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**No. 79 of 1975**

An Act to amend the Sailors and Soldiers Memorial Hall Act,  
1939.

[Assented to 23rd October, 1975]

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

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Sailors and Soldiers Memorial Hall Act Amendment Act, 1975". Short titles.

(2) The Sailors and Soldiers Memorial Hall Act, 1939, is hereinafter referred to as "the principal Act".

(3) The principal Act, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the "Services Memorial Hall Act, 1939-1975".

2. The Long Title of the principal Act is amended—

Amendment of  
Long Title of  
principal Act.

(a) by inserting after the passage "certain land to the" the passage "league formerly known as the";

(b) by inserting after the passage "Memorial Hall" the passage "and other buildings";

and

(c) by striking out the passage "sailors and soldiers who fell in the Great War of 1914-1918" and inserting in lieu thereof the passage "members of the services who have fallen on active service in time of war".

3. Section 2 of the principal Act is amended—

Amendment of  
principal Act,  
s. 2—  
Interpretation.

(a) by inserting in the definition of "the League" before the word "Returned" the passage "league formerly known as the";

and

- (b) by inserting in the definition of "the League" after the word "Incorporated" the passage "and at the time of the passing of the Sailors and Soldiers Memorial Hall Act Amendment Act, 1975, known as the Returned Services' League (South Australian Branch) Incorporated".

Amendment of  
principal Act,  
s. 4—  
Payment of  
certain money  
to League.

4. Section 4 of the principal Act is amended by inserting in subsection (4) after the word "Hall" the passage "and other buildings".

Amendment of  
principal Act,  
s. 5—  
Erection of  
Memorial Hall.

5. Section 5 of the principal Act is amended—

- (a) by inserting after the word "Hall" the passage "and such other buildings as the League considers necessary or suitable";  
and  
(b) by inserting after the passage "1914-1918" the passage "and of those who have fallen or fall thereafter while on active service in time of war and in time of like hostilities".

Amendment of  
principal Act,  
s. 6—  
Trusts affecting  
Memorial Hall.

6. Section 6 of the principal Act is amended—

- (a) by striking out the passage "the Commissioner of Public Works" in paragraph (d) and inserting in lieu thereof the passage "any Minister of the Crown";  
(b) by inserting in paragraph (d) after the word "Hall" the passage ", buildings and premises";  
(c) by inserting in paragraph (d) after the word "War" the passage "and to such other hostilities as such Minister of the Crown considers appropriate";  
and  
(d) by striking out the passage "Commissioner of Public Works" in the proviso and inserting in lieu thereof the passage "Minister of Works".

Repeal of s. 7  
of principal  
Act.

7. Section 7 of the principal Act is repealed.

Enactment of  
s. 8a of  
principal Act—

8. The following section is enacted and inserted in the principal Act immediately after section 8 thereof:—

Construction of  
the Indenture  
for purposes of  
this Act.

- 8a. For the purposes of this Act the Indenture shall be read and construed as if—

- (a) the League referred to therein were the League formerly known as the Returned Sailors and Soldiers' Imperial League of Australia (South Australian Branch) Incorporated and at the time of the passing of the Sailors and Soldiers Memorial Hall Act Amendment Act, 1975, known as the Returned Services' League (South Australian Branch) Incorporated;

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(b) any reference therein, whether directly or otherwise, to a member or to members of the League includes a reference to a person or to persons who is or are a member or members, as the case may be, of the League in accordance with the constitution of the League as in force from time to time;

and

(c) any reference therein, whether directly or otherwise, to the Great War includes a reference to wars and like hostilities that have taken place, or that might take place, thereafter.

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

M. L. OLIPHANT, Governor