



ANNO VICESIMO TERTIO

ELIZABETHAE II REGINAE

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No. 68 of 1974

An Act to amend the Evidence (Affidavits) Act, 1928-1968.

[Assented to 17th October, 1974]

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 "Evidence (Affidavits) Act Amendment Act, 1974".

(2) The Evidence (Affidavits) Act, 1928-1968, is hereinafter referred to as "the principal Act".

(3) The principal Act, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the "Evidence (Affidavits) Act, 1928-1974".

Amendment of long title of principal Act.

2. The long title to the principal Act is amended by striking out the passage "and proclaimed bank managers" and inserting in lieu thereof the passage "and other persons".

Amendment of principal Act, s. 2a—
Power of other persons to take affidavits.

3. Section 2a of the principal Act is amended—

(a) by striking out from subsection (1) the passage "any proclaimed bank manager" and inserting in lieu thereof the passage—

"(a) any proclaimed bank manager;

(b) any proclaimed postmaster;

or

(c) any proclaimed member of the police force of the State";

and

(b) by striking out subsection (2) and inserting in lieu thereof the following subsection:—

(2) In this section, "proclaimed bank manager", "proclaimed postmaster" and "proclaimed member of the police force" mean a proclaimed bank manager, a proclaimed postmaster or a proclaimed member of the police force within the meaning of the Oaths Act, 1936-1969.

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

W. R. CROCKER, Governor's Deputy