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An Act to amend the Hide, Skin and Wool Dealers Act, 1915-1959.

[Assented to 28th October, 1965.]

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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 "Hide, Skin and Wool Dealers Act Amendment Act, 1965".
- (2) The Hide, Skin and Wool Dealers Act, 1915-1959, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the "Hide, Skin and Wool Dealers Act, 1915-1965".
- (3) The Hide, Skin and Wool Dealers Act, 1915-1959, is hereinafter referred to as "the principal Act".

Incorporation.

2. This Act is incorporated with the principa! Act and that Act and this Act shall be read as one Act.

Enactment of ss. 12a and 12b of principal Act—

3. The following sections are inserted in the principal Act after section 12 thereof:—

Book to be kept showing purchases of any hide, skin or wool and signature of person from whom received. 12a. (1) Subject to subsection (2) of section 12b of this Act every licensee shall forthwith upon any hides, skins or wool being bought by him or received into his custody or possession enter in the prescribed manner in a record book to be kept by him on his premises the prescribed particulars of the transaction and shall cause such entry to be signed by the owner (or his agent) of such hides, skins or wool at the time the transaction is made.

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- (2) Any person who neglects or fails to obtain the signature of the person from whom he bought or received the hides, skins or wool in his record book, or who wilfully makes, or causes to be made, or signs, any false entry in a record book required by this Act to be kept by the licensee, shall be guilty of an offence against this Act.
- (3) Any person who makes or causes to be made, or signs, in such record book any incomplete or defective entry, shall be guilty of an offence against this Act.
- 12b. (1) An owner or his agent may confer upon a owner may licensee a general or special authority in writing to buy or receive into his custody or possession hides, skins or wool belonging to the owner.

- (2) Where, in pursuance of the general or special authority referred to in subsection (1), a licensee buys or receives into his custody or possession any hides, skins or wool belonging to the owner, he shall enter in the prescribed manner in the record book to be kept by him on his premises the prescribed particulars but shall not be required to obtain the signature of the owner against such entry in the record book.
- (3) Any licensee to whom the provisions of subsection (2) of this section applies who contravenes, or fails to comply with that subsection, shall be guilty of an offence against this Act.

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

J. M. NAPIER, Governor's Deputy.