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GEORGII V REGIS.

A.D. 1928.

No. 1865.

An Act to amend the Wild Dogs Acts, 1912 to 1924.

[Assented to, November 1st, 1928.]

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 " Wild Dogs Act Amendment Act, 1928 " Short titles.

(2) The Wild Dogs Acts, 1912 to 1924, and this Act may be cited together as the " Wild Dogs Acts, 1912 to 1928 ".

(3) The Wild Dogs Act, 1912, is hereinafter referred to as " the principal Act " No. 1102 of 1912.

2. This Act is incorporated with the other Acts mentioned in section 1 of this Act, and those Acts and this Act shall be read as one Act. Incorporation.

3. Section 2 of the principal Act is amended by striking out the definition of " ' Vermin-fence ' and ' Vermin-fenced district ' " therein and by inserting in lieu thereof the following definition :— Amendment of principal Act, s. 2— Interpretation.

" Dog-proof fence," " Vermin-fence," and " Vermin-fenced District " have respectively the meanings given to them by the Vermin Act, 1914 ; and, in addition, " Dog-proof fence " and " Vermin fence " include a dog-proof fence or vermin fence, as the case may be, approved by the Minister in writing for the purposes of this Act.

4. Section

Wild Dogs Act Amendment Act.—1928.

Amendment of
principal Act, s. 4—
Exemption from
annual rate.

4. Section 4 of the principal Act (as amended by section 3 of the Wild Dogs Act Amendment Act, 1919) is amended—

(a) by inserting therein after paragraph (c) of subsection (1) thereof the following paragraph:—

(c1) Lands situated within any irrigation area within the meaning of the Irrigation Act, 1922,

(b) by inserting after the words “vermin fence” in paragraph (a) of subsection (2) thereof the words “or a dog-proof fence”.

Amendment of
principal Act, s. 11—
Application for
payment for tails
and scalps.

5. Section 11 of the principal Act is amended by striking out the words “If required by such authorised person” in the fourth line thereof.

Amendment of
principal Act, s. 12—
Duties of authorised
person.

6. Section 12 of the principal Act is amended—

(a) by striking out the passage “destroy the same by fire, or cause them to be so destroyed” and by inserting in lieu thereof the words “forward the same to the Secretary for Lands at Adelaide”; and

(b) by striking out the passage “(if any)” in the seventh line thereof.

Amendment of
principal Act, s. 13—
Payment by
Treasurer.

7. Section 13 of the principal Act is amended by adding at the end thereof the following subsection (the preceding portion of the said section being read as subsection (1) thereof):—

(2) The Secretary for Lands shall, as soon as conveniently may be after the receipt of any tail and scalp from any authorised person, destroy the same by fire, or cause them to be so destroyed.

Amendment of
principal Act—
The Third Schedule.

8. The Third Schedule to the principal Act is amended—

(a) by striking out the words “Skins or” in the heading thereof and by substituting therefor the words “Tails and”:

(b) by striking out the words “destroyed by fire in my presence” therein and by substituting therefor the words “forwarded by me to the Secretary for Lands at Adelaide”.

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

A. HORE-RUTHVEN, Governor.