

PRISON.

No. 66 of 1958.

AN ACT to amend the *Prison Act 1868*.
[28 November 1958.]

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 *Prison Act 1958*.

(2) The *Prison Act 1868*, as subsequently amended, is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.

Controller
of Prisons.

2—(1) Section three of the Principal Act is repealed and the following section is substituted therefor:—

“3 The Governor may, under and in accordance with the provisions of the *Public Service Act 1923*, appoint a person as and to be the Controller of Prisons for the purposes of this Act.”.

(2) The person holding office at the commencement of this section as Controller of Prisons shall be deemed to have been appointed under section three of the Principal Act (as inserted by this Act).

Gaol
regulations.

3 Section eight of the Principal Act is amended by adding at the end thereof the following subsection:—

“(3) The regulations may provide that, on his admission into a gaol and at such other times while he is detained in a gaol as the gaoler or some other prescribed officer may deem necessary—

I A prisoner—

(a) Shall be photographed: and

(b) Shall submit himself for the taking of his finger-prints: and

II There shall be recorded, in respect of a prisoner, his name, age, height, and weight, and such other particulars as may be prescribed.”.

Controller,
gaoler,
wardens,
&c.

4 Section nine of the Principal Act is amended—

(a) by inserting therein, after the word “gaoler” (first occurring), the words “(not being the Controller)”; and

(b) by adding at the end thereof the following subsection:—

“(2) If he considers it desirable so to do, the Governor may appoint the Controller to be the gaoler of such gaol as the Governor may determine.”.

5 Section thirty-four of the Principal Act is amended—

(a) by omitting from subsection (1) the words “gaoler of the gaol at Hobart” and substituting therefor the word “Controller”;

Power of
gaoler to
hear certain
complaints.

(b) by omitting from paragraph I of that subsection the word “the” (second occurring) and substituting therefor the word “any”;

(c) by omitting from subsection (2) the words “Such gaoler” and substituting therefor the words “The Controller”; and

(d) by omitting paragraphs II and III of that subsection.

WESTERWAY AND FENTONBURY WATER SUPPLY.

No. 67 of 1958.

AN ACT to authorize and provide for the construction, management, and operation of certain works for the purpose of providing a water supply for portions of the municipalities of New Norfolk and Hamilton, and for purposes connected therewith.

[28 November 1958.]

WHEREAS the councils of the municipalities of New Norfolk and Hamilton are desirous of providing a scheme for the supply of water within the areas set out in the schedule to this Act within the districts of Westerway and Fentonbury in those municipalities respectively:

Preamble.

And whereas those councils have agreed that the council of the municipality of New Norfolk should have sole constructive, administrative, and operative authority over those water districts for purposes connected with the scheme for the supply of water: