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GEORGI VI REGIS.

A.D. 1940.

No. 4 of 1940.

An Act to amend the Adoption of Children Act, 1925-1934.

[Assented to 5th September, 1940.]

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor of the State of South Australia with the advice and consent of the Parliament thereof, as follows :

Short titles.

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Adoption of Children Act Amendment Act, 1940".

(2) The Adoption of Children Act, 1925-1934, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the "Adoption of Children Act, 1925-1940".

(3) The Adoption of Children Act, 1925-1934, is hereinafter referred to as "the principal Act".

Amendment of
principal Act,
s. 14—

2. Section 14 of the principal Act is amended by adding at the end thereof the following subsection :—

Variation of
order.

(4) Where an order of adoption is varied or reversed (whether before or after the passing of the Adoption of Children Act Amendment Act, 1940) the court shall communicate to the Principal Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages the fact that the order has been varied or reversed, whereupon the Principal Registrar shall make such alteration or entry in the Adopted Children's Register relating to the child, the subject of the order, as is necessary to make the Adopted Children's Register accord with the variation or reversal of the order.

In the name and on behalf of His Majesty, I hereby assent to this Bill.

C. M. BARCLAY-HARVEY, Governor.