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EDWARDI VII. REGIS,

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AN ACT to further amend "The *Launceston* A.D. 1902.  
Corporation Act, 1894." [1 November, 1902.] —

**W**HEREAS it is expedient to further amend "The *Launceston* PREAMBLE.  
Corporation Act, 1894."

Be it therefore 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 *Launceston* Corporation Act, Short title.  
1902."

**2** In this Act, the expression "the Principal Act" shall mean "The Interpretation.  
*Launceston* Corporation Act, 1894," and the word "Council" shall 58 Vict. No. 30.  
mean the Municipal Council of the City of *Launceston*.

**3** A Butcher's Licence, granted under the Principal Act for the slaughter and sale of animals, shall not entitle any person, other than the person to whom the same is issued, to slaughter thereunder; but any person not holding a Butcher's Licence may obtain a Slaughtering Licence in the manner hereinafter mentioned. Rights of holder of Butcher's Licence.

**4** Every such Slaughtering Licence may be granted by the Mayor. How Slaughtering Licence to be obtained.  
on the certificate of the Inspector of Stock, that the person proposed to be licensed is a fit and proper person to hold same. Such Licence  
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shall, without reference to the time when the same is granted, be in force until the First day of *January* then next ensuing the granting thereof and no longer, but the Mayor shall have power at his discretion to at any time cancel such licence.

Fixing fee.

**5** The Mayor is hereby authorised to charge and receive for every such Slaughtering Licence a sum not exceeding Five Shillings as for the time being in that behalf is fixed by the Council.

Penalty for slaughtering or selling without Licence.

**6** Every person who slaughters any animal, or sells the carcase of any animal, within the City of *Launceston* or within One mile of the boundaries thereof, without having obtained a Butcher's Licence or a Slaughtering Licence, to be obtained as in the Principal Act, and in this Act directed, enabling him to slaughter or sell, or to slaughter only, as the case may be, shall forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding Fifty Pounds.

Copy of *Hobart Gazette* to be evidence.

**7** In all proceedings the production of the *Hobart Gazette* containing any regulations, rules, orders, appointments, or notices heretofore or hereafter made by or under the authority of the Council, shall alone be sufficient *prima facie* evidence that all the provisions of the Act relating to the making and publishing of such regulations, rules, orders, appointments, or notices have been duly complied with, and that they are in full force and effect without any further proof; and the onus of proving the contrary shall be on the person disputing the validity of such regulations, rules, orders, appointments, or notices.

Superintendent of Police at *Launceston* to enforce Principal Act, &c.

**8** The Superintendent of Police at *Launceston*, or in his absence a Sub-Inspector of Police, is hereby empowered to, without any express order or direction of the Council, take proceedings against any person offending against any of the provisions of the Principal Act, or any other Act affecting the *Launceston Corporation*, or any by-law, rule, order, or regulation made by the Council.

Amendment of Sect. 199 of 58 Vict. No. 30.

**9** The words "and in any one or more of the local newspapers" on the Third line of Section One hundred and ninety-nine of the Principal Act are hereby expunged.

Acts to be read together.

**10** This Act and the Principal Act, and all Acts amending the same, shall, save as amended by this Act, be read and construed together as one and the same Act.