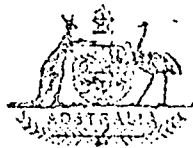


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SOCIAL SECURITY INDUSTRIAL DISPUTE

Cabinet today confirmed the use of the Commonwealth Employees (Employment Provisions) (CEEP) Act against Public Servants who engage in bans, work limitations, or other continuing disruptive tactics in relation to the Social Security dispute about staff shortages.

This will apply not only to employees of the Department of Social Security but uniformly to all Commonwealth employees who take action of the kind referred to.

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