

TOURISM DEVELOPMENT

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AN ACT to amend the Tourism Development Act 1970.

[20 May 1976]

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 Tourism Development Act Short title and 1976.
- (2) The Tourism Development Act 1970, as subsequently amended, is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.

Interpretation.

- **2** Section 3 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting from the definition of "Department" the words "and Immigration".
- **3** Section 4 of the Principal Act is repealed and the following section is substituted:—

Continuation of Department.

"4 The department subsisting pursuant to this section immediately before the commencement of the *Tourism Development Act* 1976 is continued as a department under the name 'Department of Tourism'."

Functions of the Department.

- **4** Section 5 of the Principal Act is amended—
- (a) by transposing the word "and" at the end of paragraph (c) of subsection (1) to the end of paragraph (b) of that subsection;
- (b) by omitting paragraph (d) of that subsection; and
- (c) by omitting from subsection (2) (a) the words "and immigrants".

Powers of the Minister.

5 Section 6 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting from subsection (3) the words "and Immigration".

Appointment of Director-General of Tourism.

6 Section 7 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting from subsection (1) the words "and Immigration".

Offences.

- **7** Section 30 of the Principal Act is amended—
- (a) by omitting from subsection (3) the word "registerable" and substituting the word "registrable"; and
- (b) by adding at the end of that section the following subsections:—
 - "(4) A person shall not in any advertisement or other writing describe as a colonial cottage a house registrable under section 22 without the written permission of the Director-General.

Penalty: \$250.

"(5) The Director-General shall give his permission under subsection (4) if he considers it proper to do so having regard to the historical significance of the house by virtue of its age, location, or association with historic events.".