

former member or officer thereof, in respect of any obligation or liability (whether such obligation or liability arises in contract or in tort) for or in relation to, or arising or alleged to arise in connection with, the construction, maintenance, management, operation, or control of any of the works to which this section applies, or in respect of any damage, loss, or injury sustained or alleged to have been sustained by any person (whether within or without the drainage area referred to in subsection (3) of this section) by reason of any act or omission of either of the said Boards or any such Minister, member, or officer in connection with the construction, maintenance, management, operation, or control of such works, or by reason of the passing or operation of this Act.

(3) In this section the expression "works to which this section applies" means the works specified in the schedule and any drainage works constructed (whether before or after the commencement of this Act) in the area defined in the proclamation referred to in section four or in that area as extended or altered from time to time pursuant to the provisions of the *Drainage Act 1934**.

THE SCHEDULE.

(Section 2.)

Widening, deepening, and lengthening the existing main drain at Egg Lagoon, King Island, and constructing a new interceptor drain	£18,000
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*25 Geo. V. No. 44. For this Act, as amended to 1936, see Reprint of Statutes, Vol. VI., p. 69. Subsequently amended by 3 & 4 Geo. VI. No. 57 and 7 & 8 Geo. VI. No. 80.

FISHERIES.

No. 65 of 1949.

AN ACT to amend the *Fisheries Act 1935*.
[20 December, 1949.]

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:—

Short title and citation.

1—(1) This Act may be cited as the *Fisheries Act 1949*.

(2) The *Fisheries Act 1935**, as subsequently amended, is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.

Interpretation.

2 Section three of the Principal Act is amended by inserting in the definition of “Waters”, after the word “three” (wherever occurring), the word “nautical”.

Regulations.

3 Section eight of the Principal Act is amended by omitting from paragraph XXV. thereof the word “fifty” and substituting therefor the words “one hundred”.

Conditions to be observed by persons fishing for oysters.

4 Section twenty-one of the Principal Act is amended by omitting from subsections (1) and (2) the words “Five pounds” (wherever occurring) and substituting therefor, in each case, the words “Not less than ten pounds or more than one hundred pounds.”.

Privileges conferred by licence.

5 Section twenty-three of the Principal Act is amended by omitting from subsection (2) the words “Five pounds” and substituting the words “Not less than ten pounds or more than one hundred pounds.”.

Penalties for certain offences.

6 Section twenty-four of the Principal Act is amended by omitting from subsections (4) and (5) the words “Fifty pounds” (wherever occurring) and substituting therefor, in each case, the words “Not less than ten pounds or more than one hundred pounds”.

7 After section fifty-eight of the Principal Act the following section is inserted:—

Certain provisions to apply only in respect of offences against Part III.

“58A. From and after the commencement of this section, the provisions of sections fifty to fifty-six and of subsection (1) of section fifty-eight shall have effect only in respect of contraventions of the provisions of Part III.”.

* 26 Geo. V. No. 37. For this Act, as amended to 1936, see Reprint of Statutes, Vol. IV., p. 226. Subsequently amended by 4 & 5 Geo. VI. No. 78, 5 Geo. VI. No. 22, and 8 & 9 Geo. VI. No. 47.