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**[CONFIDENTIAL]**

(Rough Draft for Consideration Only.)

No. , 1928.

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## A BILL

To amend the Oaths Act, 1900, in certain respects.

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**B**E it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :—

**1.** (1) This Act may be cited as the "Oaths (Amend- Short title. ment) Act, 1928."

(2) The Oaths Act, 1900, as amended by subsequent Acts, is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.

Oaths (Amendment).

2. (1) The Principal Act is amended—

(a) by omitting section four and by inserting in lieu thereof the following new section :— Amendment of Act No. 20, 1900, s. 4.

4. The oath of allegiance in the form in the Second Schedule shall, subject to section six, be the form of oath of allegiance taken by all persons liable to take the said oath. Oath of allegiance.

(b) by omitting from the Fourth Schedule the words " this colony " and by inserting in lieu thereof the words " the State of New South Wales " ; Fourth Schedule.

(c) by adding at the end of section twenty-one the following new subsection :— Sec. 21.

(2) Any statutory declaration taken and received prior to the commencement of the Oaths (Amendment) Act, 1916, before any commissioner of the court for taking affidavits, shall be deemed to have been duly taken and received. New subsec. (2).

(2) The Oaths (Amendment) Act, 1916, is amended by omitting subsection two of section four. is Amendment of Act No. 5, 1916, s. 4.

