



ANNO VICESIMO TERTIO

ELIZABETHAE II REGINAE

A.D. 1974

No. 45 of 1974

An Act to amend the Constitution Act, 1934-1973.

{*Reserved 21st March, 1974*
 {*Royal Assent proclaimed 4th July, 1974*}

BE 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 "Constitution Act Amendment Act, 1974". Short titles.

(2) The Constitution Act, 1934-1973, is hereinafter referred to as "the principal Act".

(3) The principal Act, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the "Constitution Act, 1934-1974".

2. If this Act is assented to on or before the first day of July, 1974, this Act shall come into operation on that day but if this Act is assented to after that day this Act shall be deemed to have come into operation on that day. Commencement.

3. Section 73 of the principal Act is amended—

(a) by striking out subsection (1) and inserting in lieu thereof the following subsection:—

(1) On and from the first day of July, 1974, the salary payable to the Governor shall be at the rate of twenty thousand dollars a year.;

(b) by striking out from subsection (2) the passage "His Majesty every financial year" and inserting in lieu thereof the passage "Her Majesty in the financial year commencing on the first day of July, 1974, and in every financial year thereafter";

and

(c) by striking out from subsection (2) the word "fifteen" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty".

Amendment of principal Act, s. 73—
Salary of the Governor.

Amendment of
principal Act,
s. 73a—
Allowances for
the Governor
for expenses.

4. Section 73a of the principal Act is amended—

(a) by striking out from paragraph (a) of subsection (1) the figures “1961” and inserting in lieu thereof the figures “1974”;

(b) by striking out from paragraph (a) of subsection (1) the passage “fourteen thousand” and inserting in lieu thereof the passage “nineteen thousand seven hundred”;

(c) by striking out paragraph (b) from subsection (1) and inserting in lieu thereof the following paragraph:—

(b) in respect of each subsequent financial year an expenses allowance at an annual rate arrived at by dividing the sum of nineteen thousand seven hundred dollars by the consumer price index for the quarter ending on the thirty-first day of March, 1974, and multiplying the quotient so obtained by the consumer price index for the quarter ending on the thirty-first day of March in the financial year immediately preceding the financial year in respect of which the allowance is to be determined and by adjusting the product to the nearest multiple of one hundred dollars.;

and

(d) by striking out the proviso to paragraph (c) of subsection (2).

Repeal of
s. 73c of
principal Act.

5. Section 73c of the principal Act is repealed.

Reserved for the signification of Her Majesty the Queen's pleasure thereon.

M. L. OLIPHANT, Governor