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VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

A.D. 1891.

No. 526.

An Act to amend the "Stamp Act, 1886."

[Assented to, December 19th, 1891.]

) E it Enacted by the Governor of the Province of South Australia, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly of the said province, in this present Parliament assembled, as follows, that is to say:

1. This Act may be cited as the "Stamp Act Amendment Act, Short title and 1891," and shall be incorporated, and, except so far as inconsistent therewith, read with the "Stamp Act, 1886."

2. Section 13 of the "Stamp Act, 1886," is hereby repealed.

Repeal of section 13 of Stamp Act, 1886.

3. The words and figures following, contained in the Schedule to Repeal of duty on the said Act, namely:—

transfer of shares in stock, &c.

Conveyance on Sale of any share or shares in the stock, funds, or capital of any corporation, company, or society whatever in South Australia:

> Where the amount of the consideration money therein expressed does not exceed £20

Where it exceeds £20—For every £50, and also for every fractional part of £50

are hereby repealed.

4. Sub-section (c) of section 15 of the said Act shall read as if Commissioner may the words "within twelve months" were omitted.

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Stamp Act Amendment Act.—1891.

Exemption of leases, &c.

5. The following instruments are hereby exempted from the duties imposed by the said Act:—

Leases from the Crown:

Leases to the Crown, and to any person on behalf of the Crown:

Powers of attorney limited to a power to sign and seal leases from the Crown:

Conveyances, whether on sale or otherwise, to the Crown, and to any person on behalf of the Crown:

All bonds to the Crown:

Conveyance on sale of any share or shares in the stock, funds, or capital of any corporation or society whatever:

Articles or indentures of apprenticeship.

Insufficient stamping of bill or note.

6. Where any bill or promissory note, other than a bill of exchange or promissory note payable on demand, has not been stamped, or has been insufficiently stamped, the holder may, within fourteen days of the date thereof, by paying the duty or such deficiency to the Commissioner, have such bill of exchange or promissory note duly stamped.

Amendment of Schedule.

7. The said Schedule is amended by adding immediately before the specification of "EXEMPTIONS" the words and figures following, that is to say—

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For any deed where the consideration money therein expresse				
not more than £100	0	5	0	
For every additional £100 up to a total of £400, a further sum		5	0	
For every deed of any kind whatsoever not otherwise specifie	ed in			
the said Schedule	1	0	0	
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and by the omission therefrom of the last line on the first page of the said Schedule.

Additional time for stamping deeds executed in the Northern Territory.

8. In all cases where deeds or documents requiring impressed stamps are executed in the Northern Territory, such deeds or documents may be stamped, without penalty, within three months of the date of execution thereof.

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

KINTORE, Governor.