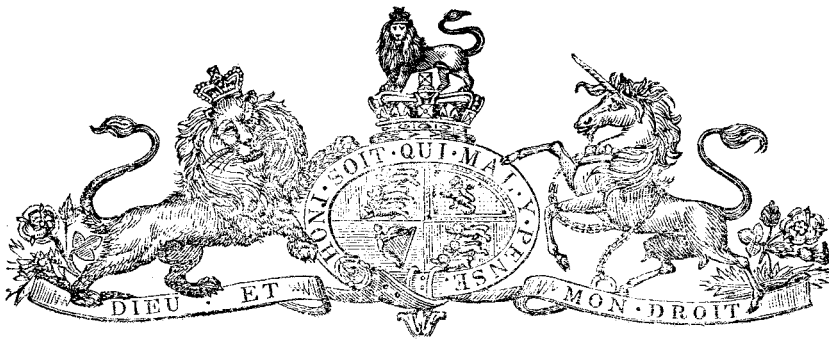


# TASMANIA



1900.

ANNO SEXAGESIMO-QUARTO

VICTORIÆ REGINÆ,

No. 10.

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AN ACT to regulate Attachment of Wages A.D. 1900.  
or Salary for Debt. [22 September, 1900.] —

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 Wages Attachment Act, 1900,” and shall come into operation on the First day of *January*, One thousand nine hundred and one, and shall only apply to debts and liabilities contracted after that date. Short title and commencement.

**2** After the commencement of this Act, no order shall be made by any Court, Judge, or Justice for the attachment of the wages of any clerk, servant, labourer, or workman, except as hereinafter mentioned. No order to be made for attachment of wages not exceeding £1 per week.

**3** If the amount of wages of any such person exceeds the rate of One Pound per week, whether payable at a yearly, monthly, weekly, or daily rate, or by the piece, or at a fixed price, or otherwise howsoever, any surplus above that rate per week shall be liable to attachment as before the commencement of this Act, and not otherwise: Provided always that it shall be competent for the Court, Judge, or Justice to order that the whole or any part of such wages as may be attached be paid over to the judgment debtor upon taking into consideration the circumstances and means of the judgment debtor and of his family, as may seem just to such Court, Judge, or Justice. Liability to attachment.

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*Wages Attachment.*

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A.D. 1900.

Meaning of  
"wages" and  
"workman."

**4** For the purposes of this Act—

The word "wages" includes wages, salary, payment by piece-work, and any money due or contracted to be paid or given as a recompense, reward, remuneration, or consideration for any service, work, or labour rendered or done, or to be rendered or done ; and

The word "workman" includes any person in any manner personally engaged or employed in manual labour or in work of any kind, whether as an independent contractor or otherwise, and whether his wages are to be according to time, or by piece-work, or at a fixed price, or otherwise howsoever.