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**No. 81 of 1982**

**An Act to provide that section 4 of the Imperial Act 29 Charles II C.3 (the Statute of Frauds, 1677) has no force or effect in South Australia; to amend the Sale of Goods Act, 1895-1972; and to amend the Mercantile Law Act, 1936.**

[Assented to 16 September 1982]

**BE IT ENACTED** by the Governor of the State of South Australia, with the advice and consent of the Parliament thereof, as follows:

Short title.

**1.** This Act may be cited as the "Statutes Amendment (Enforcement of Contracts) Act, 1982".

Application and effect of this Act.

**2.** (1) This Act does not apply in relation to a promise or agreement made before the commencement of this Act.

(2) This Act does not revive anything not in force or existing at the commencement of this Act.

Non-application of section 4 of Statute of Frauds, 1677.

**3.** Section 4 of the Imperial Act 29 Charles II C.3 (the Statute of Frauds, 1677) has no force or effect in this State.

Repeal of section 4 of Sale of Goods Act, 1895-1972.

**4.** (1) Section 4 of the Sale of Goods Act, 1895-1972, is repealed.

(2) The Sale of Goods Act, 1895-1972, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the "Sale of Goods Act, 1895-1982".

Repeal of section 16 of Mercantile Law Act, 1936.

**5.** (1) Section 16 of the Mercantile Law Act, 1936, is repealed.

(2) The Mercantile Law Act, 1936, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the "Mercantile Law Act, 1936-1982".

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

D. B. DUNSTAN, Governor