



HOSPITALS AMENDMENT ACT 1983

No. 54 of 1983

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AN Act to amend the Hospitals Act 1918 for the purpose of making further provision with respect to boards of management of hospitals and for other purposes.

[Royal Assent 17 November 1983]

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—This Act may be cited as the *Hospitals Amendment Act* Short title. 1983.

Commence-
ment.

2—(1) This section and section 1 shall commence on the day on which this Act receives the royal assent.

(2) Except as provided in subsection (1), this Act shall commence on such day as may be fixed by proclamation.

Principal Act.

3—In this Act, the *Hospitals Act* 1918* is referred to as the Principal Act.

Amendment of
section 11 of
Principal Act
(Constitution
of boards
(other than
Hobart)).

4—Section 11 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting subsection 2 (a) (iv) (b).

Amendment of
section 24 of
Principal Act
(Disqualifica-
tion of repre-
sentatives).

5—Section 24 (1) (b) of the Principal Act is amended by omitting “\$10” and “\$20” and substituting “\$250” and “\$500” respectively.

Amendment of
section 25 of
Principal Act
(Vacation of
office by
member of
board).

6—Section 25 (1) (g) of the Principal Act is amended by omitting “, with the Minister’s approval”.

Amendment of
section 32 of
Principal Act
(Power of
board to
appoint officers
and servants).

7—Section 32 (2) of the Principal Act is amended by omitting “the staff thereof shall include a general superintendent, who” and substituting “, the board of that hospital shall appoint a person appointed under subsection (1) to the office of chief executive officer and that person”.