+ |sub+)*,
schedule*)>
```

```
<!ATTLIST act id ID #REQUIRED
```

```
    date CDATA #IMPLIED
```

```
    insert-date          NUMBER          #IMPLIED
```

```
    insert-leg           IDREF           #IMPLIED
```

```
    repeal-date          NUMBER          #IMPLIED
```

```
    repeal-leg           IDREF           #IMPLIED
```

```
    amend-date           NUMBER          #IMPLIED
```

```
    amend-leg            IDREF           #IMPLIED
```

<

That is, it contains a required title element, followed by optional notes, provisions, and preamble and either one or more reg, order, rule, section, chapter or part elements. It has a required id attribute and implied date attribute

The insert-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the ACT was inserted. The insert-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that inserted the ACT.

The repeal-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the ACT was repealed. The repeal-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that repealed the ACT.

The amend-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the ACT was amended. The amend-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that amended the ACT.

Examples**1979 No. 141 The charge to income tax**

```
<act lbl="141" ID="CWACT-19790141-TXT-0">
```

```
<title>1979 No. 141 The charge to income tax</>
```

1979 No. 141 The charge to income tax*1*

```
<act lbl="141" ID="CWACT-19790141-TXT-0">
```

```
<title>1979 No. 141 The charge to income tax<noteref
```

```
ref= "CWACT- 19790141-note-1" ></>
```

The noteref gets marked up as a popup link. The text of the note becomes the text within the popup link.

Treated the same as Reg DTD Elements. See there for details.

COMMON ELEMENTS**PART**

```
<! ELEMENT part -- (title, (%plevel;)*,
```

```
(chapter+ | division+ | section+)*, notes?)
```

```
<! ATTLIST part id ID #REQUIRED
```

```
    lbl          CDATA          #IMPLIED
```

```
    insert-date  NUMBER          #IMPLIED
```

insert-leg	IDREF	#IMPLIED
repeal-date	NUMBER	#IMPLIED
repeal-leg	IDREF	#IMPLIED
amend-date	NUMBER	#IMPLIED
amend-leg	IDREF	#IMPLIED

>

The insert-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the PART was inserted. The insert-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that inserted the PART. The repeal-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the PART was repealed. The repeal-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that repealed the PART. The amend-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the PART was amended. The amend-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that amended the PART.

Example

```
<PART lbl="I" ID="CWACTION-19790141-PT-1">
```

```
<title></title>
```

```
<p>
```

The title gets' marked up as Level "Heading Level 2". Dates get treated the same way as in Regs DTD) Elements. See there for details.

ORDER

```
<(ELEMENT order -- (title,
```

```
(division | section | part | schedule) +)>
```

```
<!ATTLIST order id ID #REQUIRED
```

```
lbl CDATA #IMPLIED
```

```
insert-date NUMBER #IMPLIED
```

```
insert-leg IDREF #IMPLIED
```

```
repeal-date NUMBER #IMPLIED
```

```
repeal-leg IDREF #IMPLIED
```

```
amend-date NUMBER #IMPLIED
```

```
amend-leg IDREF #IMPLIED
```

>

The insert-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the ORDER was inserted. The insert-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that inserted the ORDER. The repeal-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the ORDER was repealed. The repeal-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that repealed the ORDER.

The amend-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the ORDER was amended. The amend-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that amended the ORDER.

Example

1979 No. 140 FEDERAL COURT RULES - ORDER 3<

ORDER 3<

TIME<

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\$\$T

1979 No. 140 FEDERAL COURT RULES - RULE 1<

<ORDER lbl="3" ID="CWACT-19790140-ORD-3">

<title>TIME</title>

<section type="rule" lbl="1" ID="CWACT-19790140-ORD-3.1">

The title gets marked up as Level "Heading Level 2". Dates get treated the same way as in Regs DTD Elements. See there for details.

DIVISION

<(ELEMENT division -- (title, (sub-division+ | section+))

>

<(ATTLIST division id ID #/REQUIRED

lbl CDATA #IMPLIED

insert-date NUMBER #IMPLIED

insert-leg IDREF #IMPLIED

repeal-date NUMBER #IMPLIED

repeal-leg IDREF #IMPLIED

amend-date NUMBER #IMPLIED

amend-leg IDREF #IMPLIED

>

The insert-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the DIVISION was inserted. The insert-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that inserted the DIVISION.

The repeal-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the DIVISION was repealed. The repeal-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that repealed the DIVISION.

The amend-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the DIVISION was amended. The amend-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that amended the DIVISION.

Example

1979 No. 140 FEDERAL COURT RULES - DIVISION 1<

Division 1-General<

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\$\$T

1979 No. 140 FEDERAL COURT RULES - RULE 1<

Cases for service of originating process<

<DIVISION lbl="" ID="CWACT-I 9790140-DIV-i>

<title>General</title>

<RULE lbl="1" ID="CWACT-I 9790140-DIV-1.1">

<title> Cases for service of originating process </title>

The title gets marked up as Level "Heading Level 3". Dates get treated the same way as in Regs DTD Elements. See there for details.

SUB-DIVISION

<!ELEMENT sub-division -- (title, section+) >

<!ATTLIST sub-division id ID #REQUIRED

lbl CDATA #IMPLIED

insert-date NUMBER #IMPLIED

insert-leg IDREF #IMPLIED

repeal-date NUMBER #IMPLIED

repeal-leg IDREF #IMPLIED

amend-date NUMBER #IMPLIED

amend-leg IDREF #IMPLIED

>

The insert-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the SUB-DIVISION was inserted. The insert-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that inserted the SUB-DIVISION.

The repeal-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the SUB-DIVISION was repealed. The repeal-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that repealed the SUB-DIVISION.

The amend-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the SUB-DIVISION was amended. The amend-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that amended the SUB-DIVISION.

The title gets marked up with a Paragraph Style (see Folio Views Infobase Production Kit Manual for details) 'Subdivision', Dates get treated the same way as in Regs DTD Elements. See there for details.

PROVISIONS

<!ELEMENT provisions -- (title, tblblk) >

Example

\$\$TABLE

TABLE OF PROVISIONS<

\$\$\$

Order<

\$\$\$

1. Preliminary<

\$\$\$

2. **Sittings and Vacation**<

<PROVISIONS>

<TITLE>TABLE OF PROVISIONS>

<TBLBLK>

</TBLBLK>

</PROVISIONS>

Provisions get ignored. The Table of Provisions gets generated by the conversion program from the following Elements: Part, Chapter, Order, Division, Subdivision and Section. The generated Table of Provisions is stored just before the first Part, Chapter, Order, Division, Subdivision and Section.

CHAPTER

```
<!ELEMENT chapter -- (title, %level;)*,
(part+ | section+ | article+)?>
```

```
<!ATTLIST chapter
  id ID #REQUIRED
  |b| CDATA #IMPLIED
  insert-date NUMBER #IMPLIED
  insert-leg IDREF #IMPLIED
  repeal-date NUMBER #IMPLIED
  repeal-leg IDREF #IMPLIED
  amend-date NUMBER #IMPLIED
  amend-leg IDREF #IMPLIED
```

>

The insert-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the CHAPTER was inserted. The insert-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that inserted the CHAPTER.

The repeal-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the CHAPTER was repealed. The repeal-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that repealed the CHAPTER.

The amend-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the CHAPTER was amended. The amend-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that amended the CHAPTER.

The title gets marked up as Level "Heading Level 2". Dates get treated the same way as in Regs DTD Elements. See there for details.

SECTION

This is a sub element of a Regulation. Its definition is:

```
<!ELEMENT section -- (title, (%unstruct-cont;))>
<!ATTLIST section
  id ID #REQUIRED
  |b| CDATA #IMPLIED
  insert-date NUMBER #IMPLIED
  insert-leg IDREF #IMPLIED
```

repeal-date	NUMBER	#IMPLIED
repeal-leg	IDREF	#IMPLIED
amend-date	NUMBER	#IMPLIED
amend-leg	IDREF	#IMPLIED

>

That is, it contains a required title element, followed by unstructured content. It has a required lbl attribute and a required id attribute.

The insert-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the SECTION was inserted. The insert-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that inserted the SECTION.

The repeal-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the SECTION was repealed. The repeal-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that repealed the SECTION.

The amend-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the SECTION was amended. The amend-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that amended the SECTION.

Examples

1979 No. 141 The charge to income tax - SECT. 1

Income Tax

1979 No. 141 The charge to income tax - REG 2

Tax

3. Income tax shall be charged. . .

```
<section lbl="1" id="CWACTION-1979141-SEC-1">
```

```
<title>Income tax</>
```

```
<section type = "reg" lbl = "2" id = CWACTION-1979141-SEC-
```

```
1.2" ><title>Tax</title>
```

```
<p>Income tax shall be charged. . . </>
```

The title gets marked up as Level "Heading Level 4". Dates gets treated the same way as in Regs DTD Elements. See there for details.

SCHEDULE

This is a sub element of a Regulation. Its definition is:

```
<!(ELEMENT schedule - - (title?, (%-unstruct-cont;))>
```

```
<!ATTLIST schedule id ID #REQUIRED
```

```
  lbl CDATA #IMPLIED
```

```
  insert-date NUMBER #IMPLIED
```

```
  insert-leg IDREF #IMPLIED
```

```
  repeal-date NUMBER #IMPLIED
```

```
  repeal-leg IDREF #IMPLIED
```

```
  amend-date NUMBER #IMPLIED
```

```
  amend-leg IDREF #IMPLIED
```


>

That is, it contains a required title element, followed by unstructured content. It has a required lbl attribute and a required id attribute.

The insert-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the SCHEDULE was inserted. The insert-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that inserted the SCHEDULE.

The repeal-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the SCHEDULE was repealed. The repeal-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that repealed the SCHEDULE.

The amend-date attribute should be used to insert the date YYYYMMDD that the SCHEDULE was amended. The amend-leg should be used to insert the ID of the legislation that amended the SCHEDULE.

Examples

1979 No. 141 The charge to income tax - SCHEDULE 1

Income Tax

1. Income tax shall be charged...

```
<schedule lbl = "I" id="CWACT-1979141-SCH-1">
```

```
<title>Income tax</>
```

```
<p>Income tax shall be charged... </>
```

The title gets marked up as Level "Heading Level 2". Dates get treated the same way as in Regs DTD Elements. See there for details.

FORM

```
<!ELEMENT form -- (title, formreg, front, back?)>
```

```
<!ATTLIST form %reqlbl;
```

```
%reqid;>
```

Each form has a title, regulation, a front and an optional back. Each has a required lbl attribute and a required ID.

Example

FORM A<

Regulation 7<

(Front of Form)<

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA<

Trade Practices Act 1974-Sub-section 88 (1)<

EXCLUSIONARY PROVISIONS:<

APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION<

To the Trade Practices Commission: Application is hereby made under sub-section 88 (1) of the Trade

(Back of Form)<

DIRECTIONS<

1. Where there is insufficient space on this form to furnish the required information, the information is to be shown on separate sheets, numbered consecutively and signed by or on behalf of the applicant.

<FORM lbl="a" ID="CWACT-I9790141-FORM-A">

<FORMREG>Regulation 7</FORMREG>

<FRONT>

<AS IS>

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA<

Trade Practices Act 1974-Sub-section 88 (1)<

EXCLUSIONARY PROVISIONS:<

APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION<

To the Trade Practices Commission: Application is hereby made under sub-section 88 (1) of the Trade

</ASIS>

</FRONT>

<BACK>

<ASIS>

DIRECTIONS<

1. Where there is insufficient space on this form to furnish the required information, the information is to be shown on separate sheets, numbered consecutively and signed by or on behalf of the applicant.

</ASIS>

</BACK>

</FORM>

Forms get marked up with a Paragraph Style 'Forms'. The markup of 'Front' and 'Back' gets inserted as hidden text (hidden text is visible on the screen but doesn't show when the Form gets printed.

FORM ELEMENTS

FORMREG

<!ELEMENT formreg -- (#PCDATA) >

see above example

FRONT

<!ELEMENT front -- (asis) >

see above example

BACK

<!ELEMENT back -- (asis) >

see above example

ASIS

<!ELEMENT asis -- (#PCDATA) >

date is displayed as-is

see above example

HEADER ELEMENTS

HEADER

<!ELEMENT header -- (scope?, updated?) >

SCOPE

<!ELEMENT scope -- (%text;) >

UPDATED

<!ELEMENT updated -- (%text;) >

NOTE ELEMENTS

NOTES

<!ELEMENT notes - O (note+) >

List of notes at the start of an act

NOTE

<!ELEMENT note -- (%plevel;) >

<!ATTLIST note id ID #REQUIRED>

A single note

Forms get marked up with a Paragraph Style 'Forms'. The markup of 'Front' and 'Back' gets inserted as hidden text (hidden text is visible on the screen but doesn't show when the Form gets printed.

STRUCTURAL ELEMENTS

TITLE

A generic title, which may occur in several different contexts.

Covered in Acts DTD Elements, Regs DTD Elements and so on.

INLINE ELEMENTS

BOLD

Used to mark any inline text which is set in a bold face other than a title or a label. It may contain text or any inline elements other than <bold>.

It has no attributes.

ILEQN

An inline equation. This is a mathematical equation which is embedded in a line of text characters or other inline elements. See the attached description of equations for further details.

ITAL

Used to mark any inline text which is set in a italic face other than a title or a label. It may contain text or any inline elements other than <italic>.

It has no attributes.

QUOTE

A sequence of text characters or inline elements surrounded by single or double paired quotation marks. The quotation mark characters must not be entered as text characters or entity references as they will be generated automatically.

SUBSCR

A Subscript (inferior).

SUPER

A superscript (superior).

Brought over from SGML to Folio Views with no changes.

CROSS REFERENCES

NOTEREF

A reference to a NOTE element normally used in a TITLE element

Implemented as a popup link.

TEMPREF

A reference to a piece of legislation where the ID is not known. The tempref element will be converted to an XREF element at a later date (when the ID is known).

Not converted.

RNGREF

A cross reference to a sequential range of targets, e.g. see Sections 3 to 7.

It has two required attributes, startref and endref. Startref is the id of the first of the targets referenced and endref is the id of the last target referenced. For a description of id strings, see the description of the xref element.

Converted as a Query Link.

XREF

A cross reference to a single target. It has a single attribute, ref, which must contain the id string of the target of the reference. Ids are not being entered on elements during keying, but will be generated automatically from the lbl attribute of elements.

However, for xrefs it is necessary to work out what the id string of the target will be.

The format of id strings is described below:

Converted as a jumplink.

ID Strings

Cross references to sections of Acts and Act Schedules should be marked up using the xref element as described above.

Id strings are made up of four sequential fields separated by a "-" (dash) character as follows

field1-field2-field3-field4

field 1 is the type of document which is being referenced. The current valid value is ACT.

field2 is an abbreviated form of the year and number of the Act, e.g. 19880001 is 1988 No. 1.

field3 identifies the type of object being referenced. Valid values are:

ORD order

DIV division

SCH schedule in an Act

SEC section in an Act

CH chapter in an Act

PT part in an Act

NOTEa note

field4 is the identifier of the element being referenced, which is formed by concatenating the values of the lbl attributes of the referenced element and its ancestor elements, separated by a "." (point) character. e.g. 1 or 1.1 or 1.1.a or 1.1.a.iv

Examples

```
<section lbl="I" <!-- id is ACT-19790141-SEC-I -->
```

```
<title>The charge to income tax.</>
```

```
<list>
```

```
<li lbl="1">
```

```
<p>Income tax shall be charged. . .</>
```

Implemented us jumpdestination.

BLOCK LEVEL ELEMENTS

DPEQN

A display equation. This is a mathematical equation which is set on one or more lines by itself.

See the attached description of equations for further details.

It has no attributes.

It has no attributes.

LIST

A list of related lines of text which are not sub, s-sub or ss-sub elements.

LI

An item in a list. This is a single line of text within a list.

It has a single attribute, marker, which has allowed values of bullet, dash or none, with a default of none. If a marker character precedes the list item then the relevant value should be entered for the attribute. The marker character should not be entered as text. If any marker character other than a bullet or dash is found, contact SGMLSE for a change to the DTD.

P

A single line of text.

BLOCKQUOTE

A non-inline quote. The quotation mark characters must not be entered as text characters or entity references as they will be generated automatically

TBLBLK

A container element for a table which has a title. It contains a required title element followed by a single table.

It has no attributes.

The above elements get implemented either without conversion or using paragraph styles.

TABLE ELEMENTS

General

Arbortext tables expressed in tagged ASCII form must follow this basic structure:

```
<table>
```

```

<rowrule>
for each row
{
    <tablerow>
    <cell rule>
    for each column
    {
        <tablecell>text</tablecell>
        <cellrule>
    }
    </tablerow>
</rowrule>
}
</table>

```

TABLE

The <table> tag has three required attributes. They must be specified correctly or the table will not be handled properly.

ncols=NUMBER The number of columns in the table. This value **MUST** agree with the number of columns expressed by the required **cwl** attribute.

Wdm=(25|50|75|100) The numbers indicate the width of the table as a percentage of the page width.

cwl=LIST where LIST is a list of integers each separated by a colon. Each integer represents the relative width of a column.

Example

A four column table which is the full width of the page. The second and third columns are twice the width of the first column, and the fourth column is three times the width of the first:

```
<table ncols="4" wdm="100" cwl="1:2:2:3">
```

or, equivalently,

```
<table ncols="4" wdm="100" cwl="5:10:10:15">
```

CELLRULE

Empty element. Specifies a vertical rule. It has a single attribute, **rtv**, which specifies the type of rule. Valid values for **rtv** are:

" " (point) for a blank rule,

"-" (dash) for a single rule,

"=" (equals) for a double rule,

"+" (plus) for a bold rule.

Example

```
<cellrule rty=" ">
```

for a blank rule, or

```
<cellrule rty="-">
```

for a single rule.

ROWRULE

Empty element. Specifies a sequence of horizontal rules, one per cell in the row. It has a single attribute, `rtl`, which is a colon-delimited list of rule type specifiers. There must be one rule type specifier for each cell in the row. The valid specifiers are as for `cellrule` above.

Example

For a four-column table

```
<rowrule rtl=":-:.-:">
```

would draw a horizontal rule above cells one and four.

TABLEROW

Specifies a row in the table. It has a single attribute, `hdr`, which specifies whether or not the row is a header row in a table which will be repeated over page breaks. The only valid value is "1"(one), which indicates that the row is a header row. An omitted value for `hdr` indicates that the row is not a header row. A value is only valid on the first `<tablerow>` in the table.

Example

```
<tablerow hdr="1">
```

indicates that the row is a header row (iff the `<tablerow>` is the first in the table, else it will generate an error).

```
<tablerow>
```

indicates that the row is not a header row if the `<tablerow>` is the first in the table.

TABLECELL

Indicates a cell in a row in a table. It has four optional attributes:

`chj = (b|l|r|c)` Horizontal justification for that cell.

`b` for both right and left justified,

`l` for flush left,

`r` for flush right,

`c` for centred.

Default: left justified

`cvj = (t|c|b)` Vertical justification for that cell.

`t` for top justified,

`c` for centred, or

`b` for bottom justified.

Default: top justified

`spn = INTEGER` For horizontally spanned columns. `VAL` is a whole number representing how many columns are spanned. Note that for horizontal spans, the text appears in the LEFTMOST cell in the span, and all other cells in the span should be void of text.

Default: 1

vspn=INTEGER For vertically spanned rows. VAL is a whole number representing how many rows are spanned. Note that for vertical spans, the text appears in the LOWEST cell in the span and all other cells in the span should be void of text.

Default: 1

Arbortext table example

foo	fum	fee
spanned		ugh

```

<tbl>
<table wdm="100" cwl="3:4:3">
<rowrule rtl=":-:-">
<tablerow hdr="1">
<cellrule rty="-">
<tablecell>foo</tablecell>
<cellrule rty="-">
<tablecell chj="c">fum</tablecell>
<cellrule rty="-">
<tablecell chj="r" cvj="b">fee</tablecell>
<cellrule rty="-">
</tablerow>
<rowrule rtl=":-:-">
<tablerow>
<cellrule rty="-">
<tablecell spn="2" chj="c">spanned</tablecell>
<cellrule rty="-">
<tablecell chj="c">ugh</tablecell>
<cellrule rty="-">
</tablerow>
<rowrule rtl=":-:-">
</table>
</tbl>

```

Tables get converted to Microsoft Word tables and then converted into Folio Views.

EQUATION ELEMENTS

General

This maths DTD is a subset of the Arbortext maths DTD, which itself is derived from the AAP maths DTD.

In maths mode, all spaces are ignored (except in a <phr> element as described below). Correct spacing is handled automatically.

All alphabetical characters and symbols are treated as variables and set in italic face, unless they occur within <phr>, <rm> or <rf> elements.

All numeric characters and operators are set in roman face, unless they occur within an <it> element.

Greek symbols should be entered using the <g> element rather than entity references. E.g. <g>a</g> produces alpha, <g>b</g> beta, etc. Any entity references for Greek characters which appear in equations will be flagged as errors by the parsing program.

B

Bold text in an equation.

DE

Denominator of a fraction.

F

Inline equation.

FD

Display equation.

FEN

Fence. A pair of bracketed delimiters. The attribute lp (left post) defines the type of the left delimiter as below, and the following element rp (right post) defines the type of the right delimiter.

```
<!ATTLIST fen lp (par|sqb|cub|ang|vb) vb --
      par left parenthesis (
      sqb left square bracket [
      cub left curly brace {
      ang left angle bracket <
      vb left vertical bar |
```

```
-->
```

FR

Fraction.

G

Greek character or characters. Valid characters are:

char equivalent entity

a alpha

b beta

c chi

d delta

D Delta

e epsilon

3 epsiv

4 phiv

f	phis
F	Phi
g	gamma
G	Gamma
h	eta
i	iota
j	thetav
k	kappa
l	lambda
L	Lambda
m	mu
n	nu
p	pi
2	piv
P	Pi
q	thetas
Q	Theta
r	rho
s	sigma
S	Sigma
9	rhov
t	tau
u	upsilon
U	Upsilon
v	sigmav
w	omega
W	Omega
x	xi
X	Xi
y	psi
Y	Psi
z	zeta

INF

Inferior. Subscript in an equation.

IT

Italic text in an equation.

NU

Numerator of a fraction.

OVL

Overline.

PHR

Phrase. In a phrase all characters are set in roman face and keyed space characters are preserved. A phrase is essentially a temporary escape out of maths mode back into normal text mode.

RAD

Radical or root. Contains a radicand (<rcd>), which is the constructs which appear beneath the top horizontal bar, and an optional radix (rdx), which is the power of the root (e.g. square, cube, 4, etc.).

RCD

Radicand. The content of a root construct.

RDX

Radix. The power of a root.

RF

Roman Function. A function name set in roman face, such as log, sin, cos, lim, arg, etc. It differs from the <rm> element in that preceding and following space characters are generated to separate it from surrounding characters.

RM

Roman face. Used to force an alpha character to be displayed in normal face rather than be treated as a variable and displayed in italic face.

RP

Right delimiter of a fence. It has a single attribute, post, which defines the type of the delimiter. Valid values are the same as for the lp attribute of the <fen> element, except that they specify the right hand match for the relevant left post.

SUP

Superior. A superscript in an equation.

UNL

Underline.

Arbortext equation examples

... by multiplying by the fraction -

A

B

where -

<p>... by multiplying by the fraction -</p>

<math display="block">\frac{A}{B}

<p>where -</p>

... by the formula -

gross taxable income

- net assets

<p>. . . by the formula -</>

<dpeqn>< fr><nu><phr>gross taxable income</></><de><phr>net
assets</></></></>

Equations get converted to Microsoft Word equations and then converted into Folio Views.

Alternatively equations get converted to images and added to Folio Views as images.

APPENDIX E

<!SGML "ISO 8879:1986"

--

ArborText's default SGML declaration, modified to allow longer id/idref's, and to use a number of special characters within them.

--

CHARSET

BASESET "ISO 646-1983//CHARSET

International Reference Version (IRV)//ESC 2/5 4/0"

DESCSET

| | | | |
|-----|-----|----|-------------------------|
| | 0 | 9 | UNUSED |
| | 9 | 2 | 9 |
| 11 | 2 | | UNUSED |
| 13 | 1 | 13 | |
| 14 | 18 | | UNUSED |
| 32 | 95 | 32 | |
| 127 | 1 | | UNUSED |
| 128 | 128 | | "High-order characters" |

CAPACITY SGMLREF

| | |
|-----------|--------|
| TOTALCAP | 200000 |
| ENTCAP | 35000 |
| ENTCHCAP | 35000 |
| ELEMCAP | 35000 |
| GRPCAP | 150000 |
| EXGRPCAP | 35000 |
| EXNMCAP | 35000 |
| ATTCAP | 50000 |
| ATTCFICAP | 35000 |
| AVGRPCAP | 35000 |
| NOTCAP | 35000 |
| NOTCHCAP | 35000 |
| IDCAP | 35000 |
| IDREFCAP | 35000 |
| MAPCAP | 35000 |
| LKSETCAP | 35000 |
| LKNMCP | 35000 |

SCOPE DOCUMENT

SYNTAX

SHUNCHAR 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17
18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 127

BASESET "ISO 646-1983//CHARSET

International Reference Version (IRV)//ESC 2/5 4/0"

DESCSET 0 128 0

128 128 "High-order characters"

FUNCTION RE 13

RS 10

SPACE 32

TAB SEPCHAR 9

NAMING LCNMSTRT " "

UCNMSTRT " "

LCNMCHAR "-./[]"

```

UCNMCHAR "-./[]"
NAMECASE GENERAL YES
ENTITY NO
DELIM GENERAL SGMLREF
SHORTREF SGMLREF
NAMES SGMLREF |
QUANTITY SGMLREF
ATTCNT 100
ATTSPLEN 960
BSEQLEN 960
DTAGLEN 16
DTEMPLN 16
ENTLVL 16
GRPCNT 100
GRPGTCNT 96
GRPLVL 16
LITLEN 800
NAMELEN 64
NORMSEP 2
PILEN 1024
TAGLEN 960
TAGLVL 24

```

```

FEATURES
MINIMIZE DATATAG NO OMITTAG YES RANK NO SHORTTAG
YES
LINK SIMPLE NO IMPLICIT NO EXPLICIT NO
OTHER CONCUR NO SUBDOC NO FORMAL YES
APPINFO NONE>

```

```

<!DOCTYPE legislation
[
<!--

```

DTD for Scantext/Abha Legislation - (C) Turn-Key Systems 1997

History:

```

1997-10-13: fix hist at beginning of regs
1997-10-07: restore <target> tag
1997-10-02: enhanced support for regulations (hist, unconv etc)

```

```
-->
```

```

<!-- useful characters such as &mdash; -->
<!ENTITY % ISOpub public "ISO 8879-1986//ENTITIES Publishing//EN">
%ISOpub;

```

```

<!-- PARAMETER ENTITIES USED TO SIMPLIFY DTD MARKUP -->
<!entity % major
"schedule|intcon|article|annex|clause|chapter|part|division|subdivn|section|subs ec|reg|subreg"

```

```

-- major levels -->

<!entity % minor "defn|para|subpar1|subpar2|subpar3|subpar4|point"
-- minor levels -->

<!entity % secreg "section | reg"
-- used where either sections or regs are appropriate -->

<!entity % level "%major; | %minor;"
-- all levels -->

< entity % refs "term | l.ref | h.ref"
-- references which can be found in normal text -->

<!entity % raw "(rawtext | rawtable | unconverted)*"
-- material such as forms which remains as raw text -->

<!entity % effect "sc"
-- typographical effects (more to be added later) -->

<!entity % text "(%refs; | %effect; | #PCDATA)*"
-- normal text (including refs defined above) -->

<!entity % hnote "hist | note"
-- hist and note are temporarily interchangeable -->

<!entity % body "(p+ | repealed), (%hnote;)*"
-- body of a legislative element -->

< !entity % lev.id "((label, desc?) | (desc, label?))"
-- reversible level id -->

<!-- MASTER ELEMENT -->
<!element legislation -- (act | regulations)+
-- Acts and Regs are currently supported -->

<!-- DEFINITIONS OF ACTS AND CONSTITUENT ELEMENTS -->
<!element act -- (desc, (%hnote; | %raw;)*,
longtitle, preamble?,
(chapter+ | part+ | section+),
Schedule*, hist*)>
<!element longtitle -- (#PCDATA)>
<!element preamble -- (p+) +(para)>

<!element regulations -- (desc, (%hnote; | %raw;)*,
(chapter+ | part+ | reg+),
schedule*, hist*)>

<!-- MAJOR LEVELS -->
<!element chapter -- (label, desc, (%hnote;)*,
(((%secreg;)*, part*) | article+))>
<!element part -- (label?, desc, hist*,
(((%secreg;)*, division*) | (article+ | clause+)))>
<!element division -- (label?, desc, (p | %hnote;)*,
(((%secreg;)*, subdivn*) | clause+))>
<!element subdivn -- (label?, desc, (%hnote;)*,
((%secreg;)+ | clause+))>
<!element section -- (%lev.id;,

```

```

        ((subsec +, (modules | module +)?) | repealed))>
<!element subsec -- (%lev.id;,
        ((p, (p | note)*, hist*) | (repealed, note*, hist*)))>
<!element modules -- (%lev.id;,
        module+)>
<!element module -- (%lev.id;, |
        (submod + | repealed))>
<!element submod -- (%lev.id;,
        ((p, (p | %hnote; | method | tabloid)* | (repealed, (%hnote;)*)))>
<!element reg -- (label?, desc, hist?,
        (subreg + | repealed))>
<!element subreg -- (label, desc?, hist?,
        ((p, (p | note)*, hist*) | (repealed, note*, hist*)))>

<!-- SCHEDULES, CONVENTIONS etc -->
<!element schedule -- (label?, desc?, hist*,
        (chapter+ | part+ | section+ item+ | p+ | tabloid+ | intcon)?,
        %raw;)>
<!element intcon -- (desc, preamble,
        (part+ | division+ | subdivn+ | article+), annex*)>
<!element annex -- (label?, desc, p*,
        (part* | division* | clause* | para*,
        (division* | clause* | para*)))>
<!element article -- (label, desc?) para*)))>
<!element clause -- (((label, desc?) | (desc, label)), p+)>
<!element item -- (label?, desc?, %body;)>

<!-- DEFINITIONS AND MINOR LEVELS -->
<!element defn -- (%body;)>
<!element note -- (label?, p+)>
<!element hist -- (label?, (p+ | raw;))>
<!element point -- (p+)>

<!element para -- (label?, %body;)>
<!element subpar1 -- (label?, %body;)>
<!element subpar2 -- (label?, %body;)>
<!element subpar3 -- (label?, %body;)>
<!element subpar4 -- (label?, %body;)>

<!element method -- (%lev.id;, (p | %hnote; | step)+)>
<!element step -- (label, %body;)>

<!-- COMMON CONSTITUENT ELEMENTS -->
<!element label -- (%text;)
        -- chapter number, section number, etc. -->
<!element desc -- (%text;)
        -- chapter name, section name, etc. -->
<!element term -- (%text;)
        -- defined term -->
<!element repealed - o EMPTY
        -- indicates that the enclosing level has been repealed -->
<!element p -- (%minor | refs; | %effect | tabloid | amend | target | #PCDATA)*
        -- textual paragraph at any level -->

```



```

<!-- UNCONVERTED MATERIAL -->
<!element unconverted - - CDATA
    -- yet to be converted (eg. complex schedules) -->
<!element rawtext - - CDATA
    -- unconverted text (eg. forms) -->
<!element rawtable - - CDATA
    -- unconverted tables (eg. amended provisions) -->

<!-- CROSS-REFERENCES -->
<!element l.ref - - (%text;) -- legislation ref -->
<!element h.ref - - (%text;) -- history ref -->

<!-- AMENDMENT MARKUP-->
<!element amend - - (%refs | %effect | quote | #PCDATA)*
    -- amendment = action + text -->
<!element target - - (#PCDATA)
    -- target of amendment -->
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It is apparent from the above that the arrangements described are applicable to the electronic publishing industry.

The foregoing describes only some embodiments of the present invention, and modifications and/or changes can be made thereto without departing from the scope and spirit of the invention, the embodiments being illustrative and not restrictive.

The invention claimed is:

1. A method for electronically publishing text-based data, the method comprising:

dividing the text-based data into a plurality of portions of text-based data;

obtaining an amended portion of text-based data that is amended relative to one of the plurality of portions of text-based data;

storing each of the plurality of portions of text-based data;

storing the amended portion of text-based data;

providing a plurality of attributes, wherein the attributes define a manner in which the plurality of portions of text-based data and the amended portion of text-based data can be organized, displayed and linked in a multidimensional space;

encoding each of the plurality of portions of text-based data and the amended portion of text-based data with a markup language to include at least one link defined by one of the plurality of attributes;

allowing a user to search the text-based data using at least one of the plurality of attributes; and

displaying the text-based data to the user by:

displaying at least one of the plurality of portions of text-based data or the amended portion of text-based data in response to the search; and

displaying text, and/or one or more selectable links representing at least one additional attribute.

2. The method according to claim 1, wherein the searching uses one or more attributes.

3. The method according to claim 1, wherein the markup language is Standard Generalised Markup Language (SGML) or extensible Markup Language (XML).

4. The method according to claim 3, wherein the text-based data is encoded using one or more Document Type Definitions (DTD) or Style Sheet Mechanisms (SSM).

5. The method according to claim 1, wherein the at least one link comprises any piece of information additional to the text of the text-based data.

6. The method according to claim 5, wherein the at least one link comprises a code or markup that allows departure and destination points to be created between portions of the text-based data.

7. The method according to claim 1, wherein said at least one link comprises an identification code for a corresponding portion of text-based data.

8. The method according to claim 1, wherein the amended portion of text-based data is amended by performing at least one of the group consisting of adding data to the portion, deleting data from the portion, and modifying data of the portion.

9. The method according to claim 1, wherein the text-based data comprises legislation or material related to a provision of said legislation.

10. The method according to claim 9, wherein each of the plurality of portions of text-based data is a respective provision of said legislation or material related to a provision of said legislation.

11. The method according to claim 10, wherein said provision is a section, schedule or appendix of an Act, or a section, schedule or appendix of a regulation.

12. The method according to claim 1, wherein each portion is a block of the text-based data, the block being larger than a single word and less than the entirety of the text-based data.

13. A method for electronically searching legislation encoded with a markup language, the method comprising:

allowing a user to select a version date as a primary attribute of a multidimensional space and to input at least one search request;

producing results based on the text of the legislation;

displaying the results in a format that is configured to allow the user to select one of the results;

displaying the result as a portion of legislation corresponding to a selected result that corresponds to the primary attribute and the at least one search request;

displaying a link to cases related to the portion of legislation and a link to additional versions of the legislation; and

allowing the user to select the version link or the case link; wherein, when the user selects the case link or version link, the portion of legislation is replaced with a list of portions of text-based data associated with the case link or the version link, respectively.

14. The method of claim 13, wherein the results are produced using one or more attributes.

15. The method of claim 13, wherein the portions of text-based data are associated with the cases or other versions by at least one link defined by one or more of a plurality of attributes.

16. The method according to claim 15, wherein the at least one link comprises any piece of information additional to the text of the text-based data.

17. The method according to claim 16, wherein the at least one link comprises a code or markup that allows departure and destination points to be created between portions of the text-based data.

18. The method according to claim 15, wherein said at least one link comprises an identification code for a corresponding portion of text-based data.

19. The method according to claim 15, wherein each of the portions of text-based data is a respective provision of said legislation or material related to a provision of said legislation.

20. The method according to claim 19, wherein said provision is a section, schedule or appendix of an Act, or a section, schedule or appendix of a regulation.

21. The method according to claim 15, wherein each portion of text-based data is a block of the text-based data, the block being larger than a single word and less than the entirety of the text-based data.

22. The method according to claim 13, wherein the markup language is Standard Generalised Markup Language (SGML) or extensible Markup Language (XML).

23. The method according to claim 22, wherein the text-based data is encoded using one or more Document Type Definitions (DTD) or Style Sheet Mechanisms (SSM).

24. A method for electronically publishing text-based data, the method comprising: dividing the text-based data into a plurality of portions of text-based data;

obtaining an amended portion of text-based data that is amended relative to one of the plurality of portions of text-based data;

storing each of the plurality of portions of text-based data;

storing the amended portion of text-based data;

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providing a plurality of attributes, wherein the attributes define a manner in which the plurality of portions of text-based data and the amended portion of text-based data can be organized, displayed and linked;
 encoding each of the plurality of portions of text-based data and the amended portion of text-based data with a markup language to include at least one link defined by one of the plurality of attributes;
 allowing a user to search the text-based data using at least one of the plurality of attributes; and
 displaying the text-based data to the user by:
 displaying at least one of the plurality of portions of text-based data or the amended portion of text-based data in response to the search; and
 displaying one or more selectable links;
 wherein when the user selects the one or more selectable links, the plurality of portions related to a current portion based on the current portion's attributes are displayed as a graphical representation of a multidimensional space that is configured to allow a user to select and thereby display text-based data represented by a point on the multidimensional space.

25. The method according to claim 24, wherein the searching uses one or more attributes.

26. The method according to claim 24, wherein the markup language is Standard Generalised Markup Language (SGML) or extensible Markup Language (XML).

27. The method according to claim 26, wherein the text-based data is encoded using one or more Document Type Definitions (DTD) or Style Sheet Mechanisms (SSM).

28. The method according to claim 24, wherein the at least one link comprises any piece of information additional to the text of the text-based data.

29. The method according to claim 24, wherein the at least one link comprises a code or markup that allows departure and destination points to be created between portions of the text-based data.

30. The method according to claim 24, wherein said at least one link comprises an identification code for a corresponding portion of text-based data.

31. The method according to claim 24, wherein the amended portion of text-based data is amended by performing at least one of the group consisting of adding data to the portion, deleting data from the portion, and modifying data of the portion.

32. The method according to claim 31, wherein the text-based data comprises legislation or material related to said legislation.

33. The method according to claim 32, wherein each of the plurality of portions of text-based data is a respective provision of said legislation or material related to a provision of said legislation.

34. The method according to claim 33, wherein said provision is a section, schedule or appendix of an Act or a section, schedule or appendix of a regulation.

35. The method according to claim 24, wherein each portion is a block of the text-based data, the block being larger than a single word and less than the entirety of the text-based data.

36. A method for electronically searching text-based data encoded with a mark-up language, the method comprising:
 allowing a user to select a version date as a primary attribute and to input at least one search request;

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producing results based on the text of the text-based data;
 displaying the results in a format that is configured to allow the user to select one of the results;
 displaying the result as a portion of text-based data corresponding to a selected result that corresponds to the at least one attribute and the at least one search request;
 displaying a link;
 allowing a user to select the link;
 whereupon the plurality of portions related to the current portion are displayed as a graphical representation of a multidimensional space; and
 allowing the user to select and thereby display text-based data represented by a point on the multidimensional space;
 wherein each point on the multidimensional space is defined by the value of one or more of a plurality of attributes.

37. The method according to claim 36, wherein the results are produced using one or more attributes.

38. The method according to claim 36, wherein the plurality of portions is related to the current portion by at least one link defined by one or more of the plurality of attributes.

39. The method according to claim 38, wherein the at least one link comprises any piece of information additional to the text of the text-based data.

40. The method according to claim 39, wherein the at least one link comprises a code or markup that allows departure and destination points to be created between portions of the text-based data.

41. The method according to claim 38, wherein said at least one link comprises an identification code for a corresponding portion of text-based data.

42. The method according to claim 38, wherein the amended portion of text-based data is amended by performing at least one of the group consisting of adding data to the portion, deleting data from the portion, and modifying data of the portion.

43. The method according to claim 38, wherein the text-based data comprises legislation or material related to said legislation.

44. The method according to claim 43, wherein each of the plurality of portions of text-based data is a respective provision of said legislation or material related to a provision of said legislation.

45. The method according to claim 44, wherein said provision is a section, schedule or appendix of an Act, or a section, schedule or appendix of a regulation.

46. The method according to claim 38, wherein each portion is a block of the text-based data, the block being larger than a single word and less than the entirety of the text-based data.

47. The method according to claim 36, wherein the markup language is Standard Generalised Markup Language (SGML) or eXtensible Markup Language (XML).

48. The method according to claim 47, wherein the text-based data is encoded using one or more Document Type Definitions (DTD) or Style Sheet Mechanisms (SSM).

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