

PRICKLY-PEAR (AMENDMENT) BILL 1985

No. , 1985

A BILL FOR

An Act to amend the Prickly-pear Act 1924 consequent on and in connection with the enactment of the Pastures Protection (Rates) Amendment Act 1985; and for other purposes.

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BE it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

5 Short title

1. This Act may be cited as the "Prickly-pear (Amendment) Act 1985".

Commencement

2. (1) Sections 1 and 2 shall commence on the date of assent to this Act.
- 10 (2) Except as provided by subsection (1), this Act shall commence on the day appointed and notified under section 2 (2) of the Pastures Protection (Rates) Amendment Act 1985 for the commencement of Schedule 1 (3) to that Act.

Amendment of Act No. 31, 1924

- 15 3. The Prickly-pear Act 1924 is amended by omitting section 24 (2) and by inserting instead the following subsections:

20 (2) Subject to subsection (2A), for the purpose of defraying the expenses incurred by it in the eradication of prickly-pear, a Pastures Protection Board may make and levy in any year a special rate on each occupier of land within the district of the Board who is liable to pay a general rate within the meaning of the Pastures Protection Act 1934.

(2A) The Governor may by order published in the Gazette impose a maximum rate under this section.

25 (2B) The provisions of sections 31–33, 35, 37–39 and 40A of the Pastures Protection Act 1934 apply to a special rate made under this section in the same way as they apply to a rate made under that Act.

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Transitional

4. Nothing in this Act shall affect the payment, collection or recovery of a rate made and levied under section 24 of the Prickly-pear Act 1924 by a board within the meaning of the Pastures Protection Act 1934 before the
5 commencement of this Act.
