and citation.

FISHERIES.

No. 4 of 1956.

An Act to amend the Fisheries Act 1952-1953.

[Assented to 27th March, 1956.] [Date of commencement, 24th April, 1956.]

BE it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, the Senate, and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Australia, as follows:—

- 1.—(1.) This Act may be cited as the Fisheries Act 1956.
- (2.) The Fisheries Act 1952-1953,* as amended by this Act, may be cited as the Fisheries Act 1952-1956.

2. Section nine of the *Fisheries Act* 1952–1953 is amended by Licences and omitting sub-section (5.) and inserting in its stead the following sub-

- sections:—
 "(5.) A licence granted, or registration effected, under this section—
 - (a) is subject to such conditions as are specified in the licence or certificate of registration;
 - (b) comes into force on a date specified in the licence or certificate of registration or, if no date is so specified, on the date on which it is granted or effected; and
 - (c) subject to the next succeeding sub-section, remains in force until the succeeding thirty-first day of December.
- "(5A.) Where a licence granted, or registration effected, under this section comes into force during the month of December in any year, it remains in force until the thirty-first day of December in the succeeding year.".

^{*} Act No. 7, 1952, as amended by No. 3, 1953.