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**No. 52 of 1958.**

An Act to amend the Payment of Members of  
Parliament Act, 1948-1957.

[Assented to 27th November, 1958.]

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 "Payment of Members of Parliament Act Amendment Act, 1958".

(2) The Payment of Members of Parliament Act, 1948-1957, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the "Payment of Members of Parliament Act, 1948-1958".

(3) The Payment of Members of Parliament Act, 1948-1957, is hereinafter referred to as "the principal Act".

Incorporation.

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

Repeal of  
s. 4 of the  
principal Act  
and enactment  
of other  
provisions—  
Payments to  
members.

3. Section 4 of the principal Act is repealed and the following section is enacted in lieu thereof :—

4. (1) Every member of Parliament, other than a Minister of the Crown, shall be entitled to receive—

(a) payment for his services in the discharge of his Parliamentary duties at the annual rate of one thousand nine hundred pounds ;

- (b) an electorate allowance in respect of the expenses incurred by the member in discharging such duties, at the annual rate prescribed in subsection (2) of this section.

(2) The electorate allowance for a member of Parliament other than a Minister of the Crown shall be at the following annual rate :—

- (a) if no part of the member's electoral district is more than fifty miles from the General Post Office at Adelaide—two hundred and fifty pounds ;
- (b) if the whole or a part of the member's electoral district is more than fifty miles from the General Post Office at Adelaide, but no part is more than two hundred miles from that General Post Office—three hundred pounds ;
- (c) if the whole or a part of the member's electoral district is more than two hundred miles from the General Post Office at Adelaide—three hundred and twenty-five pounds.

(3) Every Minister of the Crown shall be entitled to receive an electorate allowance in respect of expenses incurred by him in discharging his duties as a member of Parliament at the rate of two hundred and fifty pounds a year.

(4) Payments and allowances under this section are in addition to any other payment to which the Minister or other member is entitled under this or any other Act.

4. Section 6 of the principal Act is amended by inserting the words "and allowance" after the word "payment" in the third line of subsection (1).

Consequential  
amendments  
of s. 6 of the  
principal Act.

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

R. A. GEORGE, Governor.