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### No. 34 of 1945.

An Act to provide for the registration of bakehouses, for the regulation of the hours during which bread may be baked, and for other purposes.

[Assented to 10th January, 1946.]

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

1. This Act may be cited as the "Bakehouses Registration Act, 1945". Short title.
2. This Act shall come into force on a day to be fixed by proclamation. Commencement of Act.
3. (1) In this Act, except where the context or subject matter requires a different construction— Interpretation.
  - "bakehouse" means any premises in which bread is baked by way of trade or for purposes of gain :
  - "board" means local board of health or county board within the meaning of the Health Act, 1935-1943 :
  - "metropolitan area" means metropolitan area as for the time being defined by Part II. of the Industrial Code, 1920-1943.
- (2) In this Act, the term "the board" means with respect to any part of the State comprised within a county district within the meaning of the Health Act, 1935-1943, the county board for that district and with respect to any other part of the State means the local board of health in the district comprised in that part of the State.

*Registration of Bakehouses.*

Penalty for using unregistered bakehouse.

4. If after three months after the commencement of this Act any person uses or occupies any bakehouse which is not duly registered as required by this Act, he shall be guilty of an offence and liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds for every day during which the unregistered bakehouse is used or occupied.

Application for and grant of registration.

5. (1) Application for registration of a bakehouse shall be made in writing to the board and every application shall be accompanied by the prescribed fee.

(2) If satisfied that the premises in respect of which the application is made are fit and proper to be used as a bakehouse and that the premises comply with the regulations, the board, subject to section 7, may register the premises as a bakehouse.

Duration of registration.

6. Every registration shall continue in force until the thirtieth day of June next after the grant of the registration.

Provision as to existing bakehouses.

7. If, before the thirtieth day of June, nineteen hundred and forty-seven, application is made for the registration as a bakehouse of any premises, then notwithstanding subsection (2) of section 5, the board shall register the premises as a bakehouse notwithstanding that the bakehouse does not comply with the requirements of the said subsection, but if application is made for the further registration of that bakehouse, the bakehouse shall not be registered unless the bakehouse then complies with the requirements of the said subsection.

*Regulation of the Hours of Baking.*

Regulation of the hours of baking of bread in the metropolitan area.

8. (1) No person carrying on or employed in the trade or calling of a baker shall make or bake, or assist at the making or baking of bread during any of the following periods :—

- I. Between six o'clock in the afternoon on any Friday and midnight on the following Sunday when the ensuing Monday is not a public holiday :  
Provided that if any Friday is a public holiday this paragraph shall not apply to the making or baking, or the assisting at the making or baking of bread between six o'clock in the afternoon of that Friday and twelve o'clock noon on the following Saturday :
- II. Between twelve o'clock noon on any Saturday and midnight on the following Monday if that Monday is a public holiday :

iii. Between six o'clock in the afternoon on any day preceding any one or more consecutive public holidays and midnight on that public holiday or where there is more than one such public holidays on the last of those public holidays : Provided that this paragraph shall not apply where any of the public holidays is a Friday or a Sunday :

iv. Between six o'clock in the afternoon on any day preceding a Friday which is a public holiday and six o'clock in the afternoon of that Friday being a public holiday :

v. On any day or at any hour prohibited by regulation.

(2) This section shall apply only within the metropolitan area.

(3) This section shall not apply—

(a) to the preparation, mixing, or making of any dough, whether by hand or machinery ; or

(b) to the firing of any oven by a doughmaker whilst waiting in attendance for the preparation, mixing, or making of dough ; or

(c) to the baking of bread for supply to ships in accordance with a permit granted by the board and in accordance with any terms and conditions fixed by the board on the granting of the permit.

(4) The board may grant any such permit as is referred to in paragraph (c) of subsection (3). The grant of any such permit shall be in the discretion of the board and may be subject to such terms and conditions as the board thinks fit. Any such permit may, at the discretion of the board, be revoked at any time by the board.

(5) Any person who commits any contravention of this section shall be guilty of an offence and liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds.

#### *Miscellaneous.*

9. (1) The Governor may make regulations—

Regulations.

(a) prescribing fees to be paid on applications for registration of bakehouses, prescribing forms to be used for such applications, for certificates of registration of bakehouses and for other purposes of this Act, and prescribing for and the fees payable on the transfer of the registration of bakehouses ;

- (b) prescribing requirements to be complied with in bakehouses before the registration thereof ;
  - (c) prescribing any requirements to be complied with in bakehouses to secure cleanliness and otherwise to protect the public health ;
  - (d) prescribing any day or days during which or any hour or hours at which baking of bread shall be prohibited as provided by section 8 ;
  - (e) prescribing any other matters necessary or convenient for carrying this Act into effect ;
  - (f) prescribing penalties not exceeding ten pounds, for the breach of any regulation.
- (2) Any regulation made as aforesaid may be made to apply only to any specified part or parts of the State.

**Proceedings  
for offences.**

**10.** All proceedings for offences against this Act shall be disposed of summarily.

**Evidentiary  
provision.**

**11.** In any proceedings for an offence against this Act the allegation in the complaint that any specified premises are not registered under this Act shall, in the absence of proof to the contrary, be sufficient evidence of the matter so alleged.

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

C. W. M. NORRIE, Governor.