

APPRENTICES.

No. 75 of 1970.

AN ACT to amend the *Apprentices Act* 1942.

[11 January 1971.]

BE it enacted by His Excellency the Governor of Tasmania, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, in Parliament assembled, as follows:—

1—(1) This Act may be cited as the *Apprentices Act* 1970.

Short title
and citation.

(2) The *Apprentices Act* 1942, as subsequently amended, is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.

2 Section four of the Principal Act is amended—

Constitution
of the
commission.

(a) by omitting from subsection (2) of that section the word “five” and substituting therefor the word “eight”;

(b) by omitting subsection (4) of that section and substituting therefor the following subsection:—

“(3) Of the remaining members of the commission—

(a) one shall be a person nominated by the body known as the Master Builders’ Association of Tasmania;

(b) one shall be a person nominated by the body known as the Tasmanian Employers’ Federation;

(c) one shall be a person nominated by the body known as the Tasmanian Chamber of Manufactures;

(d) three shall be persons nominated by the body known as the Tasmanian Trades and Labour Council, being persons who are actively engaged in—

(i) the building industry;

(ii) the electrical trades industry; and

(iii) the metal trades industry,

respectively; and

- (e) one shall be a person nominated by the Minister who, for the time being, has the administration of the *Education Act 1932.*"; and
- (c) by inserting in subsection (6) of that section, after the word "commission", the words "(other than the member referred to in paragraph (e) of subsection (3) of this section)".

Proceedings
of the
commission.

3 Section five of the Principal Act is amended—

- (a) by omitting from subsection (2) of that section the word "Three" and substituting therefor the word "Five";
- (b) by omitting from subsection (3) of that section the words "and shall have a casting vote only" and the words "and he shall have a casting vote only"; and
- (c) by inserting after that subsection the following subsection:—

"(3A) At any meeting of the commission the president, or other person presiding at the meeting, has a deliberative vote, and, if the voting on any matter before the meeting is equal, the question passes in the negative."

Transitory
provisions.

4—(1) On the appointed day the commission shall be reconstituted in accordance with the provisions of the Principal Act (as amended by this Act).

(2) The additional members of the commission who are appointed for the purpose of so reconstituting the commission shall hold office from the appointed day until the day on which the terms of office of the remaining members expire.

(3) The reconstitution of the commission does not affect any rights or obligations of the commission.

(4) In this section, "appointed day" means such day (being not later than two months after the commencement of this Act) as is declared by the Minister, by order, to be the appointed day for the purposes of this section.
