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GEORGII V REGIS. A.D. 1926.

No. 1761.

An Act to authorise an Increase in the Number of Judges of the Supreme Court, and for Purposes incidental thereto.

[Assented to, December 9th, 1926,]

W HEREAS it is expedient, in order to further the administration Preamble. of justice in the Supreme Court, to provide for an increase in the number of Judges of the said Court: Be it therefore Enacted by the Governor of the State of South Australia, with the advice and consent of the Parliament thereof, as follows:—

1. This Act may be cited as the "Fifth Judge Act, 1926."

Short title.

2. This Act is incorporated with-

Incorporation

- (a) The Act entitled "An Act to consolidate the several Ordinances relating to the establishment of the Supreme Court of the Province of South Australia," being the Act No. 31 of 1855-6, and
- (b) The Third Judge and District Courts Act, and those Acts and this Act shall be read as one Act.

No. 13 of 1858.

3. The Governor may appoint a fit and proper person to be a Governor may Judge of the Supreme Court, in addition to the Judges of the said appoint Fifth Judge. Court provided for by any Acts now in force.

4. Every person appointed under this Act shall have, possess, Jurisdiction. and exercise all the powers and authorities conferred upon Judges of the Supreme Court by the Acts with which this Act is incorporated, or by any other Act or law.

5. (1) Every

Fifth Judge Act.—1926.

Salary.

- 5. (1) Every person appointed under this Act shall receive the same salary as is by law payable to the Judges of the Supreme Court other than the Chief Justice.
- (2) Such salary shall be paid to such person by the Treasurer out of the General Revenue on the warrant of the Governor, which warrant the Governor is hereby authorised and required to issue from time to time.

In the name and on behalf of His Majesty, I hereby assent to this Bill.

TOM BRIDGES, Governor.