



ANNO DECIMO TERTIO

ELIZABETHAE II REGINAE

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An Act to amend the Legal Practitioners Act,
1936-1948.

[Assented to 22nd October, 1964.]

BE 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 "Legal Practitioners Act Amendment Act, 1964". Short titles.
- (2) The Legal Practitioners Act, 1936-1948, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the "Legal Practitioners Act, 1936-1964".
- (3) The Legal Practitioners Act, 1936-1948, is hereinafter referred to as "the principal Act".
2. This Act shall come into operation on a day to be fixed by the Governor by proclamation. Commencement.
3. This Act is incorporated with the principal Act and that Act and this Act shall be read as one Act. Incorporation.
4. Subsection (1) of section 11a of the principal Act is repealed and the following subsection is inserted in lieu thereof:— Amendment of principal Act, s. 11a.
 - (1) If any person who is not a legal practitioner or whose name has been struck off the roll of legal practitioners and not restored thereto—

(a) pretends to be or takes or uses any name title or description implying that he is, or advertises himself to be, a barrister, solicitor, attorney or proctor or a person qualified or recognized by law as qualified to act as a barrister, solicitor, attorney or proctor; or

(b) permits or suffers his name to be used in any such way by any other person,

he shall be guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding one hundred pounds.

Amendment of
principal Act,
s. 40.

5. Section 40 of the principal Act is amended—

(a) by striking out the word “The” at the beginning of subsection (3) thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the words “Until the commencement of the Legal Practitioners Act Amendment Act, 1964, the”;

(b) by inserting therein after the said subsection (3) thereof the following subsections :—

(3a.) From and after the coming into operation of the Legal Practitioners Act Amendment Act, 1964, the Statutory Committee shall consist of nine members who shall be appointed by the Governor on the nomination of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court: Provided that the members of the Statutory Committee holding office immediately prior to such coming into operation shall continue to be members of the Statutory Committee for the terms for which they were respectively appointed.

(3b.) The provisions of the Legal Practitioners Act Amendment Act, 1964, shall not apply to the hearing of any charge or question or to any proceedings, commenced before the commencement of that Act and every such hearing or proceeding shall be continued in the same manner and with the same incidents as if that Act had not come into operation and for the purposes of any such hearing or proceedings this Act as

