



PRIME MINISTER

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APPOINTMENTS

The Prime Minister, Mr Whitlam, announced today the appointment of Sir Lenox Hewitt, O.B.E., as Chairman of Qantas Airways Limited.

His appointment is to take effect from Monday 25 August 1975. Sir Lenox has been Secretary of the Department of Minerals and Energy since December 1972.

Sir Lenox's appointment follows the retirement of Sir Donald Anderson, C.B.E., from the position of Chairman of Qantas.

The Prime Minister announced that Mr James Scully, Deputy Secretary of the Department of Overseas Trade, will become the Secretary of the Department of Minerals and Energy.

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