



PRIME MINISTER

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Mr Christopher Terence Hunt, of Canberra, has been appointed Deputy Commonwealth Ombudsman for a four-year term. The office is a full-time statutory position, and was previously occupied by Mr I.D. Emerton, whose term expired on 2 April 1983.

Mr Hunt, 38, holds degrees in Arts and Law from the University of Sydney. He has been a member of the Australian Public Service since 1974, having held positions with the Public Service Board and, most recently, as Senior Assistant Ombudsman. Prior to 1974, he was a member of the New South Wales Public Service, within the Premier's and Attorney-General's Departments.