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No. 29 of 1969

An Act to authorize the Treasurer to borrow and expend money for public works and purposes, and to enact other provisions incidental thereto.

[Assented to 25th September, 1969.]

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor of the State of South Australia, with the advice and consent of the Parliament thereof, as follows:

Short title.

1. This Act may be cited as the "Public Purposes Loan Act, 1969".

Interpretation.

- 2. In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires—
 - "schedule" means schedule to this Act:
 - "the financial agreement" means the Financial Agreement made between the Commonwealth and all the States and set out in the schedule at the end of the Amending Financial Agreement Act, 1944 as amended by the Agreement set out in the schedule to the Amending Financial Agreement Act, 1966:
 - "the loan fund" means the moneys mentioned in section 3 of this Act.

The loan fund.

- 3. For the purposes of this Act the loan fund shall consist of—
 - (a) all money which immediately before the commencement of this Act was standing to the credit of the loan fund as defined in the Public Purposes Loan Act, 1968.

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- - (b) all money received after the commencement of this Act by the Treasurer in repayment of advances made, or money expended, out of money borrowed under any Act;
 - (c) all money being surplus revenue applied after the commencement of this Act to loan accounts in accordance with section 30 of the Public Finance Act, 1936-1964;
 - (d) all money borrowed under this Act.
- 4. The Treasurer may arrange for the sum of eighty-two power to borrow. million six hundred and seventy thousand dollars to be borrowed on behalf of the State in accordance with the financial agreement.

5. (1) There may be issued out of the loan fund any sums application of not exceeding one hundred and one million seven hundred and money from loan fund. sixteen thousand dollars.

- (2) The sums so issued shall be applied for the purposes mentioned in the schedule.
- (3) If the amount mentioned in any line of the schedule as the proposed expenditure for the work or purpose mentioned in that line is insufficient for that work or purpose, the Treasurer may issue additional money from the loan fund for that work or purpose but so that the total amount issued under this Act from the loan fund during the financial year ending on the thirtieth day of June, 1970 for works and purposes mentioned in the schedule shall not exceed one hundred and one million seven hundred and sixteen thousand dollars.
- (4) Any amount appropriated by this Act may be paid for the purpose for which it is so appropriated, in addition to any other amount appropriated by law for that purpose.

6. The Treasurer may—

Flotation expenses.

- (a) in addition to the other amounts authorized by this Act to be borrowed, arrange for the borrowing on behalf of the State in accordance with the financial agreement of a sum equal to the discounts, charges and expenses incurred in connection with the borrowing of money under this Act;
- (b) issue a sum equal to those discounts, charges and expenses out of the loan fund, and apply the sum so issued in payment of those discounts, charges and expenses.

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7. If the money in the loan fund is at any time insufficient for the purpose of carrying out the works and purposes mentioned in the schedule the Treasurer may use other money in his hands for those purposes, but any money so used shall be repaid from the loan fund as soon as there is sufficient money in that fund to make the repayment.

Power to borrow and apply loan money in 1970-71.

- 8. (1) The Treasurer may arrange to borrow, during the period between the thirtieth day of June, 1970, and the commencement of the Act authorizing the raising and expenditure of loan money for the financial year ending on the thirtieth day of June, 1971, on behalf of the State in accordance with the financial agreement any sums not exceeding forty million dollars.
- (2) There may be issued out of the loan fund during that period any sums not exceeding forty million dollars.
- (3) Any sum so issued shall be applied to meet expenditure on all or any of the loan undertakings mentioned in the schedule during that period and the amount to be allocated to each such undertaking shall be determined by the Treasurer.

Power to borrow against Treasury Bills or by overdraft.

- 9. The Treasurer may during each of the financial years commencing on the first day of July, 1969, and on the first day of July, 1970, borrow in accordance with the financial agreement—
 - (a) any sum or sums against the issue of Commonwealth Treasury Bills, for the purpose of financing any temporary deficit in the Consolidated Revenue Account of the State and any amounts so borrowed shall be repaid on or before the thirtieth day of June next following the date of the borrowing;

and

(b) any sum or sums not exceeding two million dollars for any purpose by way of overdraft from the Reserve Bank of Australia and any amounts so borrowed shall be repaid within seven days.

Duration of Act.

10. The authority to borrow money and to issue and apply money from the loan fund, given by sections 4 and 5 of this Act, shall cease on the thirtieth day of June, 1970.

Authority to spend Commonwealth Aid Roads Grants. 11. All money received by the State from the Commonwealth by way of grants under the Commonwealth Aid Roads Act, 1969, as amended, or any Act substituted therefor, shall be

paid to a special account in the books of the Treasurer, and the Treasurer shall issue and pay out of the money so credited such sums as are required for purposes specified in that Act.

12. This Act shall be deemed to have come into operation commencement of Act. on the first day of July, 1969.

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SCHEDULE

Amounts Proposed to be Expended from the Loan Fund During the Financial Year Ending 30th June, 1970.

Loan Undertakings	Estimated Expenditure
STATE BANK	\$
Advances for Homes	650,000
Loans to Producers	1,400,000
Advances to Settlers	120,000
Loans for Fencing and Water Piping	15,000
Loans for Vermin Proof Fencing	55,000
Advances to State Bank	600,000
Student Hostels	300,000
HIGHWAYS AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT	
Roads and Bridges	200,000
South-Western Suburbs Drainage	2,600,000
Other Urban Drainage	750,000
Public Parks	300,000
LANDS, IRRIGATION AND DRAINAGE	
Lands Department—Buildings, Plant, etc	440,000
Irrigation and Reclamation of Swamp Lands	430,000
South-Eastern Drainage	300,000
Renmark Irrigation Trust	250,000
National Reserves	150,000
WOODS AND FORESTS	
Afforestation and Timber Milling	2,450,000
RAILWAYS	
Railway Accommodation	7,700,000
MARINE AND HARBORS	
Harbors Accommodation	4,725,000
West Lakes Development	1,061,000
Fishing Havens and Foreshore Improvements	225,000
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ENGINEERING AND WATER SUPPLY	
Waterworks and Sewers	30,965,000
River Murray Weirs, Dams, Locks, etc.	400,000
PUBLIC BUILDINGS	
Government Buildings, Land and Services	27,800,000
OTHER CAPITAL GRANTS AND ADVANCES	
Electricity Trust of South Australia—Loan to	6,000,000
Natural Gas Pipelines Authority of South Australia—Loan to	1,500,000
Metropolitan and Export Abattoirs Board—Loan to	100,000
	700,000
Festival Hall	
Festival Hall University and Advanced Education Buildings	5,000,000 2,400,000

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Amounts Proposed to be Expended from the Loan Fund During the Financial Year Ending 30th June, 1970—continued

Loan Undertakings	Estimated Expenditure
MISCELLANEOUS	\$
Expenses and Discounts of Floating Conversion and Public	
Loans	400,000
Mines Department—Buildings, Plant, etc	300,000
etc	80,000
Produce Department—Buildings, Plant, etc	120,000
Education Department—School Buses	330,000
Equipment	900,000
Total	\$101,716,000

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

J. M. NAPIER, Governor's Deputy.