Regulations.

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- 5 Section twenty-four of the Principal Act is amended by adding at the end thereof the following subsections:-
- "(2) Regulations under this Act for the purposes of subsection (1) of section thirteen A may authorize any person, or such person as may be prescribed, to sell or offer or expose for sale, or have in his possession, any poison referred to in that subsection, or any preparation of, or containing, any such poison, subject to such conditions as may be prescribed.
- "(3) Regulations under this Act for the purposes of subsection (2) of section thirteen A may, with respect to the use for any purpose of any poison or preparation referred to in that subsection, either generally or in such cases as may be prescribed-
 - I Require notification to be given, in the form and manner prescribed, of the intention of any person to use the poison or preparation for that purpose:

II Prescribe the manner in which, and the conditions under which, the poison or preparation may be used for that purpose: and

III Require the poison or preparation to be used for that purpose only in accordance with instructions given by, and under the supervision of, such person as may be prescribed.".

Fourth schedule.

6 The Principal Act is amended by adding at the end thereof the following schedule:—

"THE FOURTH SCHEDULE.

(Sections 13A, 13B, 15, 17.)

Fluoracetamide Sodium monofluoracetate (rodenticide 1080).".

ST. VINCENT'S HOSPITAL LOAN.

No. 9 of 1959.

AN ACT to authorize the Treasurer to lend a sum of money to the Trustees of the Sisters of Charity of Australia for the purposes of assisting the Trustees to effect improvements to, and extensions of, St. Vincent's Hospital, in the city of Launceston, and to provide for matters incidental thereto.

[6 August 1959.]

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 St. Vincent's Hospital Loan Act 1959.

2 In this Act, unless the contrary intention appears—

Interpreta-

- "Financial Agreement" means the agreement made between the Commonwealth and the States and ratified by the Financial Agreement Act 1927, and includes that agreement as varied from time to time and any agreement made in substitution therefor:
- "Hospital" means St. Vincent's Hospital, in the city of Launceston in this State;
- "Loan Fund" means the Loan Fund established under section six of the Public Account Act 1957;
- "Trustees" means the body corporate incorporated in the State of New South Wales under the Roman Catholic Church Communities' Lands Act 1942-1948 of that State under the style or name of the Trustees of the Sisters of Charity of Australia.
- 3—(1) Subject to this section, the Treasurer may lend Power of Treasurer to the Trustees out of the Loan Fund (which, to the necessary to lend extent, is appropriated accordingly) any sum or sums of the Trustees. money, not exceeding in the whole the sum of £25,000, for the purpose of assisting the Trustees to effect improvements to, and extensions of, the Hospital and the Nurses' Home used in connection with the Hospital.

- (2) The loan authorized by this section shall be made upon and subject to the following terms and conditions and such other terms and conditions (if any), not inconsistent with the following terms and conditions, as may be agreed upon between the Treasurer and the Trustees and approved by the Governor, namely:-
 - (a) Before the loan is made, the Trustees shall execute such mortgages, incumbrances, charges, assurances, and other documents for securing the repayment of the loan as the Treasurer may require or direct:
 - (b) No moneys forming part of the loan shall be expended or applied by the Trustees for any purpose other than for the purposes of works for effecting such improvements to, and extensions of, the Hospital and the Nurses' Home used in connection with the Hospital as the Treasurer may approve;
 - (c) The loan shall be made by way of progress payments during the carrying out of the works referred to in paragraph (b) of this subsection, and those payments shall be made on such conditions as are agreed upon between the Treasurer and the Trustees:

- (d) The principal moneys shall be repaid to the Treasurer by the Trustees on or before the expiration of twenty-five years after the date on which the first payment of moneys forming part of the loan is made to the Trustees; and
- (e) Until repayment in full of the principal moneys, the Trustees shall pay to the Treasurer interest on those moneys or on so much thereof as may, for the time being, remain owing to the Treasurer at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable half-yearly.

Borrowing powers of Treasurer.

4 For the purposes of this Act the Treasurer may arrange for the borrowing on behalf of the State, in accordance with the Financial Agreement, of any sums of money not exceeding £25.000.

POLICE OFFENCES.

No. 10 of 1959.

AN ACT to amend the Police Offences Act 1935. [6 August 1959.]

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 Police Offences Act 1959.
- (2) The *Police Offences Act* 1935, as subsequently amended, is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.

Interpretation of Division III of Part VI.

- **2** Section forty-seven of the Principal Act is amended by omitting the definition of "Accident" and substituting therefor the following definition:—
 - "' Accident' means any occurrence caused by or arising out of the use of a motor-vehicle whereby the death of, or bodily injury to, any person, or damage or injury to any property, results:".

Permits for motor-vehicle races and reliability trials.

- 3 Section forty-nine of the Principal Act is amended—
 - (a) by omitting from subsection (2) the words "a public road or thoroughfare" and substituting therefor the words "any public street within the meaning of the *Traffic Act* 1925";