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### No. 1926.

An Act to amend the Drought Relief Act, 1928, and for other purposes.

*[Assented to, December 4th, 1929.]*

**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 "Drought Relief (Extension) Act, 1929". Short titles.
- (2) The Drought Relief Act, 1928 (which is hereinafter referred to as "the principal Act"), and this Act may be cited together as the "Drought Relief Acts, 1928 and 1929". No. 1886 of 1928.
- 2. Section 3 of the principal Act is amended by striking out the words "twenty-nine" in the last line of subsection (1) thereof and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "thirty". Amendment of principal Act, s. 3—  
Extension of Act.
- 3. (1) Section 4 of the principal Act is amended by adding at the end thereof the following subsection (the preceding portion of the said section being read as subsection (1) thereof):— Amendment of principal Act, s. 4—
  - (2) Any person holding any land comprised in the Pekina Irrigation Area under lease from the Crown may, notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (1) hereof, make application to the Bank for assistance under this Act. Application of Act to holders of certain irrigation leases.
  - (2) The amendments made by this section shall be deemed to have been made at and shall be deemed to take effect from the time of the passing of the principal Act.

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Amendment of principal Act, s. 8—  
Time for repayment of advances.

4. Section 8 of the principal Act is amended by inserting after the word "approve" in the fifth line of subsection (2) thereof the words "or if the advance is made after the commencement of the Drought Relief (Extension) Act, 1929, on or before the first day of February, nineteen hundred and thirty-one, or within such further time as the Bank may approve."

Amendment of principal Act—

5. The principal Act is amended by inserting therein after section 8 thereof the following section:—

Power to pay District Council rates on behalf of drought-affected farmers.

8A. (1) Any person who is eligible for assistance under this Act may make application to the Bank requesting the Bank to pay on behalf of the applicant any District Council rates which are declared during the financial year ending on the thirtieth day of June, nineteen hundred and thirty, and which are payable by the applicant to any District Council.

(2) The Bank may pay any such rates to the District Council on behalf of the applicant, and thereupon the said amount shall from the time of payment thereof be deemed for all the purposes of this Act to be an advance made under this Act by the Bank to the applicant.

Amendment of principal Act, The Schedule.

6. The Schedule to the principal Act is amended—

- (a) by inserting after "1930" in the first line of paragraph (1) thereof the passage "(or if the said order is received after the commencement of the Drought Relief (Extension) Act, 1929, by the first day of February, 1931)";
- (b) by inserting after "1930" in paragraph (2) thereof the passage "(or if the said order is received after the commencement of the Drought Relief (Extension) Act, 1929, on the first day of February, 1931)"; and
- (c) by inserting after "1929" in paragraph (3) thereof the passage "(or if the said order is received after the commencement of the Drought Relief (Extension) Act, 1929, before the thirty-first day of December, 1930)".

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

A. HORE-RUTHVEN, Governor.