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GEORGII VI REGIS.

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No. 43 of 1949.

An Act to amend the Dog Fence Act, 1946.

[Assented to 1st December, 1949.]

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 " Dog Fence Act Amendment Act, 1949 ".

(2) The Dog Fence Act, 1946, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the " Dog Fence Act, 1946-1949 ".

(3) The Dog Fence Act, 1946, is hereinafter referred to as " the principal Act ":

Enactment of
s. 23a of
principal Act—

2. The following section is enacted and inserted in the principal Act after section 23 thereof :—

Dog fence on
Crown lands

23a. (1) The board may—

- (a) for the purpose of completing any portion of the dog fence, erect any fence on any Crown land;
- (b) make dog-proof any fence upon any Crown land;
- (c) maintain any such fence.

(2) Without limitation of the powers conferred by this section, the board may, for the purpose of carrying out any work authorized by subsection (1), enter into any arrangement with the occupier of any land.

3. Section 24 of the principal Act is amended by inserting therein after subsection (1) thereof the following subsection :—

Amendment of
principal Act,
s. 24—

Payments for
maintenance
of dog fence.

(1a) If any part of the dog fence is owned jointly by two or more owners, the board shall pay the amount aforesaid to such of the owners as the board is satisfied will undertake the liability of carrying out the work referred to in subsection (2), and for the purposes aforesaid the board may require the joint owners to enter into such agreement with respect to such liability as the board considers proper.

Nothing in this subsection shall limit any duty imposed by section 22 upon the owner of any part of the dog fence nor limit any powers of the board under section 23.

4. The following section is enacted and inserted in the principal Act after section 32 thereof :—

Enactment of
s. 32a of
principal Act—

32a. (1) The Treasurer may lend to the board and the board may borrow upon such terms and conditions as are agreed between the Treasurer and the board, such moneys as are necessary for the execution of any works authorized by this Act to be carried out by the board.

Borrowing
powers of
board.

(2) The Treasurer may arrange for the borrowing on behalf of the State and in accordance with the Financial Agreement of such sums of money as he requires for the purpose of making loans to the board under this section. This section without further appropriation shall be sufficient authority for lending any money so borrowed to the board.

(3) The board may out of the moneys of the board set aside such sums as it thinks proper as a sinking fund for the redemption of any moneys borrowed by the board and may invest any such sinking fund.

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

C. W. M. NORRIE, Governor.