

Presidential Powers (Current Powers of the Governor-General)

	Directly Elected	Appointed by Parliament	
Section 5 Determine times for parliamentary sessions and prorogue the Parliament			
Sections 28 and 32 Power to dissolve the House of Representatives			
Section 57 Power to dissolve both houses of parliament in the event of a deadlock			
Section 58 Power to assent, or withhold assent to legislation passed by the parliament			
Section 62 Power to appoint and dismiss executive councillors			
Section 64 Power to appoint officers to administer Commonwealth Departments			
Section 67 Power to appoint and remove ministers (Executive government)			
Section 68 Command of the and Armed Forces			
Section 72 Appointment and Removal of High Court Judges			