

Dissolution
of the
Airports
Board.

5. The Airports Board established under the Airports Board Act is hereby dissolved with effect from the date of the coming into operation of this Act and thereupon all property of the said Board of whatever kind and all rights and liabilities of the said Board shall vest in the Minister in accordance with the provisions of section 3 and for the purposes of subsection (2) thereof, the said Airports Board shall be deemed to be the predecessor of the Minister first appointed under subsection (1) of the said section.

Aviation
Board.

6.—(1) The Governor may appoint annually a Board to be called the Aviation Board which shall consist of such number of members not being less than five as the Governor may from time to time decide. The members of the Board shall be appointed by the Governor by notice in the *Gazette*; they shall hold office at the Governor's pleasure and subject to this shall hold office for one year save that where a person is appointed during a year to fill a casual vacancy, he shall hold office until the end of that year:

Provided that no person shall be qualified to be appointed or to hold office as a member of the Board if:—

- (a) he is a Minister; or
- (b) he is a member of the public service.

(2) In the exercise of his responsibilities for civil aviation in the Colony, the Minister may consult the Board from time to time as he shall think fit but he shall not be bound to act upon the advice of the Board in any matter. Subject to this, the relationship between the Minister and the Board and the manner in which the business of the Board shall be conducted may be regulated from time to time by the Governor by directions in writing or by notice in the *Gazette*.

(3) In the exercise of the powers conferred upon him by this section, the Governor shall act on the advice of the Premier.

Manage-
ment etc.
of airports.

7. The Minister shall have the general management and control of every airport including the land, buildings, plant, equipment and facilities thereof.

Construc-
tion of
airfields.

8. No person shall construct or commence to construct an airfield or airstrip in the Colony without the prior permission