



INSPECTION OF MACHINERY.

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ANALYSIS.

1. Short title and citation.
2. Notice of accidents.



AN ACT to amend the *Inspection of Machinery Act* 1960.  
 [3 May 1973.]

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 *Inspection of Machinery Act* 1973. Short title and citation.

(2) The *Inspection of Machinery Act* 1960, as subsequently amended, is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.

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accidents.

**2** Section forty-nine of the Principal Act is amended—

(a) by omitting subsections (1) and (1A) and substituting therefor the following subsections:—

“(1) Subject to subsection (1A) of this section, where by reason of—

(a) the explosion of a pressure vessel; or

(b) an accident caused by—

(i) defective;

(ii) inadequate or faulty fences or guards on, or protection of;

(iii) absence of fences or guards on; or

(iv) negligent or wrongful operation of, machinery,

in any premises, a person receives injuries which result in—

(c) his death;

(d) his permanent disability; or

(e) his inability to work for a period of at least one full day or one full shift at any time after the day or shift on or during which the explosion or accident occurs,

the owner of the pressure vessel or machinery shall forthwith give written notice of the explosion or accident to the inspector nearest to the place where it occurred.

“(1A) Paragraph (e) of subsection (1) of this section applies to a period of inability of a person to work, whether or not he would, apart from that inability, have been required to work for the whole or part of that period.”; and

(b) by inserting in subsection (2), after the word “ shall ”, the words “, if he considers it necessary,”.