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## **GEORGII VI REGIS.**

A.D. 1950.

## No. 57 of 1950.

An Act to amend the Lottery and Gaming Act, 1936-1949.

[Assented to 7th December, 1950.]

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 "Lottery and Gaming Act Amendment Act (No. 2), 1950".
- (2) The Lottery and Gaming Act, 1936-1949, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the "Lottery and Gaming Act, 1936-1950 ".
- (3) The Lottery and Gaming Act, 1936-1949, is hereinafter called the "principal Act".

Incorporation.

2. This Act is incorporated with the principal Act and that Act and this Act may be cited as one Act.

3. The following section is enacted and inserted in the s. 20a of principal Act after section 20 thereof :—

Permits for trotting races at horse race meetings.

- 20a. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act a racing club which holds a licence for use of the totalizator at horse races and which conducts horse races on a racecourse situated more than one hundred miles from the General Post Office at Adelaide may conduct trotting races at any horse racing meeting lawfully held by the club, subject to the following provisions:-
  - (a) A written permit shall be obtained from the Chief Secretary authorizing the club to conduct the trotting races:

- (b) The permit shall specify the days on which the trotting races may be held, and no day other than a Saturday or public holiday (not being a Good Friday or Christmas day) shall be so specified:
- (c) Not more than three trotting races shall be held at any one horse racing meeting:
- (d) No permit shall be granted to authorize the holding of trotting races on a race course which is one hundred miles or less from the General Post Office, Adelaide:
- (e) A permit may contain any conditions which the Chief Secretary deems proper:
- (f) The Chief Secretary if satisfied that a racing club has contravened any term or condition of a permit may revoke it.
- 4. (1) Section 21 of the principal Act is amended by striking Amendment of out the first six lines of subsection (2) thereof and inserting in principal Act lieu thereof the following passage:-

- (2) The licences granted under this section shall not authorize the use of the totalizator—
  - (a) in the metropolitan area at more than thirty-five meetings in the aggregate in any year or at any meeting other than a night meeting;
  - (b) on Eyre Peninsula at more than twenty meetings in the aggregate in any year, or at any meeting other than a day meeting held on a Saturday, or on a public holiday (not being Good Friday or Christmas day);
  - (c) in areas other than the metropolitan area and Eyre Peninsula at more than sixty meetings in the aggregate in any year;
  - (d) in any one town outside the metropolitan area at more than eleven meetings in any year.
- (2) Section 21 of the principal Act is further amended by adding at the end thereof the following subsection:—
  - (3) In this section unless the context otherwise requires—
    - "day meeting" means a trotting meeting the last race at which commences not later than six o'clock p.m.;

## " Eyre Peninsula" means-

- (a) that part of the State which lies west of the west coast of Spencer Gulf and south of a line joining the north-western corner of the municipality of Port Augusta to the north-eastern corner of the Government town of Penong;
- (b) all land within five miles of the northwestern corner of the municipality of Port Augusta and within five miles of the north-eastern corner of the Government town of Penong;
- "metropolitan area" means the area within a radius of twenty miles from the General Post Office at Adelaide;
- "meeting" means a day meeting or a night meeting;
- "night meeting" means a trotting meeting the first race at which commences at or after six o'clock p.m.

Consequential amendment of s. 22 of principal Act. 5. Section 22 of the principal Act is amended by adding at the end thereof the words "at Adelaide".

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

C. W. M. NORRIE, Governor.