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AN ACT to amend the Hospitals Act 1918.

[Royal Assent 29 September 1988]

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. (No. 2) 1988.

2—(1) Except as provided in subsection (2), this Act shall Commencement. commence on the day on which it receives the Royal assent.

(2) Sections 4, 5, 6, and 8 shall commence on such day as may be fixed by proclamation.

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

* 9 Geo. V No. 70. For this Act, as amended up to and including 1st September 1982, see the continuing Reprint of Statutes. Subsequently amended by No. 96 of 1982, No. 54 of 1983, Nos. 29 and 73 of 1984, Nos. 7 and 51 of 1985, No. 97 of 1986, No. 18 of 1987, and No. 23 of 1988.

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

4—Section 11 (2) (c) of the Principal Act is amended as follows:—

- (a) by omitting “woman” and substituting “person”;
- (b) by omitting “women’s”, where twice occurring.

Amendment of section 11A of Principal Act (Constitution of Hobart Board).

5—Section 11A (1) (c) of the Principal Act is amended as follows:—

- (a) by omitting “woman” and substituting “person”;
- (b) by omitting “women’s”, where twice occurring.

Amendment of section 11AB of Principal Act (Constitution of Launceston Board).

6—Section 11AB (1) (c) of the Principal Act is amended as follows:—

- (a) by omitting “woman” and substituting “person”;
- (b) by omitting “women’s”, where twice occurring.

Amendment of section 39 of Principal Act (Pending investment, money to be paid into bank).

7—Section 39 of the Principal Act is amended as follows:—

- (a) by inserting in subsection (1) “, except money referred to in subsection (1A),” after “board”, where secondly occurring;
- (b) by inserting the following subsection after subsection (1):—

(1A) A board may invest any money that it is holding and for which it has no immediate use in such manner as the Treasurer may approve.

Savings provision.

8—A woman—

- (a) who, immediately before the day fixed by proclamation under section 2 (2), holds office as a member of a public hospitals board to which section 11, 11A, or 11AB of the Principal Act applies; and
- (b) who was elected to that office by a women’s auxiliary organization or jointly by women’s auxiliary organizations,

shall, on and after that day, continue to hold that office for the remainder of the term for which she was elected unless that office sooner becomes vacant pursuant to that Act.

9—Where, before the day on which this Act receives the Validation. Royal assent, a public hospitals board constituted under the Principal Act invested in a short term investment any money belonging to it instead of paying that money into an account as provided in section 39 (1) of that Act, that investment shall be deemed to be, and be deemed always to have been, an investment made by the board in a manner approved by the Treasurer pursuant to subsection (1A) of section 39 of that Act, as inserted by section 7 of this Act.

