

# COMMERCE (TRADE DESCRIPTIONS)

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The Commerce (Trade Descriptions) Act 1905 No 16 was assented to on 8 December 1905 and commenced on 8 June 1906 (Commonwealth of Australia Gazette 1906 p 131). This Act is deemed to have applied in the Republic from 8 June 1906 (Laws Repeal and Adopting Act 1922, s 10 and Sch 1). The version reproduced here incorporates amendments up to and including Commonwealth of Australia Act 93 of 1966.

Amending Legislation	Certified	Date of Commencement
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