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No. 54 of 1971

An Act to promote the longer use of daylight in certain months of the year and to provide for matters incidental thereto.

[Assented to 30th September, 1971]

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

- Short title.** 1. This Act may be cited as the "Daylight Saving Act, 1971".
- Interpretation.** 2. In this Act, unless the contrary intention appears—
- "South Australian standard time" means the time declared by The Standard Time Act, 1898, to be standard time throughout South Australia;
- "South Australian summer time" means the time to be observed throughout the State as prescribed by this Act.
- Advance of time.** 3. (1) Notwithstanding anything in The Standard Time Act, 1898, from the hour of two o'clock in the morning of the last Sunday in the month of October in each year (including the year 1971) until the hour of two o'clock in the morning of the last Sunday in the month of February in the next following year South Australian summer time shall, throughout the State, be one hour in advance of South Australian standard time, and shall be observed accordingly.

(2) In this section—

“the hour of two o'clock in the morning” means the hour of two o'clock in the morning as determined by South Australian standard time.

4. Notwithstanding anything in any enactment, regulation, by-law, rule, statute, proclamation, order, notice or process or in any contract or agreement (whether made orally or in writing), or in any deed or instrument, where any time or period of time is prescribed, specified or stipulated as the time at which, or the period of time for which or during which, or any part of which, the doing of any act, matter or thing is required, permitted or forbidden, or where any time is fixed for any other purpose, that time, period of time, or part of a period of time, as the case may be, shall, with respect to any period during which South Australian summer time is declared by this Act to be in advance of South Australian standard time, be held to be, and shall be determined by reference to, South Australian summer time unless the contrary is expressed, provided or stipulated in that enactment, regulation, by-law, rule, statute, proclamation, order, notice, process, contract, agreement, deed or instrument.

Construction of expressions of time in Acts, etc.

5. (1) Except as otherwise expressly provided in this Act, the provisions of The Standard Time Act, 1898, are not affected by this Act.

Savings.

(2) Nothing in this Act affects the use of South Australian standard time for the purposes of astronomy, meteorology or navigation, or the construction of any document mentioning or referring to a point of time in connection with any of those purposes.

6. This Act expires on the fifteenth day of October, 1972.

Expiry of Act.

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

J. M. NAPIER, Lieutenant-Governor