



## Biosecurity (Notice of Commencement of Ballast Water Convention) Instrument 2017

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I, Barnaby Joyce, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Agriculture and Water Resources, under item 2 of the table in subsection 2(1) of the *Biosecurity Amendment (Ballast Water and Other Measures) Act 2017*, announce that the International Convention for the Control and Management of Ships' Ballast Water and Sediments, done at London on 13 February 2004 comes into force for Australia on 8 September 2017.

Dated 22 August 2017

Barnaby Joyce

Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Agriculture and Water Resources

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