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# GEORGII V REGIS. A.D. 1926.

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## No. 1738.

An Act to make provision for preventing any Company from using the name of a Friendly Society.

[Assented to, October 14th, 1926.]

**B**E it Enacted by the Governor of the State of South Australia, with the advice and consent of the Parliament thereof, as follows :

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Companies Amendment (Names) Act, 1926". Short titles.

(2) The Companies Acts, 1892 to 1924, and this Act may be cited together as the "Companies Acts, 1892 to 1926".

2. This Act is incorporated with the Companies Acts, 1892 to 1924, and those Acts and this Act shall be read as one Act. Incorporation.

3. After the commencement of this Act no Company shall be registered under a name identical with that of any Friendly Society mentioned in the Second Schedule to the Friendly Societies Act, 1919, or so nearly resembling the same as in the opinion of the Registrar to be calculated to deceive. Restriction on registration of Company under name of Friendly Society.

4. (1) After the commencement of this Act no foreign Company the name of which is identical with that of any Friendly Society mentioned in the Second Schedule to the Friendly Societies Act, 1919, or so nearly resembles the same as to be calculated to deceive shall carry on business within the State. Any foreign Company carrying on business in contravention of this section shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Twenty Pounds for every day on which it so carries on business. Restriction on foreign Company carrying on business under name of Friendly Society.

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(2) Any attorney of such foreign Company or any other person who on behalf of such foreign Company wilfully and knowingly assists in carrying on business in contravention of this section shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five Pounds for every day on which he so assists.

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

TOM BRIDGES, Governor.